

Nursing

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Nursing

Midwifery

Nursing –
Clinical leadership



2021 Undergraduate

Make a genuine difference

Deakin's School of Nursing and Midwifery is ranked in the top 1% of universities globally¹. Take advantage of our courses, which focus on evidence-based practice and current industry trends. If you enjoy working in a team and have good communication and decision-making skills, a career in nursing and midwifery may be right for you.

¹ 2019 QS World University Rankings.

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Your future in nursing and midwifery

Gain professional accreditation

Our nursing and midwifery courses are accredited by the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council and approved by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia, ensuring clear career outcomes upon graduation. This means after completing a Deakin nursing course, you're eligible to apply for registration as a registered nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia. On completion of the Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery, you're also eligible to register as a midwife.

Pursue a career rich with opportunity

As a Deakin nursing graduate you'll be highly sought-after for your:

- ability to provide high-quality, person-centred and evidence-based care focused towards improving patient outcomes
- communication skills
- enthusiasm
- nursing knowledge
- problem-solving capabilities
- professionalism.

As a registered nurse, you can work in a range of settings, including:

- aged care
- clinics
- community health centres
- government agencies and private industry
- homes
- hospices
- hospitals
- schools
- universities.

Study with the best

The School of Nursing and Midwifery is ranked in the top two universities in Victoria for nursing.¹ This ranking is based on:

- academic reputation
- employer reputation
- research impact.

¹ 2019 QS World University Rankings.

When you're not on a clinical placement, you'll be learning in purpose-built spaces with state-of-the-art equipment.



Your future in nursing and midwifery

Experience practical, hands-on learning

Early exposure to clinical environments lets you develop and consolidate your skills, so you graduate job-ready. When you're not on a clinical placement, you'll be learning in purpose-built spaces with state-of-the-art equipment.



Develop core skills in our Clinical Simulation Centres

Our campuses in Melbourne, Geelong Waterfront and Warrnambool each have a Clinical Simulation Centre.

Purpose-built, flexible learning spaces and simulated clinical settings offer a safe, supportive and realistic environment for you to develop essential clinical nursing and midwifery skills.

The simulated learning spaces replicate hospital and community environments with equipment and facilities like:

- cardiac monitoring devices
- disposable dressing packs
- hand basins
- high-fidelity human-patient simulators
- resuscitation trolleys
- wall oxygen and suction
- web-based resources: online library access, journals and pharmacology resources.

deakin.edu.au/nursing-midwifery/facilities



Nursing clinical placements start in year 1 giving you early exposure to clinical environments.

Learn in real-life settings

Clinical placements begin in Trimester 1 of your first year and continue throughout your course in every trimester. They offer extensive opportunities to develop and consolidate your learning, and are undertaken in various metropolitan, regional and rural health care settings under the supervision of qualified practitioners.

You can complete the majority of your placements within one organisation – our fellowship program – or opt to attend different hospitals and settings – the choice is yours.

Our clinical partnership networks include¹:

- Alfred Health
- Austin Health
- Barwon Health
- Eastern Health
- Epworth HealthCare
- Healthscope – Holmesglen Private, Knox Private, Melbourne Private
- Melbourne Health
- Mercy Health
- Monash Health
- Mulgrave Private
- Ramsay Health Care
- South West Healthcare
- St John of God Geelong
- St John of God Warrnambool
- Western Health.

¹ We partner with a range of health services, so this list is not exhaustive.

'I worked alongside nurses of varying experience to further develop the skills and knowledge I learnt at university. I was able to ask questions about real-life scenarios, and ultimately watch the outcomes. There is no comparison to on-the-job training.'

Chloe Hunt

Bachelor of Nursing graduate
Graduate Nurse, Royal Women's Hospital, Newborn Intensive Care Unit (NICU)



#1 university in Victoria for student satisfaction

Year on year, our students are the most satisfied students of all Victorian universities¹. We've ranked this highly for the past 10 years, with students being particularly happy with our:

- teaching
- learning resources
- student support
- skills development
- learner engagement.

¹ Australian Graduate Survey 2010–2015, Graduate Outcomes Survey 2016–2019 (GOS), Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT).

Your future in nursing and midwifery

Travel overseas

See the world with an international exchange or study tour. For example, Bachelor of Nursing students can undertake a trimester with VIA University College, Viborg (Denmark), and gain credit towards their degree.

