

Nursing

Midwifery

Nursing –
Clinical leadership

Nursing and midwifery



2024 Undergraduate

Make a genuine difference

Deakin's School of Nursing and Midwifery is ranked in the top 20 in the world for nursing.¹ Take advantage of our courses, which focus on evidence-based practice and current industry trends with access to the school's extensive cutting-edge research, which is recognised as well above world standard.² 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 2022 ShanghaiRankings Ranking of Academic Subjects.

² Excellence in Research Australia (ERA) 2018

Acknowledgement of Country

Deakin University acknowledges the Traditional Custodians of all the unceded lands, skies and waterways on which Deakin students, staff and communities come together. As we learn and teach through virtually and physically constructed places across time, we pay our deep respect to the Ancestors and Elders of Wadawurrung Country, Eastern Maar Country and Wurundjeri Country, where our physical campuses are located. We also acknowledge the many First Nations from where students join us online and make vital contributions to our learning communities.

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 or midwifery graduate, you'll be highly sought after for your:

- ability to provide high-quality, person-centred and evidence-based care focused on improving patient outcomes
- communication skills
- nursing and health sector 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

Deakin's School of Nursing and Midwifery is ranked in the top 20 in the world – a testament to the quality of our courses and research.¹ This ranking is based on:

- academic reputation
- employer reputation
- research impact.

¹ 2022 ShanghaiRankings Ranking of Academic Subjects.

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 and with confidence. 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 world-class clinical simulation centre.

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

Simulating real hospital and community environments, the centres boast all the state-of-the-art equipment you'll encounter on your clinical placements.

Resources at the centres include:

- beds, hand basins and wall oxygen
- disposable dressing packs and injection equipment
- lifting machines
- resuscitation trolleys
- suction outlets and cardio monitoring systems
- technologically advanced and responsive human-patient simulation mannequins
- web-based resources: online library access, journals and pharmacology resources.

In 2022, our Melbourne Burwood Campus opened five new simulation wards, additional student practice spaces, treatment rooms and high-fidelity simulation spaces. Co-funded by the Victorian Higher Education State Investment Fund (VHESIF), these new teaching and learning facilities provide a fantastic learning experience in a fully simulated new hospital environment, preparing you to manage challenging scenarios to ensure quality and safe patient care.

deakin.edu.au/nursing-midwifery/facilities

Join the Peer Mentor Program

Sign up to the Faculty of Health's Peer Mentor Program in your first year at Deakin to get support and guidance from 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/health-mentoring

'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)



Your future in nursing and midwifery

Learn in real-life settings

Clinical placements begin in Trimester 1 of your first year and continue throughout your course in every trimester. They provide 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 include:¹

- 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
- St John of God Geelong
- St John of God Warrnambool
- South West Healthcare
- Western Health.

¹ The School of Nursing and Midwifery partners with a wide range of health services, so this list is not exhaustive.

See our world-class learning facilities

Get an insight into our state-of-the-art facilities available to nursing and midwifery students within the Faculty of Health.

Scan to explore



Nursing clinical placements start in the first trimester of study in first year, giving you early exposure to clinical environments.

Your future in nursing and midwifery

Gain international experience

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 such as the Philippines, Bhutan or Thailand.¹ These international experiences help you appreciate a nurse's role in different environments and understand the meaning of global citizenship through practical experience.

#1 Victorian university for course satisfaction

Year on year, Deakin's students have the highest course satisfaction rate of all Victorian universities.² We've ranked this highly for the past 13 years, with our students being particularly happy with our:

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

Deakin nursing graduates also report the highest employment rate of all Victorian university nursing graduates at over 93%.³

Be rewarded for your hard work

A Deakin scholarship is more than just a financial boost. It is our chance to acknowledge your accomplishments and reward your hard work, setting you on the path to success at university. Our extensive scholarship program includes three key scholarships:

- Vice-Chancellor's Academic Excellence Scholarship
- Deakin Scholarship for Excellence
- Deakin Student Support Scholarship.

We also offer a range of donor- and government-funded scholarships. Each is unique with differing criteria, rewarding aspiring students from diverse backgrounds.

Visit deakin.edu.au/scholarships.

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

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

1 All School of Nursing and Midwifery students are able to apply for study tours. Study tour locations are subject to change.

2 Australian Graduate Survey 2010–2015, Graduate Outcomes Survey 2016–2022, Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT).

3 Graduate Outcomes Survey 2019–2021, Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT).

Award-winning university career service¹

DeakinTalent will prepare you to secure the jobs of tomorrow. Our award-winning service is available to you from day one and will support you for the rest of your career. You'll have lifetime access to career coaching, industry networking opportunities and a comprehensive suite of digital resources helping you develop the most employable version of yourself.

deakintalent.deakin.edu.au

1 Australian Graduate Recruitment Industry Awards 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 winner for most popular career service in Australia; Employability award, 2021 Australian Financial Review Higher Education Awards.

