MASTER OF NURSING PRACTICE

FAST TRACK YOUR NURSING CAREER

Nursing is a fast-paced, challenging and fulfilling career path that can take you anywhere in the world. Become a registered nurse in just two years with our intensive Master of Nursing Practice.

This is an entry-to-practice degree, providing you with a professional nursing qualification if you’ve already completed an undergraduate degree in a non-nursing field.

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.

At Monash, we’re not just educating tomorrow’s nurses, but preparing the next generation of leaders in health. With training in leadership as part of your degree, you’ll be prepared for a range of potential career pathways.

In the Master of Nursing Practice you will:

- Get practical nursing experience at some of Victoria’s leading hospitals and health services.
- Practice your clinical skills in our state-of-the-art clinical learning environments on campus.
- Benefit from the expertise, clinical experience and global connections of our teaching staff.
- Develop your professional nursing identity and higher-order thinking skills, ensuring you are confident and adaptive working in complex health care environments.

You’ll complete four 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.

You’ll complete four 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.

Course code
M6016
CRICOS code: 068373J

Study mode
On-campus (Clayton)

Intakes
First semester: February
Second semester: July

Durations
Full time: 2 years

“...I enjoyed the practical classes, which provided simulated practice and consolidation of our theoretical knowledge. I also enjoyed my clinical placements. With each shift, I gained many insights from my clinical educators and preceptors, who provided continuous support, a wealth of knowledge, and expertise to attain my goals.

Lisa Hour
Master of Nursing Practice graduate
(2021)
PLACEMENTS

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

As part of the Master of Nursing Practice, a large portion of your degree will be spent on placement at some of Victoria’s major health services including Monash Health, Alfred Health, Eastern Health and Cabrini Health.

During your placements, you’ll experience life as a nurse in a range of settings such as acute medical and surgical wards, mental health and community.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

After successfully completing your degree, you’ll be eligible to apply for registration as a registered nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA), provided you also meet their required English language skills standard.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Nurses play a crucial role in healthcare systems worldwide, and 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.

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

LEARN MORE

For further information about the Master of Nursing Practice, including entry requirements, fees and placements, visit monash.edu/study/course/m6016 or contact:

FUTURE STUDENT ENQUIRIES

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“The teaching team made a really positive impact on us. The passion for the nursing industry shone through, and they inspired so many of us to really analyse how we act as professionals in the healthcare industry. The support, care, advice and teaching we received helped prepare us for our future careers.”

Daniel Carlei
Master of Nursing Practice graduate (2019)