You can also participate in an international study tour as an elective unit, exploring health care in countries like Bhutan, China, the Philippines or Thailand¹. These international experiences help you appreciate a nurse's role in different environments and understand the meaning of global citizenship through practical experience.

¹ All School of Nursing and Midwifery students are able to apply for study tours.

Join the Peer Mentoring Program

Sign up to the Faculty of Health's Peer Mentoring Program in your first year at Deakin to get support and guidance from more senior students in your course. You'll learn about the support services and facilities available, while gaining useful tips about studying at Deakin.

deakin.edu.au/students/faculties/faculty-of-health/student-support/peer-mentoring



'Deakin provides a diverse and supportive environment for learning. I am very pleased with how approachable and accommodating the academic staff have been.'

Paolo Rosales
Bachelor of Nursing student

Courses to careers

Visit explore.deakin.edu.au to kickstart your course and career exploration. With more than 600 paired courses and careers, it's the perfect destination for you to discover your future career.



#1 careers service in Australia¹

Prepare yourself for the jobs and careers of the future. Access our career centre, DeakinTALENT, and use its programs and services to research different career options, hone your interview skills, look for casual work while you study or find a graduate job.

deakintalent.deakin.edu.au

¹ Australian Graduate Recruitment Industry Awards (AGRIA) – 2017, 2018 and 2019.

We'll support your learning

A Deakin scholarship acknowledges and rewards your accomplishments and hard work. We offer scholarships for all sorts of situations, whether it's helping you overcome disadvantage or recognising academic merit.

Use our scholarship search tool to find all the scholarships that you could be eligible for.

deakin.edu.au/courses/scholarships/find-a-scholarship

Scholarships are also available through the Australian College of Nursing (ACN), a major professional body responsible for the management and administration of a variety of scholarships for nursing and midwifery students.

acn.edu.au/scholarships

They are also available through many other bodies, including Rural Health Workforce Australia.

Courses

Deakin code	S342	Cloud Campus	C
Course duration in years	3	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
Trimester	T	Geelong Waterfront Campus	WF
		Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus	WLP
		Warrnambool Campus	WB
		NIKERI Institute	NIK

Bachelor of Nursing¹

H326 **B** **WF** **WB** **NIK** **3** T1, T2^{2,3}, T3^{2,3}

Deakin's Bachelor of Nursing gives you the knowledge, skills and ethical understanding you need to become a competent and successful registered nurse. This course prepares you to provide high-quality, safe, patient-centred care in a range of settings, with clinical placements starting from year 1.

Professional recognition

On successful completion of your course, you'll be eligible to apply for registration as a registered nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).⁴

Careers

As a Deakin nursing graduate, you'll be highly sought-after for your nursing and health sector knowledge, communication skills, professionalism and ability to provide personal, evidence-based care – which is why we're proud to record a high graduate employment rate of over 94%.⁵

As a registered nurse, you can pursue career opportunities around the world in a range of work settings, including:

- aged care
- clinics
- community health centres
- government agencies and private industry
- homes
- hospices
- hospitals
- schools
- universities.

Work experience

You will gain clinical experience in a variety of settings, which may include acute/sub-acute care, medical and surgical care, aged care, rehabilitation, paediatrics, community nursing and mental health nursing. These clinical placements will be undertaken in hospitals and community health centres in metropolitan, rural and regional areas.

Clinical placement requirements

See page 12.

Course structure^{6,7}

This course consists of 24 credit points including 17 core units, which are a combination of 1 and 2 credit point units and three elective units. At least one of the elective units must be taken at level 2 or 3.

Trimester 1

Year 1

Quality and Safety in Health Care
Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology
Understanding Health
Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 1

Trimester 2

Understanding Research Evidence
Health Assessment
Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 2

Year 2⁸

Community Nursing Practice
Mental Health and Illness
Elective

Quality Use of Medicines
Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 3
Elective

Year 3

Leadership and Clinical Governance
The Older Person and Supportive Care
Chronic Illness and Supportive Care
Elective

Child and Adolescent Health
Mental Health Promotion
Comprehensive Nursing Practice

deakin.edu.au/course/bachelor-nursing

- 1 All commencing students will be required to demonstrate English language proficiency – refer to deakin.edu.au/course/H326 for current information.
- 2 Trimester 2 and 3 intakes are for applicants who are registered as an enrolled nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).
- 3 Students will study at the Melbourne Burwood Campus in Trimester 3 then return to their enrolled campus.
- 4 This course is currently accredited by the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council (ANMAC) and is an NMBA approved course at the date of publishing.
- 5 Australian Graduate Survey 2010–2015, Graduate Outcomes Survey 2017–2019 (GOS), Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT).
- 6 This course structure should be used as a guide only and advice should be sought when selecting units.
- 7 Academic Integrity (HAI018) is a compulsory 0-credit-point unit that you must undertake as part of this course.
- 8 At the Melbourne Burwood Campus and Geelong Waterfront Campus, these units can be completed in either T1 or T2.