Your future in nursing and midwifery



'The fact Deakin is so highly regarded by the health industry means my qualification will be widely respected, which will go a long way towards setting me up for employment after graduation. Each nursing placement is so incredibly rewarding – when I put on the Deakin uniform it comes with a sense of excitement, nervousness but a massive sense of pride.'

Josie Ellerton

Bachelor of Nursing graduate



Courses

Deakin code	S342	Online	O
ATAR	70.00	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
Not published	NP	Geelong Waterfront Campus	WF
Course duration in years	3	Geelong Warrnambool Campus	WP
Trimester	T	Warrnambool Campus	WB
		NIKERI Institute	NIK

Bachelor of Nursing

H326 **B** 73.00 **WF** 64.65 **WB** 53.15 **NIK** **3** **T1**

Deakin's Bachelor of Nursing gives you the knowledge, skills and ethical understanding you need to become a successful registered nurse – launching you into a career where you can make a real difference. Ranked 20th in the world,¹ this course prepares you to provide high-quality, safe, patient-centred care in a range of settings. Our state-of-the-art clinical simulation centres, which replicate real-world health service facilities, prepare you for your clinical placements.

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).

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 93%.²

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

- acute care/sub-acute care
- 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

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. An honours year is available to eligible students upon completion of this degree.

	Trimester 1	Trimester 2
Year 1	Quality and Safety in Health Care 1 Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology Evidence-Based Practice Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 1	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples' History, Culture and Health Care of the Child and Adolescent Person-Centred Health Assessment Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 2
Year 2	Quality Use of Medicines Acute Illness and Supportive Care Elective	Primary Health Care Mental Health and Supportive Care Elective
Year 3	Care of the Older Person Chronic Illness and Supportive Care Elective	Quality and Safety in Health Care 2 Mental Health and Wellbeing Quality and Safety: Comprehensive Nursing Practice

▶ Ready to find out more? Visit our course webpage for full details including pre-course and entry requirements, unit selection options and campus and trimester availability for domestic and international students, and more. deakin.edu.au/course/H326

- ¹ 2022 ShanghaiRankings Ranking of Academic Subjects.
- ² Graduate Outcomes Survey 2021.



Our flexible learning spaces and simulated clinical settings offer a safe, supportive and realistic environment for you to develop core clinical nursing and midwifery skills.

Courses

Deakin code	5342	Online	O
ATAR	70.00	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
Not published	NP	Geelong Waterfront Campus	WF
Course duration in years	3	Geelong Warrn Ponds Campus	WP
Trimester	T	Warrnambool Campus	WB
		NIKERI Institute	NIK

Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership)¹ **H329** **B** 80.95 **3** **T1**

Deakin's Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership) is the only undergraduate degree of its kind in Victoria. It builds on the core units of our Bachelor of Nursing with three additional units focused on developing and enhancing your leadership potential. Through mentored learning experiences in clinical settings, you will observe and work alongside nurse leaders from our partner organisations, and experienced academics from our School of Nursing and Midwifery, which is ranked 20th in the world.²

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).

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.

Course structure

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. An honours year is available to eligible students upon completion of this degree.

	Trimester 1	Trimester 2
Year 1	Quality and Safety in Health Care 1 Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology Evidence-Based Practice Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 1	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples' History, Culture and Health Care of the Child and Adolescent Person-Centred Health Assessment Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 2
Year 2	Quality Use of Medicines Acute Illness and Supportive Care Perspectives on Leadership and Management	Primary Health Care Mental Health and Supportive Care Perspectives on Research Leadership
Year 3	Care of the Older Person Chronic Illness and Supportive Care Perspectives on Educational Leadership	Quality and Safety in Health Care 2 Mental Health and Wellbeing Quality and Safety: Comprehensive Nursing Practice

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'I chose the Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership) course because it was the only course of its kind in Australia. This afforded me the opportunity to experience and discover the role that leadership plays across all facets of nursing practice, an opportunity that has proven invaluable. I think the course is a perfect example of adapting to the changing needs of the industry.'

Eamon Tuke

Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership) graduate

Courses

Deakin code	S342	Online	O
ATAR	70.00	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
Not published	NP	Geelong Waterfront Campus	WF
Course duration in years	3	Geelong Warrnambool Campus	WP
Trimester	T	Warrnambool Campus	WB
		NIKERI Institute	NIK

Combined courses

Bachelor of Nursing/ Bachelor of Midwifery

D355 **B** 91.75 **WF** 87.90 **WB** 78.30 **4** **T1**

Join one of the strongest growth areas within the health sector with Deakin's Bachelor of Nursing/ Bachelor of Midwifery. Secure your future career, with midwifery job opportunities expected to grow by 21.6% by 2026.¹ Graduate with the knowledge, skills, and ethical understanding needed to become a successful registered nurse and midwife. Developed in consultation with our healthcare partners, ensuring you're always connected to those at the forefront of the industry, the course prepares you to provide high quality woman-centred midwifery care and patient-centred nursing care.

