

2018 POSTGRADUATE Health

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Allied health
Health leadership
Nursing and midwifery
Nutrition and dietetics
Psychology
Sport





Deakin's Faculty of Health is one of the fastest growing health faculties in Australia. Across five schools we inspire students to reach their potential, provide personal, dynamic learning experiences and conduct world-class research.



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Health at Deakin

Growth sector

Job prospects look particularly bright for health professionals in Australia. With ageing populations and public health issues like obesity and chronic illness on the rise, and with government increasing emphasis on disease prevention as well as treatment, employability in the health industry is strong and increasing.

The healthcare and social assistance industries are expected to grow by 20.9 percent by 2019.

Source: Industry Employment Predictions 2016, Department of Employment

State-of-the-art facilities

Health students and researchers have access to the most advanced equipment available in the sports, nutrition, nursing and midwifery, medicine, psychology and allied health fields. Some highlights include:

- 3D GAIT Lab – features world-first equipment, including a treadmill hooked up to a 3D motion capture system.
- Clinical Exercise Learning Centre – working alongside accredited exercise physiologists, students meet with clients, conduct assessments and create exercise and lifestyle programs.
- Food sensory labs – facilities include a sample preparation kitchen and 17 self-contained booths for computer data collection.
- Cognitive Neuroscience Unit is a research group that uses cutting-edge technologies to explore the relationship between the brain, behaviour and cognition.
- Elite Sports Precinct – at the Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus, Deakin has world-class sport facilities to help athletes advance their skills.

Find out more at deakin.edu.au/health.

Join the most satisfied students in Victoria

For seven consecutive years, Deakin has achieved the highest level of overall student satisfaction among Victorian universities. These great results are from the responses to 'Overall Satisfaction' in the Australian Graduate Survey, 2010–2016.

Source: gooduniversities.com.au

Students get direct hands-on experience utilising first-class facilities in our exercise laboratories.



Deakin Hallmarks are awarded as digital credentials that can be shared through professional social platforms such as LinkedIn. They recognise students' outstanding achievement, at course level, of capabilities that are key to employment success.



Health at Deakin

Growing health precinct

The medical precinct at the Geelong Warrnambool Campus has had a significant boost with Epworth HealthCare's newest private hospital based within walking distance of the campus. These facilities enhance the educational possibilities for Deakin's health students by offering a supportive environment for supervised clinical placements.

Leading research

The Faculty of Health places strong emphasis on solutions-led research. Our research programs are supported by one institute, six strategic research centres and five schools, and work closely with industry partners and the government to put findings into practice. For example, our work in cancer research is helping to forge out ways to improve much-needed support for cancer survivors and their carers. For more information on our research in health go to page 30 or visit deakin.edu.au/research.

'Deakin's Faculty of Health is guided by a strong and vibrant commitment to improving the health and wellbeing of all people in Australia and our surrounding region.'

Professor Brendan Crotty
Executive Dean, Faculty of Health

Industry relations and partnerships

The Faculty of Health has hundreds of successful partnerships across government departments, hospitals, research institutes, businesses and community groups. These partnerships have led to some of our proudest achievements. As well as working to improve health and health care, they give our students and researchers the support they need to succeed. Every partnership we have is built on a shared commitment to improve health and wellbeing, both locally and further afield.

Some of our partners sit on our course advisory boards and offer guest lecturing, giving students direct access to the latest industry knowledge.

Indigenous partnerships

One of our top priorities at the Faculty of Health is closing the gap in life expectancy and disadvantage between Aboriginal and Torres Strait populations and the rest of Australia. Through an internal partnership with Deakin's Institute of Koorie Education, we're helping to train Aboriginal health workers across Australia.



'Teaching research is about challenging students to think differently, be open to new ideas and thinking critically and systematically. As a teacher you are also constantly learning from students as they bring their own ideas, perspectives and experiences of research. You are constantly challenged by new problems and ideas, the complexity of the real world of health care and always learning something new.'

Associate Professor Bernice Redley
Centre for Quality and Patient Safety Research
School of Nursing and Midwifery



Deakin students have access to the most advanced equipment available in the health fields.

Top ranking university

Deakin is ranked #3 in Australia for graduate employability by the prestigious Times Higher Education index. Deakin was recently ranked Victoria's #1 university under 50 years old by Times Higher Education (2016 and 2017) and QS World University Rankings (2016). And as a result of our renowned quality of research and teaching, all three international university rankings put us in the top 2% of the world's universities.

Data sources: Quacquarelli Symonds (QS); Academic Ranking of World Universities, Times Higher Education and QS World University Rankings.

Rural and regional focus

We're committed to responding to the health and medical needs of rural and regional communities, particularly in western Victoria. This has resulted in three regional research centres and a formal strategic alliance with the Department of Health and Human Services.

Many of our health courses have a rural and regional focus, giving you a broader perspective on your studies. You can undertake placements in rural and regional locations to complement knowledge and skills gained from metropolitan settings.



What can I study?





















- Cloud Campus
- Melbourne Burwood Campus
- Geelong Waterfront Campus
- Geelong Waurrn Ponds Campus
- Warrnambool Campus
- Institute of Koorie Education
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- B
- WF
- WP
- WB
- IKE

Gain credit towards your degree

With Credit for Prior Learning (CPL), your previous study or work experience may make you eligible for credit towards your Deakin degree, reducing the number of units you need to study and allowing you to complete your course earlier and often more affordably. Find out more at deakin.edu.au/courses/credit-for-prior-learning.

