



## Graduate Certificate in Professional Nursing (Domestic students)

### Program code

3345

### Available at

Online

### Duration

1 year part-time

### Credit points

40

### Indicative fee

\$4,500.00\* per year [\(more\)](#)

\* 2024 indicative annual CSP fee

### Admission requirements

Bachelor degree in Nursing and professional registration

[\(more\)](#)

### Commencing in

Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester 3

### Next start date

Trimester 2, 2024 [\(more\)](#)

### Applications close

Monday, 24 June 2024

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## About this program

The Graduate Certificate in Professional Nursing will enable registered nurses to develop advanced knowledge and specialist skills to address the core competencies related to nursing.

Please note that successful completion of this program does not lead to eligibility to apply for registration as a nurse. Prospective students seeking eligibility to apply for registration should refer to the Bachelor of Nursing.

Code	Program title	Campus	Intake
3289	<a href="#">Graduate Certificate in Acute Care Nursing</a>	Online	Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester 3
3290	<a href="#">Graduate Certificate in Critical Care Nursing</a>	Online	Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester 3
3291	<a href="#">Graduate Certificate in Emergency Nursing</a>	Online	Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester 3
3343	<a href="#">Graduate Certificate in Paediatric Nursing</a>	Online	Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester 3
<b>3345</b>	<b>Graduate Certificate in Professional Nursing (this program)</b>	<b>Online</b>	<b>Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester 3</b>
5721	<a href="#">Master of Advanced Nursing Practice</a>	Online	Trimester 1, Trimester 2 and Trimester 3

Note: Progression through this program suite is dependent upon satisfying admission requirements.

## My attendance during the program

### Attendance information

This Graduate Certificate program is offered part-time only via online delivery.

### Managing study interruptions

### Leave of absence

Students may not take leave of absence in this program without the prior approval of the Program Director. The Program Director will review applications for leave of absence relative to the maximum time available to complete the program, professional registration requirements and employment requirements (if applicable).

## My career opportunities

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You will be recognised for your advanced knowledge and skills in the advanced nursing practice environment.

## Pathways to further study

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Graduates from the Graduate Certificate in Professional Nursing may apply for entry to the [Master of Advanced Nursing Practice \(5721\)](#).

## What are the fees?

### Commonwealth supported students

- The indicative fee represents the expected average fee for an annual full-time study load (80 credit points). This is based on average study patterns across courses and the Australian Government's broad discipline areas (student contribution bands). A student's actual annual fee may vary in accordance with his or her choice of majors and electives. The Australian Government sets student contribution amounts on an annual basis.
- [Find out more...](#)

### Fee-paying postgraduate (domestic) students

#### Indicative annual tuition fee

The indicative annual tuition fee is calculated based on a standard full-time study load which is usually 80 credit points.

The indicative annual tuition fee is based on current conditions and available data and should only be used as a guide. These fees are reviewed annually and are subject to change.

#### Tuition fees

- A fee-paying postgraduate student pays tuition fees.
- Students are liable for tuition fees for the courses they are enrolled in as at the census date.
- The tuition fee for students who commence their program prior to 2014 is charged according to the approved program fee for the trimester in which the student commenced the program.
- The tuition fee for students who commence their program from 2014 onwards is charged according to the approved program fee for the trimester in which the student is enrolled.
- [Find out more...](#)

#### Tuition fees for your degree program

- [Calculating tuition fees](#)

#### Changing programs

If a postgraduate student changes to a different program they will be subject to the approved program fee for the trimester in which they are enrolled.

#### Further information

- [Calculating your EFTSL](#)
- [Fees and Charges Procedure](#)
  - [Fees and Charges Schedules](#)
- [Higher Education Loan Program \(HELP\)](#)
- [Financial help and support](#)

### Additional fee information

This postgraduate program has Commonwealth Supported Places. If you are eligible, the Australian Government will contribute to the cost of this program but you will also be required to make a contribution. Quotas are applied for admission to the Commonwealth Supported Places. Where demand exceeds the number of available places and all places have been filled for the current admission period, applicants who meet minimum program entry requirements may be eligible for a Fee-Paying Postgraduate place if such places are available. Please note that deferrals are not permitted for programs with Commonwealth Supported Places.