You will gain clinical experience in a variety of settings in metropolitan, rural and regional areas.

Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership)^{1,2} **H329** **B** **3** T1

The Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership) is the only undergraduate degree of its kind in Victoria, giving you individualised mentoring in clinical leadership. You'll gain the same knowledge and skills as students in the Bachelor of Nursing, but with additional expertise in clinical nursing leadership and management, which may help to shape the direction of your future career in nursing.

Professional recognition

On successful completion of your course, you'll be eligible to apply for registration as a registered nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).³

Careers

As the only nursing course of its kind in Victoria you'll graduate from the Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership) confident that the skills and knowledge you've gained will set you apart from other nursing graduates. Deakin nursing graduates are highly sought-after for the high-level knowledge, skills, expertise, professionalism and communication skills they bring to the workplace. With additional skills and knowledge in clinical leadership, you will be well placed to pursue a wide range of nursing careers in different settings, including potential leadership and management roles.

Work experience

You will gain clinical experience in a variety of settings, which may include acute/sub-acute care, medical and surgical care, aged care, rehabilitation, paediatrics, community nursing and mental health nursing. These clinical placements will be undertaken in hospitals and community health centres in metropolitan, rural and regional areas.

In addition, as part of the core leadership units that set this course apart from the Bachelor of Nursing, you will participate in mentored learning experiences, providing you with the opportunity to observe and work with:

- clinical nurse leaders from our partners in clinical settings
- research professors and world-class educators from the School of Nursing and Midwifery.

Clinical placement requirements

See page 12.

'I chose the fellowship program because it offers a lot of educational and career opportunities. Career-wise, I do my training at the Eastern Health hospitals so get to know a lot of the staff here and develop a good rapport with the Eastern Health community.'

Bethany Wallach

Bachelor of Nursing student
Eastern Health fellowship student

Course structure^{4,5}

This course consists of 24 credit points and includes the same core units as the Bachelor of Nursing, with the addition of three units covering leadership and management: Perspectives on Leadership and Management, Perspectives on Research Leadership, and Perspectives on Educational Leadership.

Trimester 1

Year 1

Quality and Safety in Health Care
Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology
Understanding Health
Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 1

Trimester 2

Understanding Research Evidence
Health Assessment
Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 2

Year 2

Quality Use of Medicines
Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 3
Perspectives on Leadership and Management

Community Nursing Practice
Mental Health and Illness
Perspectives on Research Leadership

Year 3

Leadership and Clinical Governance
The Older Person and Supportive Care
Chronic Illness and Supportive Care
Perspectives on Educational Leadership

Child and Adolescent Health
Mental Health Promotion
Comprehensive Nursing Practice

deakin.edu.au/course/bachelor-nursing-clinical-leadership

- 1 All commencing students will be required to demonstrate English language proficiency – refer to deakin.edu.au/course/H329 for current information.
- 2 This course is not available to international students.
- 3 This course is currently accredited by the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council (ANMAC) and is an NMBA approved course at the date of publishing.
- 4 This course structure should be used as a guide only and advice should be sought when selecting units.
- 5 Academic Integrity (HAI018) is a compulsory 0-credit-point unit that you must undertake as part of this course.

Double your potential

Broaden your career potential and combine your studies in nursing with complementary study areas in one of the following combined courses:

- Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery
- Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Psychological Science
- Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion.

Combined courses

Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery¹ **D355** **B** **WF** **WB** **4** **T1**

Midwives play an invaluable role in facilitating childbirth and caring for mothers and babies throughout pregnancy, labour and beyond. With Deakin's combined Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery, you'll graduate with the skills and knowledge to gain registration as a nurse and a midwife, opening the door to a highly rewarding and diverse career.

Professional recognition

This course is specifically designed to fulfil the registration requirements of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) for both a registered nurse and registered midwife.

Careers

Nursing and midwifery is a career rich with opportunity. As a Deakin graduate, you'll be highly sought-after for your professionalism and the many transferable skills you'll obtain, such as:

- communication
- critical thinking and problem solving
- health sector knowledge
- nursing and midwifery skills.