	Campus	Course duration in years [#]	Trimester intake options [^]	2018 domestic full fee (8 CP)*	2017 domestic indicative CSP fee*	2018 international fee*	IELTS~
Coursework degrees							
Allied health							
Graduate Certificate of Agricultural Health and Medicine ^v H522	C [‡]	0.5	T1, T2	\$12 856 ^Ø	–	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent).							
Master of Child Play Therapy ^v H705	C [†]	2	T1, T2	\$25 712	–	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline and three years of relevant work experience with children and families; or successful completion of the Graduate Diploma of Therapeutic Child Play.							
Graduate Diploma of Therapeutic Child Play ^v H605	C	1	T1, T2	\$25 712	–	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline or a graduate certificate in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent).							
Graduate Certificate of Therapeutic Child Play ^v H505	C	0.5	T1	\$12 856	–	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent).							
Graduate Certificate of Disability and Inclusion H508	C	1 PT	T1, T2 ^f	\$12 856 ^Ø	–	\$14 336	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent); or Certificate IV in Disability with at least three years' work experience in the disability sector.							
Master of Health Promotion H759	C B	2	T1	\$24 384	–	\$34 000	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or other qualification at a higher AQF level in any discipline; or other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.							
Graduate Diploma of Health Promotion H615	C B	1	T1	\$24 384	–	\$30 136	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or a graduate certificate in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent).							
Graduate Certificate of Health Promotion ^v H515	C B	1 PT	T1	\$12 856	–	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent).							
Master of Optometry ^v H710	WP	1.5 ^{\$}	T1	\$40 704	–	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: Bachelor of Vision Science, or equivalent, with an emphasis on an adequate coverage of vision sciences and students demonstrating the required level of clinical skills.							
Master of Public Health H757	C B	2	T1, T2	\$24 384	–	\$34 000	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or other qualification at a higher AQF level in any discipline; or other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.							
Master of Social Work ^v H703	C [†]	2	T1	\$21 632	\$6371	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in a related discipline, with two units in human behaviour and two units in study of society. This course is also offered through the Institute of Koorie Education, which uses community-based delivery.							
Health leadership							
Master of Business Administration (Healthcare Management) M703	B	2	T1, T2, T3	\$33 720	–	\$38 800	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline and three years relevant work experience; or graduate certificate in a related discipline and five years relevant work experience, or graduate diploma equivalent (professional pathways).							
Master of Health Economics H704	C B	2	T1, T2	\$23 568	–	\$29 624	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or other qualification at a higher AQF level in any discipline; or other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.							
Master of Health and Human Services Management H756	C B	2	T1, T2, T3	\$24 384	–	\$34 000	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or other qualification at a higher AQF level in any discipline; or other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.							
Nursing and midwifery							
Graduate Certificate of Diabetes Education H520	C	1 PT	T1	\$11 784	–	\$13 992	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in a related discipline.							
Master of Nursing Practice H771	C	1.5	T1, T2	\$22 240	\$6398	\$26 912	6.5/6
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A Bachelor of Nursing or equivalent, and registration with AHPRA, with no conditions or restrictions. Applicants must ideally have 12 months of recent clinical experience.							
Master of Nursing Practice (Nurse Practitioner) ^v H773	C	2	T1, T2	\$22 240	–	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A Bachelor of Nursing or equivalent, and registration with the AHPRA, with no conditions or restrictions, and five years (FTE) experience as a registered nurse in a specialty area, and one year at an advanced practice level in the relevant specialty area of practice.							
Graduate Diploma of Midwifery ^v H676	C B	1.5	T1	\$23 568	\$6349	–	–
ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A Bachelor of Nursing or equivalent and applicants must be a registered nurse registered with AHPRA.							

What can I study?

