Graduate Certificate in Clinical Nursing

UNDA Course Code 4092
Not available for international students
2010

INTRODUCTION
The School of Nursing and various Health Services jointly provide the opportunity for the Graduate Registered Nurse to study the Graduate Certificate in Clinical Nursing.

The duration of the program is one year and students will be full-time employees of the respective Health Service. Current partners include:

Swan Kalamunda Health Service
Armadale Health Service
Fremantle Hospital and Health Service
Bentley Hospital
Mercy Hospital
Mount Hospital
Rockingham General Hospital
WA Country Health Service
St John of God Healthcare (Murdoch)
St John of God Healthcare (Subiaco)
South Perth Hospital
Perth Clinic

The Graduate Certificate in Clinical Nursing program is aimed at developing clinical confidence in decision making and the enhancement of clinical skills and knowledge in the Registered Nurse as an advanced beginner. This will take place through the provision of structured clinical rotations, skill development and technical knowledge enhancement, in partnership with The University of Notre Dame Australia.

COURSE OUTLINE
There are four units of study:

Advanced Health Assessment
Clinical Nursing Practicum 1
Clinical Nursing Practicum 2
Clinical Governance

Please note the course sequence and unit titles may be subject to change.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
The program will be available to students who have a previous Nursing degree or equivalent. Students must be, or eligible for, registration with the Nurses and Midwives Board of Western Australia. International applicants must obtain, or already have a current visa, work permit and offer of employment from one of our health service partners prior to enrolment.

Applications will be available from the health service coordinator in consultation with the University’s Post Graduate Coordinator. For further information please contact the Postgraduate Coordinator, School of Nursing on 9433 0249.

MODE OF STUDY & ASSESSMENT
This is a part-time program. Classes are as per the organisation of the graduate program by the respective health service. Students should discuss their study program with the health service course coordinator before commencing. The assessment of each unit is variable and will depend on individual graduate programs. Students will be able to graduate from the University of Notre Dame Australia.

FURTHER INFORMATION
The information contained in this publication is designed as a basic course description. If you would like further details regarding the courses, or information pertaining to admissions, fees or the University itself, please consult the University prospectus.

If you would like to view the University facilities please contact the Prospective Students Office on (08) 9433 0533 or at future@nd.edu.au.

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