You'll enter the world of nursing and midwifery with the ability to provide high-quality, person-centred and evidence-based care focused on improving patient outcomes.

Course structure^{2,3}

This course consists of 32 credit points including 10 credit points grouped for both nursing and midwifery, plus 11 credit points specific to nursing and a further 11 credit points specific to midwifery.

	Trimester 1	Trimester 2
Year 1	Quality and Safety in Health Care Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 1 Partnerships in Midwifery Care 1	Health Assessment Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 2 Partnerships in Midwifery Care 2
Year 2	Quality Use of Medicines Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 3 Partnerships in Midwifery Care 3	Understanding Health Mental Health and Illness Collaboration in Midwifery Care
Year 3	The Older Person and Supportive Care Chronic Illness and Supportive Care Community Nursing Practice Challenges in Infant Care	Child and Adolescent Health Understanding Research Evidence Midwifery Practice 1
Year 4	Leadership and Clinical Governance Complexities in Midwifery Care Midwifery Practice 2	Mental Health Promotion Comprehensive Nursing Practice Primary Midwifery Practice

- 1 All commencing students will be required to demonstrate English language proficiency – refer to deakin.edu.au/course/D355 for current information.
- 2 This course structure should be used as a guide only and advice should be sought when selecting units.
- 3 Academic Integrity (HAI018) is a compulsory 0-credit-point unit that you must undertake as part of this course.

As a registered nurse and registered midwife, you can pursue a global career in a range of work settings, such as:

- acute care/sub-acute care
- aged care
- clinics
- community health centres
- emergency departments
- government agencies and private industry

- homes
- hospices
- hospitals
- maternity services
- neonatal care
- paediatrics
- rehabilitation
- schools
- universities.

Nursing and midwifery are diverse professions with a number of specialty areas available. We encourage you to look at continuing professional development throughout your career; this may include postgraduate degrees and/or research degrees, including masters and PhDs.

Work experience

You will gain 41 weeks of clinical experience in a variety of settings, which may include acute/sub-acute care, medical and surgical care, aged care, rehabilitation, paediatrics, community nursing and mental health nursing. Midwifery clinical experiences include all areas of midwifery practice, including pregnancy care, labour and birth, postnatal care and neonatal care across a range of hospitals providing maternity services in metropolitan, regional and rural settings.

Clinical placement requirements

See page 12.



'I could not be happier with the combined course. The teachers at Deakin are extremely supportive; we have lots of class discussions, which I find interesting, and there has been more practical experience than I had expected, which is also a positive.'

Bianca Bartholomew

Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery graduate
 Graduate year at Monash Health as a nurse and midwife

Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Psychological Science¹

D387 **B** **WF** **WB** **4** **T1**

Deakin's Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Psychological Science develops your understanding of human behaviour and helps build the skills you need to become a competent and successful nurse. Armed with a wealth of real-world knowledge through your clinical placements, you'll graduate ready for work as a registered nurse and be eligible to pursue further study towards becoming a registered psychologist.

Professional recognition

On successful completion of your course, you'll be eligible to apply for registration as a registered nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).²

You'll also have completed a three-year undergraduate psychology sequence that is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC), enabling you to undertake additional study in pursuit of provisional registration.

Careers

As a registered nurse with psychology experience, you'll be well placed to pursue career opportunities around the world, in a range of work settings, including:

- aged care
- careers counselling
- community development and work/life counselling
- community health centres
- government agencies and private industry
- homes
- hospices
- mental health rehabilitation
- public and private clinics
- public and private hospitals
- schools
- universities
- youth work.

Pathway to psychology registration

If you're interested in pursuing a professional career in psychology, you'll need to complete an approved fourth year of psychology study such as Deakin's Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours), or the Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Advanced)). After this, you may apply for provisional registration with the Psychology Board of Australia and seek associate membership of the Australian Psychological Society.

- 1 All commencing students will be required to demonstrate English language proficiency – refer to deakin.edu.au/course/D387 for current information.
- 2 The NMBA has registration requirements that must be met in order to register. Course completion is one of these requirements.
- 3 Academic Integrity (HAI018) is a compulsory 0-credit-point unit that you must undertake as part of this course.

To gain general registration, provisional psychologists must then complete a minimum of two years of postgraduate study, such as a Master of Psychology (Clinical), Master of Psychology (Organisational), Master of Professional Psychology, or Doctor of Psychology (Clinical) (with supervised practice completed outside the degree).