	Campus	Course duration in years [#]	Trimester intake options [^]	2018 domestic full fee (8 CP)*	2017 domestic indicative CSP fee*	2018 international fee*	IELTS [~]
Coursework degrees							
Nutrition and dietetics							
Master of Dietetics H718 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: Applicants must hold a three-year bachelor's degree or equivalent in a relevant cognate area (for example: science, health sciences, nutrition, food science, exercise science, biomedical science, allied health or nursing) within the last 10 years. Students who have completed an undergraduate degree in a relevant cognate area must demonstrate learning in human biosciences and food and nutrition science as follows: biochemistry content with chemistry (0.25 EFTSL) followed by biochemistry (0.25 EFTSL); human physiology content with human biology (0.25 EFTSL) followed by human physiology (0.25 EFTSL). Applicants are also required to have completed at least four units (equivalent to 4 Deakin credit points) of nutrition and food science study, covering content relating to principles of nutrition, lifespan nutrition diet and disease and food science.		1.5	S1 ⁴	\$32 960	–	\$39 328	7/7
Master of Human Nutrition H714 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree, major or other qualification at a higher AQF level in a related discipline; or bachelor's degree in any discipline plus three years relevant work experience; or other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.		1.5	T1, T2, T3	\$29 992	–	\$32 296	6.5/6
Graduate Diploma of Human Nutrition H616 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or a graduate certificate in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent).		1	T1, T2, T3	\$29 992	–	\$32 296	6.5/6
Graduate Certificate of Human Nutrition H511 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience (or part-time equivalent).		1 PT	T1, T2, T3	\$14 996	–	\$16 148	6.5/6
Master of Nutrition and Population Health H748 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or other qualification at a higher AQF level in any discipline; or other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.		2	T1	\$29 992	–	\$32 296	6.5/6
Graduate Certificate of Public Health Nutrition H517 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or a graduate certificate in same discipline; or at least three years of relevant work and/or life experience.		1 PT	T1, T2 ²	\$12 856	–	\$13 992	6.5/6
Psychology							
Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Pre-Practice) [^] H664 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree from a discipline other than psychology and two prerequisite first year units HPS111 and HPS121 (or equivalent from another professionally accredited psychology program).	  	2	T1, T2, T3	\$25 712	–	–	–
Graduate Diploma of Psychology H650 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree with an approved three-year major sequence in psychology with a minimum of a mid-credit (65%) in Research Methods B (or an equivalent unit) and a minimum WAM of 65 in all level-2 and level-3 psychology core units (or their equivalents).	 	1	T1	\$25 130	–	\$30 672	6.5/6
Master of Professional Psychology [^] H744 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A four-year tertiary program with a psychology major from an APAC accredited program completed in the last 10 years with a minimum of a Honours 2A average or equivalent, and eligibility for registration as a provisional psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia.		1	T1	\$30 208	–	–	–
Master of Psychology (Clinical) H750 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A four-year tertiary program with a psychology major from an APAC accredited program completed in the last 10 years with a minimum of a Honours 2A average or equivalent, and eligibility for registration as a provisional psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia. Applicants with international qualifications must have these assessed as equivalent by the Australian Psychological Society.	 	2	T1	\$30 208	\$6349	\$32 296	7/7
Master of Psychology (Organisational) H752 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A four-year tertiary program with a psychology major from an APAC accredited program completed in the last 10 years with a minimum of a Honours 2A average or equivalent, and eligibility for registration as a provisional psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia. Applicants with international qualifications must have these assessed as equivalent by the Australian Psychological Society.		2	T1	\$32 000	–	\$32 296	7/7
Sport							
Master of Applied Sport Science [^] H707 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in exercise and sport science or equivalent.		1–1.5	T1, T2, T3	\$25 712	–	–	–
Master of Business (Sport Management) M748 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree or other qualification at a higher AQF level in any discipline; or successful completion of MQP ¹ (or MQP Extended); or other evidence of academic capability judged to be equivalent.	 	1.5–2	T1, T2, T3 ³	\$27 800	–	\$35 600	6.5/6
Graduate Certificate of Business (Sport Management) M518 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in any discipline; or at least three years of relevant work experience [~] (or part-time equivalent). [~] Relevant professional experience that demonstrates comprehensive knowledge of sport management or related fields.		1 PT	T1, T2	\$13 900	–	\$17 800	6.5/6
Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology H743 ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS: A bachelor's degree in relevant area with eligibility for exercise scientist accreditation from Exercise and Sports Science Australia and completion of 140 hours of exercise science service delivery for apparently healthy clientele.		1.5	T1	\$26 784	\$9050	\$31 136	6.5/6

Information correct at July 2017. Deakin University reserves the right to alter, amend or delete course offerings and other information listed.

* A unit or subject is usually 1 credit point (CP). Fees quoted are based on an annual full-time study load (8 CP/1 FT), regardless of your unit selection. If the course duration is more than 1 year full-time study (1 FT), the annual fee does not represent the full cost of the course, it represents the cost of 1 year full-time study (8 CP) in 2018. Fee-Paying Place (FPP): 2018 annual course fees for FPPs are shown in the 2018 fee (8 CP) column. Commonwealth Supported Place (CSP): The CSP rates shown in the CSP column are indicative 2017 annual course fees. CSP fees are indicative because they are calculated based on your unit selection. Fees displayed should be used as a

guide only and are subject to change. Please visit deakin.edu.au/fees for the most up-to-date information. International fees are based on 8 credit points in one year of full-time study, unless otherwise indicated.

[^] Most courses start in Trimester 1 (March to June). This column indicates whether you have the option of commencing your studies in Trimester 2 (July to October) or Trimester 3 (November to February). Not all units are offered in every trimester.

[#] Course lengths may vary in response to requirements within the Australian Qualifications Framework. Applicants should refer to the handbook for the latest information, deakin.edu.au/handbook.

[~] IELTS is the International English Language Testing System. The IELTS scores in the table above reflect the minimum overall score required as well as the lowest score allowed for any band (overall score/lowest band score).

≠ Some attendance is required at the National Centre for Farmer Health, Deakin centre, affiliated industry or other physical site.

[†] This course is offered via the Cloud Campus; however, there are significant fieldwork placement and campus requirements.

◊ Clinician is defined as a registered member of one of the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) registered clinical professions (www.ahpra.gov.au) or a bachelor qualified member of the Social Work, Dietician, Physician Assistant, Paramedicine professions, or clinical professions as approved by the School of Medicine.

§ 1.5 years accelerated full time program delivered over four consecutive trimesters commencing in Trimester 1.

∅ Fee depicts 4 credit points.

✓ This course is not available to international students.

+ This course includes a five-day residential unit.

f Trimester 2 is not available to international students.

1 For international applicants only.

2 Students commencing H517 Graduate Certificate of Public Health Nutrition in Trimester 2 will be required to complete the program over 1.5 years part-time in order to meet prerequisite requirements.

3 Core units not available for this intake.

4 Units in this course are offered in semesters.

FT = Full time

PT = Part time

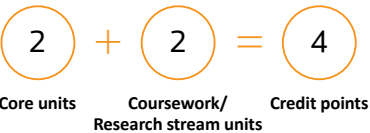
Graduate Certificate of Agricultural Health and Medicine^v

This unique course looks at the ways in which the physical and mental health of rural and remote workforces can be improved, highlighting how health, safety and wellbeing are essential for productivity in primary industries and agribusiness. It is relevant to a wide variety of graduate-level students and professionals from nursing, medicine, health, agricultural science, agribusiness, social work, veterinary and environmental science backgrounds.

The course is recognised by AgriSafe Australia and allows clinically trained graduates to become AgriSafe practitioners. It is accredited to offer continuing education and professional development through a number of professional colleges and associations, including the Australian College of Rural and Remote Medicine, the Australian Association of Social Workers, the Australian Veterinary Association and the Royal Australian College of General Practitioners.