Professional recognition

On successful completion of your course, you will be eligible to apply for registration as a Registered Nurse and Midwife with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).

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, patient/ woman-centred and evidence-based care focused on improving patient/woman outcomes.

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
- 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 experience includes 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.

Course structure

This course consists of 32 credit points including 21 credit points for the Bachelor of Nursing and 11 credit points that are specific to midwifery.

	Trimester 1	Trimester 2
Year 1	Quality and Safety in Health Care 1 Introduction to Anatomy and Physiology Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 1 Evidence-Based Practice	Person-Centred Health Assessment Care of the Child and Adolescent Quality and Safety: Nursing Practice 2 Partnerships in Midwifery 1: Pregnancy Care
Year 2	Quality Use of Medicines Acute Illness and Supportive Care Partnerships in Midwifery 2: Labour and Birth Care	Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Peoples' History, Culture and Health Mental Health and Supportive Care Partnerships in Midwifery 3: Postnatal Care
Year 3	Chronic Illness and Supportive Care Complex Midwifery Care	Mental Health and Wellbeing Neonatal Challenges in Midwifery Practice Quality and Safety: Midwifery Practice 1
Year 4	Primary Health Care Care of the Older Person Emergency Midwifery Care Quality and Safety: Midwifery Practice 2	Quality and Safety in Health Care 2 Quality and Safety: Comprehensive Nursing Practice Contemporary Midwifery Practice

► Ready to find out more? Visit our course webpage for full details including pre-course and entry requirements, unit selection options and campus and trimester availability for domestic and international students, and more. deakin.edu.au/course/D355

1 2021 Employment Projections – for the five years to 2026, Jobs and Skills Australia.



Courses

Deakin code	S342	Online	O
ATAR	70.00	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
Not published	NP	Geelong Waterfront Campus	WF
Course duration in years	3	Geelong Warrnambool Campus	WP
Trimester	T	Warrnambool Campus	WB
		NIKERI Institute	NIK

Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Psychological Science

D387 **B** 81.00 **WF** 72.35 **WB** NP **4** **T1**

Deakin's Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Psychological Science develops your understanding of human behaviour and builds the skills needed to become a successful nurse. With a wealth of real-world skills gained through your clinical placements, you will graduate ready for work as a registered nurse from the #20 ranked nursing school in the world.¹ You will also be eligible to pursue further study towards qualification as 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).

You'll also have completed a three-year undergraduate psychology sequence that is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) and recognised for registration purposes by the Psychology Board of Australia (PsyBA). Following completion of the course you'll be eligible to undertake additional study in pursuit of provisional registration as a psychologist.

Careers

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

- acute care/sub-acute care
- 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.

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 structure

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:

- Introduction to Psychology: Human Behaviour
- Introduction to Psychology: Individual and Social Development
- Cognitive Psychology
- Social Psychology
- Biological Psychology (Brain and Behaviour).

► Ready to find out more? Visit our course webpage for full details including pre-course and entry requirements, unit selection options and campus and trimester availability for domestic and international students, and more. deakin.edu.au/course/D387

1 2022 ShanghaiRankings Ranking of Academic Subjects.



'This course has exceeded my expectations. I was surprised how hands-on it was from the start, whether it be our scope of practice on placements or the skills that we learn weekly in the simulation lab. Staff are always well prepared, approachable and are happy to answer questions and clarify information.'

Grace Armarego

Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery graduate

Courses

Deakin code	S342	Online	O
ATAR	70.00	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
Not published	NP	Geelong Waterfront Campus	WF
Course duration in years	3	Geelong Warrnambool Campus	WP
Trimester	T	Warrnambool Campus	WB
		NIKERI Institute	NIK

Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion **D381** **B** 73.20 **WF** 70.45 **4** **T1**

Graduate prepared for a successful career in the largest growing employment sector in Australia¹ and develop the knowledge, skills and ethical understanding to become a registered nurse, balanced with the skills required to empower people to lead healthier lifestyles. Deakin's Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion enables you to make a real difference in the 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).

Careers

As a registered nurse with public health and health promotion knowledge, you can pursue career opportunities 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 field of public health and health promotion 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
- working 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 include:

- Disease Prevention and Control
- Health Communication
- Local and Global Environments for Health
- Population Health: A Research Perspective.

