

Graduate Diploma of Nursing (GDNG) - GDNursing

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Start:	Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (July)	Semester 1 (February) Semester 2 (July)
Fees:	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place	Commonwealth supported place Domestic full fee paying place International full fee paying place
Standard duration:	2 years part-time	
Program articulation:	From: ; Graduate Certificate of Nursing To: ; Master of Nursing	

Notes:

In 2023 the programs follows the Semester calendar. The [Academic Calendar and Important Dates](#) webpage will allow you to view and download a copy of the important dates for the Semester calendar.

Footnotes

- # The Mental Health specialisation contains two courses with mandatory residential schools. Residential Schools will be held at either the Toowoomba or Ipswich campus.
- + The Rural and Remote specialisation has one course, ANP5002 with a clinical component. ANP5002 is only available to students who hold current Division 1 nursing registration with the Australian Health Professional Registration Authority (AHPRA) and are located in Australia.

Contact us

Future Australian and New Zealand students	Future International students	Current students
		Ask a question Freecall (within Australia): 1800

- The **General** specialisation enables students to personalise the courses studied to suit their specific needs.

Program objectives

On successful completion of this program a graduate should be able to:

- Apply specialized knowledge, skills and technical competencies across a variety of health contexts.
- Communicate professionally and ethically in interpersonal, inter-professional and intercultural situations with people of diverse ages, backgrounds and needs.
- Collaborate with a range of healthcare professionals to provide patient care that meets and exceeds the national standards for nursing practice and achieve common goals.
- Reflect on practice to facilitate awareness and knowledge of one's own cognition and abilities, establishing a mechanism for lifelong learning.
- Critically analyse, synthesise and evaluate a range of data and evidence to provide solutions to complex nursing problems.

Australian Qualifications Framework

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the courses undertaken. Students are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Schedules](#).

Choose two of the following three courses:	2	EXT
COU8103 Counselling Issues and Contexts #	1	EXT
COU8101 Counselling Skills and Applications #	2	EXT
COU8104 Counselling Frameworks #		
NUR8550 Professional Studies 1	1,2	ONL
MHN5160 Advanced Mental Health Nursing 2	1	ONL

Footnotes

This course has a mandatory residential school

Rural and Remote

COU8104 Counselling Frameworks [#]	2	EXT
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- + ANP5002 is only available to students who hold current Division 1 nursing registration with the Australian Health Professional Registration Authority (AHPRA) and are located in Australia.
- * Clinical component
- # This course has a mandatory residential school

Residential schools

The attendance requirement of residential schools within this degree is indicated by the following letters: R = Recommended; HR = Highly Recommended; M = Mandatory. To find out more about [residential schools](#), visit the [Residential School Schedule](#) to view specific dates for your degree, or visit the [Policy and Procedure Library](#).

The attendance requirement of residential schools within this degree is indicated by the following letters: V = V

Leadership and Management in Health specialisation (clinical) recommended enrolment pattern – Semester 1 entry part time

Mental Health specialisation (clinical) recommended enrolment pattern – Semester 1 entry part time

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Rural and Remote specialisation (clinical) recommended enrolment pattern – Semester 1 entry part time