Course structure

Two core units and two coursework/research stream units totalling 4 credit points.



Core units

Agricultural Health and Medicine*
Healthy and Sustainable Agricultural Communities

Coursework/research stream units

2 credit points from one of the coursework streams – public health, health promotion, nursing – or a 2 credit point minor research project. Visit [deakin.edu.au/course/graduate-certificate-agricultural-health-and-medicine](#) for information on coursework and research stream units.

^v This course is not available to international students.
^{*} Some attendance is required at the National Centre for Farmer Health in Hamilton, Deakin centre, affiliated industry or other physical site. There is one compulsory campus-based residential unit. Visit [deakin.edu.au/course/graduate-certificate-agricultural-health-and-medicine](#) for information.

Master of Child Play Therapy^v H705 C[^] 2 T1, T2

Child play therapy is a growing specialist area within the mental health and early childhood sectors. It is an evidence-based profession in which play is used to transform children’s lives when they have experienced abuse or trauma, have a developmental disorder, or are experiencing a mental health issue.

This two-year master’s degree provides specialist training for students with relevant prior experience and qualifications. The course is primarily humanistic but other approaches are presented in the course materials. Placement units are an important component of the program.

Professional recognition

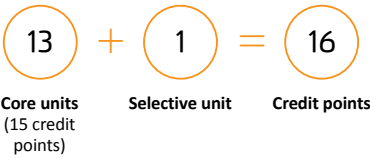
You will be eligible to apply to become a registered play therapist with the Australasia Pacific Play Therapy Association (APPTA).

Pathway programs/exit options

- Graduate Certificate of Child Play Therapy 0.5
- Graduate Diploma of Child Pay Therapy 1

Course structure

16 credit points, including two core units of 2 credit points and one selective unit.



^v This course is not available to international students.
[^] This course is offered at the Cloud Campus, but there are also significant campus based and work placement requirements.

Graduate Certificate of Disability and Inclusion #

Deakin recognises that perceptions of and responses to disability in Australia are changing. Forward-thinking and innovative education and research are needed to engage with these changes. Designed to meet specialist education and training needs in the disability, human service and community workforce both locally and nationally, graduates are ideally placed to take advantage of the growth opportunities in these sectors as the National Disability Insurance Scheme is rolled out across Australia. Our industry-connected course gives you access to leaders in disability and inclusion research, as well as leaders in policy and practice.

Course structure

Four core units totalling 4 credit points.



Core units

Community Capacity Building – Theory and Practice for Inclusion
Determinants of Health and Wellbeing in the Lives of People with Disability
Disability and Inclusion: Contemporary Theory and Lived Experience
Planning for Inclusion Across the Life Course

PT = Part time
[#] Trimester 2 is not available to international students.



Practical learning is a key aspect of postgraduate study at Deakin.

Allied health

Master of Health Promotion **H759** **C** **B** **2** **T1**

Preventing illness and promoting health are major aspects of the work of health agencies in all developed and developing countries. Studies in health promotion enable students from varying backgrounds to acquire the knowledge and skills to develop appropriate and evidenced-based health promotion programs.

Career direction and professional development are strong drivers of the Master of Health Promotion. Our partnerships with local industry give you access to cutting-edge health promotion practice, enhance your health promotion skills and prepare you to develop attributes valued by employers, such as critical analysis, creativity, reflective practice and lifelong learning.

Pathway programs/exit options

- Graduate Certificate of Health Promotion **G5**
- Graduate Diploma of Health Promotion **1**

Course structure

16 credit points, including eight core units and one of the following options:

- 2 credit point minor project and six elective units, or
- 6 credit point research project that includes both the minor and major project and two elective units.



Core units Elective units Credit points

Core units

- Contemporary Health Issues and Policies
- Health Communication
- Health Equity and Human Rights
- Health Program Evaluation
- Health Promotion
- Needs Assessment and Health Program Planning
- Qualitative Health Research
- Research Literacy for Health Practice

Elective units

For information on elective units, visit deakin.edu.au/course/master-health-promotion.



‘Smoke-free Deakin’ is a health promotion initiative across all our campuses.

‘Anatomy and physiology is interesting and I find that once you have studied its content it all makes sense. I will major in eye disease and optometric practices, as per the outlines of my course. I can’t wait.’

Zara Daneshvar
Bachelor of Vision Science/Master of Optometry student

Master of Optometry^v **H710** **WP** **1.5** **§** **T1**

Develop the knowledge and attributes required to practise as an optometrist within Australia and New Zealand. This course builds upon the knowledge and applied skills acquired throughout Deakin’s Bachelor of Vision Science (or equivalent), developing your understanding of optometric clinical assessment and procedures; ethical, legal and professional standards of practice; and high levels of interpersonal and interprofessional communication and commercial awareness.

Clinical placements are a key part of Deakin’s optometry program, with a variety of short-term industry placements available during the Master of Optometry and the final six months of the course spent as a ‘student resident’ in a range of clinical optometric and medical settings. These extensive clinical rotations enable you to consolidate your skills under the supervision of qualified optometrists. Clinical rotations include time in both metropolitan and regional or rural settings.

Course structure

All the units in the course are core and each unit is worth 4 credit points.



Credit points

Core units

- Advanced Optometric Studies 1 (4 credit points)
- Advanced Optometric Studies 2 (4 credit points)
- Community Optometry 1 (4 credit points)
- Community Optometry 2 (4 credit points)

^v This course is not available to international students.
[§] 1.5 years accelerated full-time program delivered over four consecutive trimesters commencing in Trimester 1.



A clinical skills facility allows you to put theory into practice.