Work experience

You'll gain clinical experience in a variety of settings, which may include acute/sub-acute care, medical and surgical care, aged care, rehabilitation, paediatrics, community nursing and mental health nursing. These clinical placements will be undertaken in hospitals and community health centres in metropolitan, rural and regional areas.

Clinical placement requirements

See page 12.

Course structure³

This course consists of 32 credit points. An honours year is available to eligible students upon completion of this degree.

You'll complete the APAC-accredited psychology sequence within the Bachelor of Psychological Science. Some of the units you'll study are outlined below.

- Psychology A: fundamentals of human behaviour
- Psychology B: individual and social development
- The human mind
- Human social behaviour
- Brain, biology and behaviour.



Clinical experience in midwifery covers all areas of midwifery practice, including pregnancy care, labour and birth, postnatal care and neonatal care.

Courses

Deakin code	S342	Cloud Campus	C
Course duration in years	3	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
Trimester	T	Geelong Waterfront Campus	WF
		Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus	WP
		Warrnambool Campus	WB

Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion¹ **D381** **B** **A** **T1**

Gain a valuable qualification in nursing, along with a deep understanding of the contributors to population health and the skills needed to help people engage in healthier lifestyles. Deakin's Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion allows you to make a difference in health outcomes of individuals, communities and global populations.

Professional recognition

On successful completion of your course, you'll be eligible to apply for registration as a registered nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA). You may also be eligible to become a member of the Public Health Association of Australia (PHAA) and the Australian Health Promotion Association (AHPA).²

Careers

As a registered nurse with public health and health promotion knowledge, you can pursue career opportunities around the world in a range of work settings, including:

- aged care
- clinics
- community health centres
- government agencies and private industry
- homes
- hospices
- hospitals
- schools
- universities.

The skills you'll develop in the growing public health and health promotion area will qualify you to work in diverse areas, including:

- health and human services
- health education
- health policy development and implementation
- public health communication.

Your knowledge of the social and environmental factors that affect the health of individuals and populations will prepare you for a career in a range of clinical and community settings, such as:

- health education
- patient support agencies
- public health
- rehabilitation
- schools
- voluntary organisations
- work abroad.

Work experience

From Trimester 1 of your first year of study, you'll start clinical placements, developing clinical skills under the supervision of registered nurses and working in multidisciplinary health care teams. A Public Health and Health Promotion Practicum unit offers an in-depth working understanding of public health and health promotion principles and approaches in the field.

Clinical placement requirements

See page 12.

Course structure

This course consists of 32 credit points. An honours year is available to eligible students upon completion of this degree.

Some of the Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion core units that you'll complete are outlined below:

- Epidemiology and biostatistics 1
- Health communication
- Local and global environments for health
- Population health: a research perspective
- Understanding health.

¹ All commencing students will be required to demonstrate English language proficiency – refer to deakin.edu.au/course/D381 for current information.

² Note: the NMBA has registration requirements that must be met in order to register. Course completion is one of these requirements. Bachelor of Nursing component: This course is currently accredited by the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council and is an NMBA approved course at the date of publishing. Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion component: All information regarding professional recognition is accurate at the date of publication. Enquiries regarding accreditation and professional membership should be directed to the School of Health and Social Development in order to ascertain the current status of accreditation at any future point in time beyond publication. Representations about accreditation apply only to the course, and the relevant professional body retains discretion as to who they admit as members of their association. Deakin University cannot exercise any control over membership of an external body.



'I knew that I wanted to work in health care but I was unsure in which field, so studying a combined course was a great option. Deakin offered the flexibility of study options. I know I have a great foundation of skills that I built upon throughout my graduate year.'

Josh Dundas

Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion graduate
Nurse, Austin Health

Skills to get you a job

Gain a competitive edge in the workplace with real-world expertise and practical skills. Deakin is ranked the #1 university for both generic skills and good teaching in Victoria.¹

¹ Graduate Outcomes Survey 2019.