▶ Ready to find out more? Visit our course webpage for full details including pre-course and entry requirements, unit selection options and campus and trimester availability for domestic and international students, and more. deakin.edu.au/course/D381

1 2021 Employment Projections – for the five years to 2026, Jobs and Skills Australia.



'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

At Deakin, every course is shaped by industry experts, ensuring you'll graduate with real-world expertise and practical skills – giving you a competitive edge in the workplace. Secure your future today at Victoria's #1 university for teaching quality¹ and overall educational experience.¹

1 2021 Student Experience Survey, Quality Indicators for Learning and Teaching (QILT).



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

Course and entry requirements	Campus and ATAR	Course duration	Trimester intakes	Indicative domestic fee ¹	Indicative international fee ¹
Bachelor of Nursing H326 deakin.edu.au/course/H326 ² [Y12] ^{4,5} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or at least 30 in English (EAL).	[B] 73.00 [WF] 64.65 [WB] 53.15 [NIK] ³	3	T1	\$4693	\$37,200
Bachelor of Nursing (Clinical Leadership)⁸ H329 deakin.edu.au/course/H329 ² [Y12] ⁴ VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or at least 30 in English (EAL).	[NY12] ^{5,6,7} As for Year 12 or equivalent; see webpage for further information.	3	T1	\$4710	N/A
Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Midwifery D355 deakin.edu.au/course/D355 ² [Y12] ^{4,5} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or at least 30 in English (EAL).	[B] 91.75 [WF] 87.90 [WB] 78.30 [NY12] ^{5,6,7} As for Year 12 or equivalent; see webpage for further information.	4	T1	\$4667	\$37,200
Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Psychological Science D387 deakin.edu.au/course/D387 ² [Y12] ^{4,5} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or at least 30 in English (EAL).	[B] 81.00 [WF] 72.35 [WB] NP [NY12] ^{5,6,7} As for Year 12 or equivalent; see webpage for further information.	4	T1	\$5481	\$37,200
Bachelor of Nursing/Bachelor of Public Health and Health Promotion D381 deakin.edu.au/course/D381 ² [Y12] ^{4,5} VCE units 3 and 4 – a study score of at least 25 in English other than EAL or at least 30 in English (EAL).	[B] 73.20 [WF] 70.45 [NY12] ^{5,6,7} As for Year 12 or equivalent; see webpage for further information.	4	T1	\$5249	\$37,200

Clinical placement requirements

Placement experiences are provided by a range of metropolitan, rural and regional partners. In accordance with Department of Health policy, all nursing students are required to undertake a Police Record Check and a Working with Children Check at the start of their course, in accordance with the *Worker Screening Act 2020*.⁹ Prior to commencing clinical placements, all students are required to confirm that their immunisations (vaccinations) are current and serology has been tested for infection status (blood borne viruses).

English language requirements

Applicants must demonstrate English language proficiency either by providing a written declaration that English is their primary language or evidence that they have achieved the minimum English language test results as specified in the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia's (NMBA) English language skills registration standard – refer to deakin.edu.au/course/H326 for current information.

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/sonm-inherent-requirements.

- 1 The 2023 indicative domestic/Commonwealth Supported Place (CSP) fees and the indicative international fees are based on a typical enrolment of two trimesters of full-time study, or 8 credit points, unless otherwise indicated. These fees should be used as a guide only and are subject to change in 2024. The fees displayed do not reflect the entire cost of the course if it's completed over a number of years and do not include the Student Services and Amenities Fee or course-related equipment costs.
- 2 Visit our course webpage for full details including pre-course and entry requirements, unit selection options and campus and trimester availability for domestic and international students, and more.
- 3 This course is also available at the National Indigenous Knowledges, Education, Research and Innovation (NIKERI) Institute. Find out more at deakin.edu.au/nikeri.
- 4 Recent secondary education applicants include current Year 12 students in 2023, as well as Year 12 graduates from 2022 and 2021.
- 5 International student entry requirements can be found at: deakin.edu.au/international-students.
- 6 For information about non-Year 12 applicant categories and associated admission requirements, please refer to the individual course webpage.
- 7 All Faculty of Health courses require a Special Tertiary Admissions Test Multiple Choice (STAT MC) where the applicant has not completed Year 12 (or equivalent) in the past 10 years (from commencement date of the course applied for). The STAT is not required if the applicant has undertaken any tertiary study (minimum Certificate IV). Applicants for nursing courses who are registered as an enrolled nurse are not required to sit the STAT MC.
- 8 This course is not available to international students.
- 9 Worker Screening Act 2020, (No. 34, 2020). Accessible at legislation.vic.gov.au.

N/A means not applicable.

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

Online	[O]
Melbourne Burwood Campus	[B]
Geelong Waterfront Campus	[WF]
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