Master of Public Health H757 C B 2 T1, T2

The Master of Public Health focuses on improving existing health-promoting environments, identifying public health priorities, generating initiatives for policy and action, and developing strategies and interventions to ensure equity in the health system.

Deakin’s public health program is flexible in terms of both the way that you access your study and also in relation to what you want to get out of your postgraduate degree. With the course now available online, you can manage your study around both professional and personal commitments.

Career pathways are offered in six areas:

- applied research
- environments for health
- health economics and management
- health promotion and community development
- public health nutrition
- public health practice.

This postgraduate degree is perfect for medical professionals, allied health workers and clinicians who are looking for ‘bigger picture’ approaches that improve the health of individuals, populations, the environment and communities.

‘I challenge students to investigate issues/topics that directly impact them and then to look at the larger picture to see how the issue has other impacts in other areas they may not have been aware of. As one example, when we really look at the embodied energy or life cycle analysis of products and thoroughly unpack them, we see not only the impacts on the natural environment but also political, economic and social environments that span multiple nations.’

Justin Lawson
Lecturer, School of Health and Social Development

Course structure

Eight core units and eight elective units totalling 16 credit points.



Core units Elective units Credit points

Core units

- Biostatistics 1
- Contemporary Health Issues and Policies
- Comparative Health Systems
- Epidemiology 1
- Health Equity and Human Rights
- Health Promotion
- Principles and Practice of Public Health
- Research Literacy for Health Practice

Elective units

For information on elective units, visit deakin.edu.au/course/master-public-health.

Master of Social Work[√] H703 C[^] 2 T1

Study a progressive social work course with a strong emphasis on practical experience gained through practical placements.

Our Master of Social Work focuses on social and community development; race and gender issues; critical social work perspectives; equity, power and diversity issues; and anti-oppressive and empowerment approaches to social work practice and social policy.

Fieldwork provides you with the opportunity to gain valuable skills and practical experience under the supervision of qualified social work practitioners. You will complete a minimum of 1000 hours of fieldwork placements conducted in a variety of communities and workplaces.



Promoting world health

Are you interested in what causes poor health? Helping people engage in healthier lifestyles? There are thousands of world health issues that urgently need attention. For example, an estimated 1.9 billion people rely on contaminated water supplies. In order to help prevent disease and make water safe for drinking, the World Health Organization’s new International Scheme to Evaluate Household Water Treatment Technologies ensures that products used to treat water in homes are effective in protecting health.

Deakin’s public health and health promotion courses will start you on the path to making a difference to world health.

Professional recognition

Deakin’s Master of Social Work is an Australian Association of Social Workers (AASW) accredited qualification, allowing entry into the social work profession, and meets the Australian Social Work Education and Accreditation Standards (ASWEAS).



Course structure

16 credit points, including two core units worth 3 credit points each.



Credit points

Core units

- Addressing Violence and Abuse
- Australian Social Work in an International Context
- Becoming a Social Worker
- Challenging Poverty and Social Exclusion
- Collaborative Practice in Healthcare
- Practicing Social Work with Communities and Groups
- Professional Practice in Social Work A (3 credit points)
- Professional Practice in Social Work B (3 credit points)
- Reconstructing Professional Practice
- Research Literacy for Health Practice
- Responding to Trauma, Grief and Loss
- Understanding Care and Risk

[√] This course is not available to international students.
[^] This course is offered at the Cloud Campus, but there are also significant campus based and work placement requirements.



Health leadership

Deakin code	S304	Cloud Campus	C
Course duration in years	3	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
Trimester	T	Geelong Waterfront Campus	WF
		Geelong Waurn Ponds Campus	WP
		Warrnambool Campus	WB

Master of Business Administration (Healthcare Management)

Deakin's MBA (Healthcare Management) is jointly run and managed by the Deakin Business School and the School of Medicine. It offers the best of both worlds – the core of Deakin's MBA program and a tailored set of health units designed to prepare you to manage and lead healthcare services in Australia and overseas.

This course offers an advanced combination of business insight and healthcare focus to succeed in the critical area of health service delivery.

Exit options

- Graduate Certificate of Business Administration ^{0.5}
- Graduate Diploma of Business Administration ¹
- Master of Business Administration ^{1.5}

Course structure

14 core units and two elective units totalling 16 credit points.



Core units

Business fundamentals and context
Business Process Management
Economics for Managers
Financial Reporting and Analysis

Running the organisation: decision making

Finance
Marketing Management
People Management

Strategy and value creation

Principles of Leadership
Strategy Capstone

Health and human services management specialisation

Comparative Health Systems
Health Law and Ethics
Healthcare Operations
Introduction to Health Informatics Management
Patient Safety and Risk Management
Research Literacy for Health Practice

Elective units

For information on specialisations and elective units, visit deakin.edu.au/course/master-business-administration-healthcare-management.

'The residential subject was a fantastic experience and involved experiential learning. We were a diverse group who challenged one another constantly.'

Jay Stiles
Master of Health Economics student

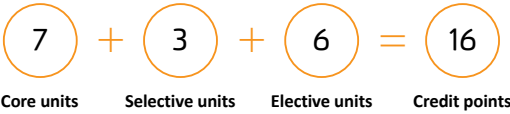


Master of Health Economics

Are you a health professional or economist interested in furthering your knowledge of health economics in Australia and internationally? Join the largest health economics team in Australia. Deakin's postgraduate course in health economics provides graduates from a range of areas – from nursing and pharmacy to commerce and public health, and more – with specialist training in the application of health economics to health policy, health technology assessment and the healthcare system.

Course structure

Seven core units, three selective units and six elective units totalling 16 credit points.



