Faculty of Health

Hear from the faculty of Health highlighting major changes to ATARS, prerequisites, and new courses. Also hear about Food and Nutrition at Deakin and 50 or more careers in Nursing.
SCHOOL OF
NURSING AND MIDWIFERY

- Melbourne Burwood Campus
- Geelong Waterfront Campus
- Warrnambool Campus
- Institute of Koorie Education

- 56 continuing staff across our four campuses

- Undergraduate students - 2300
  Postgraduate students - 500

Bachelor of Nursing
- Melbourne Burwood, Geelong Waterfront, Warrnambool
- 3 years; 21 weeks clinical placement

Nursing / Midwifery
- Melbourne Burwood, Geelong Waterfront, Warrnambool
- 4 years; 42 weeks clinical placement

Nursing / Applied Science (Psychology)
- Melbourne Burwood, Geelong Waterfront, Warrnambool
- 4 years; 21 weeks clinical placement

Nursing / Public Health and Health Promotion
- Melbourne Burwood
- 4 years; 21 weeks clinical placement
DEAKIN DISTINCTIVE FEATURES

• Practical experience commences in trimester one, year one

• International study tour opportunities
  • Bhutan, Philippines, Thailand, China
  • Opportunity to undertake a trimester overseas

• Industry partners
  • Joint professorial appointments with 8 leading health organisations (Alfred Health, Barwon Health, Cabrini Health, Eastern Health, Epworth Healthcare, Southern Health, Northern Health and Uniting Care Community Options) and clinical placement agreements with 200 health care agencies
  • Optional Fellowship model for clinical
# Clinical Placements

These are fulltime placements, working with a buddy nurse.

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<th>Year</th>
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Total of 21 weeks

- Acute care: 9 weeks
- Complex acute care: 5 weeks
- Aged care: 2 weeks
- Mental Health: 4 weeks
- Community health: 1 week
ELECTIVES

• Bachelor of Nursing students undertake 3 elective units
• Include:
  – Perioperative Nursing
  – Rural Nursing
  – International Nursing Study Tour
  – Interprofessional Collaboration in Health Care
  – any other unit in the university from any area of study subject to pre-requisites.

There are no electives in the combined nursing degree.
ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR YEAR 12 APPLICANTS

• Prerequisites:
  – units 3 and 4 and a study score of at least 30 in English (ESL) or 25 in any other English

• Middleband:
  – Consideration will be given to performance in English (any), Maths (any), Biology, Health and Human Development, and to Deakin Access and Equity Program applicants.

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FAQS

• Postgrad medicine

• Options if unsuccessful in a BN place
  – Single units of study (preferable)
  – Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled nurse)
  – MIBT
FAQ’S

• Midwifery
  – Postgraduate midwifery pathway
  – Possible course transfer into midwifery from BN at end year 1

• Combined degrees
  – Retention and course transfer
  – Career options / value
Bachelor of Nursing or combined degree

- Honours
  - PhD or Professional Doctorate

- Graduate Diploma

- Masters
  - PhD or Professional Doctorate

- Graduate Certificate

- Graduate Diploma
CAREER POSSIBILITIES

- Clinical (acute, subacute, community, remote)
  - RN
  - CNS
  - Nurse Practitioner
- Education (clinical, industry, university, colleges)
- Management (clinical, industry, university, colleges)
- Research (clinical, industry, university, colleges)
- Administration and policy (government, industry, hospitals, university)
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