

MASTER OF NURSING PRACTICE

Fast track your nursing career, become a registered nurse in just two years with this intensive course. Nursing is a rewarding, challenging and fulfilling career choice allowing you to continually develop.

This entry-to-practice degree will provide you with a professional nursing qualification and give you the opportunity to switch careers. You'll develop a strong set of transferable skills, problem-solving, communication, and critical thinking that today's healthcare employers genuinely look for.

You'll think like a nurse from day one of your degree. With clinical placement from the first semester, you'll be able to apply your new classroom knowledge directly into supervised practice.

This hands-on degree gives you the knowledge and practical know-how to deliver high-quality nursing care, while building the leadership skills you'll need to step confidently into a wide range of healthcare settings.

In the Master of Nursing Practice you will:

- Gain the knowledge and hands-on expertise to deliver high-quality nursing care in a range of settings.
- Practice your clinical skills in our state-of-the-art clinical learning environments on campus.
- Learn from highly skilled nurses, leaders in their field with a wealth of knowledge and expertise.
- Develop knowledge in line with current practice.
- Learn to think critically, make informed decisions, and understand the "why" behind clinical practice.
- Build confidence, communication skills, and real-world competence.
- Graduate with the practical readiness to step into your career and succeed.



COURSE CODE

M6016

CRICOS CODE: 068373J

STUDY MODE

On campus (Clayton)

INTAKE

First Semester (February)

Second Semester (July)

DURATION

Full time: 2 years

SUITABLE FOR

Graduates with non-nursing degrees who want the opportunity to switch careers and reap the rewards of becoming a highly skilled professional. This intensive program is an entry to practice degree.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

After successfully completing your degree, you'll be eligible to apply for registration as a Registered Nurse with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (Ahptra), provided you also meet their required English language skills standard.

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MASTER OF NURSING PRACTICE GRADUATE

“Completing the Master of Nursing Practice equipped me with the essential skills to practise safely and confidently as a registered nurse. The quality of teaching was exceptional, and I felt genuinely supported as a mature-age student. The integrated clinical placements were a highlight, allowing me to apply theoretical knowledge in real-world settings while continuously developing my clinical reasoning and assessment skills”.



COURSE STRUCTURE

Foundations for contemporary nursing practice

You'll complete five units and explore fundamental concepts of nursing within the various healthcare settings, as well as the evolution of nursing within contemporary nursing practice.

Your final unit will develop your leadership and management capabilities.

Professional practical placement

You'll complete five units specifically designed to build your clinical competencies as a nurse. Learn how to care for patients across the lifespan, and how to manage chronic and acute health issues.

As part of your studies, you'll complete 800 hours of clinical placement in a range of healthcare settings.

CLINICAL PLACEMENTS

We partner with some of the state's major healthcare providers to give you access to high quality clinical training.

Throughout your degree, you'll complete at least **800 nursing clinical placement hours**, immersing yourself in real-life practice across acute, surgical, mental health, community and more, at some of Victoria's major health services. It's your chance to truly experience life as a nurse.

FUTURE PATHWAYS

We are committed to ongoing professional development, with opportunities for registered nurses to gain specialist knowledge and skills, or contribute to evidence-based nursing practice in a range of clinical, educational, research or management settings:

- Bachelor of Nursing (Honours)
- Master of Advanced Nursing
- Master of Advanced Clinical Nursing

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Nurses play a crucial role and are essential to healthcare systems worldwide. It's a career with strong predicted career growth, flexibility and international employment opportunities. As a registered nurse, no two days are the same.

After completing your graduate year, you can go on to specialise in a specific area of practice - like emergency, intensive care, mental health or paediatrics - just to name a few.

LEARN MORE

Further information including entry requirements, pathways, fees and how to apply - monash.edu/study/course/m6016



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