Core units

Biostatistics 1
Economic Evaluation 1
Economic Evaluation - Theory and Practice
Economics for Managers
Health Economics 1
Health Technology Assessment 1
Resource Allocation and Priority Setting

Selective units

All students must complete a minimum of three selective units from the following:

Economics and Health Policy Analysis
Economic Modelling
Epidemiology 1
Financing Health Care
Health Technology Assessment 2

Elective units

For information on elective unit options, visit deakin.edu.au/course/master-health-economics.

Master of Health and Human Services Management

This course sets you on track for the next step in your health career towards management and leadership. Learn to make evidence-based decisions that focus on improving the quality of health service delivery – a sector that has seen strong growth in recent years.

The content of this course focuses on business and management issues within health – making it the most relevant business administration course for the health sector. You have the opportunity to tailor the course to suit your interests by taking a range of elective units from a number of speciality streams, including:

- Business administration
- Health economics
- Public health research.

Course structure

10 core units and six elective units totalling 16 credit points.



Core units

Business Process Management
Contemporary Health Issues and Policies
Economic Evaluation 1
Financial Interpretation
Health Economics 1
Health Law and Ethics
Human Resource Management
Introduction to Health Informatics Management
Research Literacy for Health Practice
Resource Allocation and Priority Setting

Elective units

For information on elective units, visit deakin.edu.au/course/master-health-and-human-services-management.

Nursing and midwifery



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		Warrnambool Campus	WB

Graduate Certificate of Diabetes Education



The Graduate Certificate of Diabetes Education is the first and longest-running course of its type in Australia and has a unique teaching partnership with Diabetes Victoria. It is considered a benchmark course in the health sector, preparing health professionals for specialty practice in diabetes education.

Supervised optional observational placements introduce you to a range of professional skills in diabetes education and assist you to develop an awareness of professional issues.

Our academic staff are accredited diabetes educators, as well as being active researchers, covering a broad range of illness and health-related areas, including diabetes, obesity and mental illness. Our research approach addresses both disease prevention and disease management, as well as being solution focused, with a goal to transfer the knowledge gained from our research findings to inform policy, practice and teaching.



‘Studying the master’s in affiliation with Austin Health has helped me make strong links between theory and practice and optimised my learning experience. The staff are extremely supportive and will guide you to achieving your goals.’

Megan Tweedie
Master of Nursing Practice student



Professional recognition

The course is accredited by the Australian Diabetes Educators Association (ADEA). In addition, by completing 40 hours of observational placements and the workshop components of the course, you may be eligible to seek registration as a Credentialed Diabetes Educator (CDE) with ADEA. As a CDE you may register with Medicare and the Department of Veterans’ Affairs, enabling patients/clients to seek rebates for the services you provide.

Course structure

Four core units totalling 4 credit points.



Core units

- Diabetes in Social and Psychological Contexts
- Learning and Teaching for Health Professionals
- Management of Diabetes
- Pathophysiology of Diabetes

Master of Nursing Practice H771 C 1.5 T1, T2

The Master of Nursing Practice was designed in response to industry and professional demand to increase the number of master’s-qualified registered nurses in the workforce and to meet the need for a sustainable Australian healthcare system. The course aims to broaden and deepen the knowledge and skills of registered nurses who work in a variety of healthcare settings and recognises that graduates should be able to practise in ways that extend beyond the technical and practical concerns of nursing to include research-based practice.

It is designed to allow you to choose from a range of study pathways that support your career aspirations in nursing management and governance, clinical education and leadership, advanced clinical practice and the specialty practice areas of intensive care, cardiac care, emergency care, critical care and perioperative nursing.

Exit points

- Graduate Certificate of Nursing Practice 1
- Graduate Diploma of Nursing Practice 2

Applicants wishing to undertake the intensive care, cardiac care, emergency care or critical care specialty courses at certificate or diploma level in the Master of Nursing Practice must also independently apply for and seek employment with a collaborating hospital within their specialty area. Offers to undertake these specialisations will not be issued until written confirmation of this support by a collaborating hospital has been received by Deakin.

Students must undertake at least 24 hours clinical practice per week in their specialty area.

Specialisation overview

Cardiac care

Cardiac care nurses care for patients with acute coronary syndrome and numerous other acute and chronic cardiac conditions. Cardiac nurses require advanced cardiovascular assessment skills, cardiac rhythm analysis skills and proficiency in treatment modalities to allow early interventions aimed at reducing ischaemic damage to the heart. A priority while treating patients is the commencement of cardiac rehabilitation and the delivery of education programs to assist patients to resume a healthy lifestyle. Cardiac care nurses work in a variety of hospital settings, including acute cardiac units, cardiac catheter laboratories, coronary care units, cardiac rehabilitation and community care. This course is suited to students wishing to specialise in interventional cardiology.

Critical care

Critical care nurses provide care for seriously ill patients who may be dependent on life support for their recovery. Critical care nurses are skilled at anticipating, detecting and responding to episodes of clinical deterioration to prevent further adverse events. Critical care nurses work in a variety of urban, regional and rural settings, including combined cardiac and intensive care units, emergency departments and high dependency nursing areas.

Emergency care

Emergency nurses work in the accident and emergency department of hospitals. Nurses work at the frontline of health care in hospitals, having the primary role of triaging patients. Emergency nurses care for people who have been involved in major or minor trauma, injury or illness. An emergency nurse’s work environment has specific challenges due to patients presenting with all forms of medical and surgical conditions. Due to the nature of their work, emergency nurses require advanced skills in patient assessment.

Intensive care

Intensive care nurses care for patients with life-threatening conditions, complex healthcare problems and co-morbidities. To ensure such critically ill patients and their families receive optimal care, intensive care nurses typically care for only one or two patients and their families at any one time. Anticipating and rapidly responding to changes in the patient’s condition, ensuring the safe operation of life support equipment, maintaining the patient’s functional status and delivering essential nursing care are critical to the patient’s recovery from critical illness. Intensive care nurses often work in general intensive care units (ICUs), combined cardiac and intensive care units, medical and surgical intensive care units, cardiac care units, high dependency units and recovery rooms.