Course and entry requirements	Campus and ATAR	Course duration	Trimester intakes	Fee ¹
Bachelor of Nursing H326 Y12 ^{2,3} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or 30 in English (EAL). NY12 ^{3,4,5} As for Year 12 or equivalent, for further information refer to deakin.edu.au/course/H326	B 74.60 WF 63.15 WB 50.50 NIK ⁶	3	T1, T2 ⁷ , T3 ⁷	\$7342
Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership)⁸ H329 Y12 ^{2,3} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or 30 in English (EAL). NY12 ^{4,5} As for Year 12 or equivalent, for further information refer to deakin.edu.au/course/H329	B 84.80	3	T1	\$7418
Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery D355 Y12 ^{2,3} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or 30 in English (EAL). NY12 ^{3,4,5} As for Year 12 or equivalent, for further information refer to deakin.edu.au/course/D355	B 91.25 WF 86.15 WB 74.50	4	T1	\$7130
Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Psychological Science D387 Y12 ^{2,3} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or 30 in English (EAL). NY12 ^{3,4,5} As for Year 12 or equivalent, for further information refer to deakin.edu.au/course/D387	B 77.65 WF 72.60 WB NP	4	T1	\$7192
Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion D381 Y12 ^{2,3} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or 30 in English (EAL). NY12 ^{3,4,5} As for Year 12 or equivalent, for further information refer to deakin.edu.au/course/D381	B 75.50	4	T1	\$7754

Clinical placement requirements

Placement experiences are provided by a range of metropolitan, rural and regional partners. In accordance with Department of Health and Human Services policy⁹, nursing students are required to undertake an annual Police Record Check and a Working with Children Check at the start of their course (in accordance with the Working with Children Act 2005¹⁰). Students must provide evidence to the School of Nursing and Midwifery that their immunisations (vaccinations) are current before their clinical placement can commence.

Inherent requirements

There are a number of inherent requirements that are essential to safely undertake and complete the undergraduate nursing and midwifery courses, and to practise safely as a registered nurse and/or midwife.

For information, please refer to the School of Nursing and Midwifery's Undergraduate Courses: Inherent Requirements at deakin.edu.au/students/faculties/faculty-of-health/school-of-nursing-and-midwifery/sonm-inherent-requirements.

- The 2020 indicative Commonwealth Supported Place (CSP) fee is based on a typical enrolment for an Australian domestic student enrolled in two trimesters of full-time study, or 8 credit points, unless otherwise indicated. This fee should be used as a guide only and is subject to change.
- Recent secondary education applicants include current Year 12 students in 2020, as well as Year 12 graduates from 2019 and 2018.
- International student entry requirements can be found at: deakin.edu.au/international-students.
- There are four categories under which non-Year 12 applicants may apply to Deakin:
 - applicants with higher education study
 - applicants with Vocational Education and Training (VET) study
 - applicants with work and life experience
 - applicants who completed Year 12 in 2017 or earlier.
 Visit deakin.edu.au/course and head to the course of interest to find out further details on admission requirements.
- All nursing and midwifery undergraduate courses require a Special Tertiary Admissions Test Multiple Choice (STAT MC) where the applicant has not completed Year 12 (or equivalent) or any tertiary study (minimum Certificate IV) within the last 10 years (from commencement date of the course applied for). Enrolled nurses applying for nursing courses are not required to sit the STAT MC.
- This course is also available at the National Indigenous Knowledges, Education, Research and Innovation Institute. Find out more at deakin.edu.au/nikeri.
- Trimester 2 and 3 intakes are for applicants who are registered as an enrolled nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).
- This course is not available to international students.
- Department of Health and Human Services Policy on Working with Children Check and Police Record Check can be found at: dhs.vic.gov.au.
- Working with Children Act 2005 (No.57, 2005), retrieved 18 December 2015 from legislation.vic.gov.au.

NP means not published – less than five offers made to recent secondary education applicants.

2020 Nursing and midwifery mid-year information sessions

To register and find out more information, please visit deakin.edu.au/health/events.

Cloud Campus **C**
 Melbourne Burwood Campus **B**
 Geelong Waterfront Campus **WF**
 Geelong Warrnambool Campus **WP**
 Warrnambool Campus **WB**
 NIKERI Institute **NIK**

Recent secondary education
 Non-Year 12 **NY12**

Contact us

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Prospective student enquiries

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Discover Deakin

To stay up to date with all course information sessions and events for prospective undergraduate students, visit deakin.edu.au/discover-deakin.

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- twitter.com/Deakin
- twitter.com/DeakinHealth
- instagram.com/DeakinUniversity
- Search Deakin University

Other useful websites

vtac.edu.au
studyassist.gov.au
myfuture.edu.au
youth.gov.au
youthcentral.vic.gov.au

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Advice for life, learning and career

Visit this.deakin.edu.au to help you reach your potential in Year 12 and beyond. Hear from academic experts, industry professionals and inspirational students.

Course information evenings

Visit us on campus to find out more about your chosen course. deakin.edu.au/health/events

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