Perioperative nursing

Perioperative nurses work in operating rooms and post-anaesthesia care units. Perioperative nursing requires skills and abilities in managing patients in the preoperative, intraoperative and postoperative environment. In the post-anaesthesia care units, nurses recover patients following general or regional anaesthesia. Perioperative nurses are skilled communicators, problem-solvers and patient advocates.

In their daily work, perioperative nurses assist in preparing an individual for surgery, offering comfort and support, using sound nursing skills and problem-solving techniques together with specialised skills to ensure a safe experience. The work of a perioperative nurse includes assisting with minor surgery using local anaesthetics through to major surgery under general anaesthesia.

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Clinical specialist learning

Studying a specialty master’s course enhances your learning and clinical experiences, through programs that are developed, delivered and evaluated in partnership with industry educators and managers.

Nursing and midwifery

Course structure if undertaking a specialty practice

Graduate Certificate of Nursing Practice: four core units totalling 4 credit points.

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Core units

Credit points

Graduate Diploma of Nursing Practice: six core units and two elective units totalling 8 credit points.

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Core units

Elective units

Credit points

Master of Nursing Practice (Coursework): seven* core units and four elective units totalling 12 credit points.

* One of the core units is worth 2 credit points.

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12

Core units

Elective units

Credit points

Master of Nursing Practice (Minor Thesis): nine core units totalling 12 credit points.

9

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12

Core units

Credit points

Core units

For information on core units for each specialty area, visit deakin.edu.au/course/master-nursing-practice.

If completing master's:
Research in Nursing and Midwifery (2 credit points)

Elective units

For information on elective units, visit deakin.edu.au/course/master-nursing-practice.

Course sturcture if not undertaking a specialty practice

Master of Nursing Practice (Minor Thesis): three core units^ and six elective units totalling 12 credit points.

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12

Core units^

Elective units

Credit points

Master of Nursing Practice (Coursework): one core unit^ and 10 elective units totalling 12 credit points.

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12

Core unit^

Elective units

Credit points

Core units (Minor Thesis)

Research in Nursing and Midwifery (2 credit points)
Research Thesis A (2 credit points)
Research Thesis B (2 credit points)

Core units (Coursework)

Research in Nursing and Midwifery (2 credit points)

Elective units

For information on elective units, visit deakin.edu.au/course/master-nursing-practice.

^ These core units are worth 2 credit points each.

Master of Nursing Practice (Nurse Practitioner)^



The Master of Nursing Practice (Nurse Practitioner) extends the scope of practice of registered nurses, as well as broadening and deepening their theoretical knowledge as it relates to their specialty practice setting. This course enables you to select from a range of units to plan a course of study that supports your chosen career path in the clinical domain of nursing or midwifery.

Professional recognition

The Master of Nursing Practice (Nurse Practitioner) also contains core units of study to support your application for endorsement as a nurse practitioner by the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) through the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).

Course structure

Four specialisation units and eight core units totalling 12 credit points.

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Specialisation units

Core units

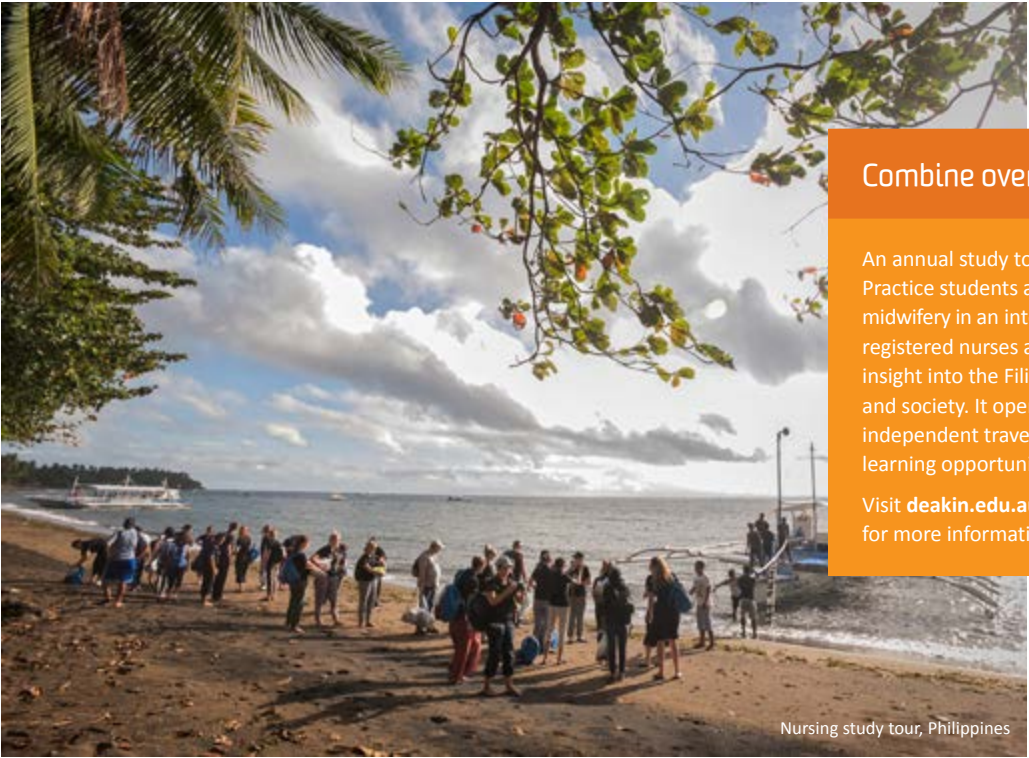
Credit points

Core units

Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning
Clinical Excellence in Nurse Practitioner Practice
Clinical Leadership and Collaborative Practice
Clinical Research Methods
Contemporary Nurse Practitioner Role
Patient Safety and Risk Management
Quality and Safety in Medication Management
Therapeutic Medication Management

Typically nurses must have a minimum of five years full-time equivalent nursing experience, with three years full-time equivalent working at an advanced practice level in their specialty area and a specialty qualification.

^ This course is not available to international students.



Combine overseas travel with nursing studies

An annual study tour to the Philippines offers Master of Nursing Practice students a unique opportunity to learn about nursing and midwifery in an international context. Designed for experienced registered nurses and midwives, the course gives students insight into the Filipino healthcare system, and Filipino culture and society. It opens up opportunities that are out of reach to independent travellers, providing students with an incredible learning opportunity, as well as credit towards their degree.

Visit deakin.edu.au/nursing-midwifery/study-opportunities for more information.

Nursing study tour, Philippines

Graduate Diploma of Midwifery^

H676 C B 1.5 T1

The Graduate Diploma of Midwifery produces graduates with the knowledge, values, attitudes and competencies that reflect the philosophy, nature and scope of midwifery practice in accordance with the requirements of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).

The course is available through campus-based classes and via online learning or videoconferencing, allowing you to meet and study with colleagues from around Australia to benefit your networking and career opportunities.

You will typically be employed in a supervised part-time placement arrangement including a variety of maternity services settings of a collaborating hospital. These arrangements are designed to assist you in meeting all requirements of the Graduate Diploma of Midwifery, as well as those of the Australian Health Professional Regulation Agency (AHPRA) and the NMBA.



Professional recognition

Following successful completion of the theoretical and clinical components of the course, you may apply to AHPRA for registration with NMBA as a midwife. This program of study is designed for registered nurses seeking registration as a midwife.

Course structure

8 credit points, including five core units – one is worth 2 credit points and the others are worth 1 credit point each – plus two elective units.

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8

Core units
(6 credit points)

Elective units

Credit points

Core units

Clinical Challenges in Infant Care
Clinical Challenges in Maternity Care
Contexts of Midwifery Practice
The Woman and Newborn Infant
The Woman During Pregnancy, Labour and Birth (2 credit points)

Elective units

Choose 2 credit points from the following:

Advanced Health Assessment and Diagnostic Reasoning
Clinical Leadership and Collaborative Practice
Patient Safety and Risk Management
Research in Nursing and Midwifery (2 credit points)

Alternatively, you may select level 7 electives from other Schools within the Faculty of Health.

^ This course is not available to international students.

Nutrition and dietetics

Master of Dietetics H718 B 1.5 S1*

Deakin’s Master of Dietetics is a three-semester professional training program that builds on your undergraduate knowledge in nutrition, physiology and biochemistry, to develop skills in dietary management of individuals and groups in both health and disease.

Full-time professional practice placements provide you with hands-on experience in clinical, community and food service settings. You also develop research and communication skills through group projects and undertake professional and career development through a dietetic-specific professional practice unit.

Professional recognition

The Master of Dietetics is accredited by the Dietitians Association of Australia (DAA). Students graduating from accredited courses are eligible for full membership of the DAA and the Accredited Practising Dietitian (APD) program and to work in all areas of dietetics.

Course structure

12 credit points.

12

Credit points

Core units

- Dietary Modification to Improve Health
- Dietetic Research Skills
- Food Service Management
- Principles of Dietetics
- Professional Practice for Dietetics
- Community Nutrition
- Clinical Dietetic Practice

* Units in this course are offered in semesters.

40 years of dietetics

Deakin is a pioneer in dietetics education in Australia and has been proudly offering the Dietitians Association of Australia (DAA) accredited course for 40 years.

Master of Human Nutrition H714 C 1.5 T1, T2, T3

Learn the skills to work effectively as a nutritionist in a range of employment settings. Deakin’s Master of Human Nutrition draws content from related disciplines such as food science, biochemistry, physiology, epidemiology, psychology, sociology and politics and policy.

In this course, you will develop an advanced understanding of the role of nutrition and diet in the health of individuals and the population. You will also learn about the biological, social and policy-related aspects of human nutrition along with skills to evaluate the findings of human nutrition studies and undertaking research.

This course also provides you with the opportunity to undertake a diverse range of elective study options, giving you the ability to pursue topic areas that align with your interests and career aspirations.

Pathway programs/exit options

- Graduate Certificate of Human Nutrition 1PT
- Graduate Diploma of Human Nutrition 1
- Graduate Certificate of Public Health Nutrition 1PT
- Doctor of Philosophy 3-4

Course structure

12 credit points.

12

Credit points

Core units

- Assessment Methods for Nutrition and Physical Activity Research
- Essentials of Food Science
- Lifespan Nutrition
- Nutritional Biochemistry and Physiology
- Principles of Nutrition
- Understanding Human Nutrition Research Studies

Plus one of the following:

Research Practice in Human Nutrition plus five electives (two can be from any postgraduate units)

or

Nutrition Research Project Part A and Nutrition Research Project Part B

plus

two HSN7XX electives

Students who wish to use H714 as a PhD entry pathway must complete the core units and these units: Nutrition Research Project Part A and Nutrition Research Project Part B.



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‘I valued the opportunities to get out into the workplace and learn from experienced dietitians. For example, I completed placements at Austin Health, Goulburn Valley Health and SecondBite, giving me the chance to see a variety of career pathways for dietitians. My current role primarily involves inpatient work in the acute setting. I am responsible for the dietetic patient care across three wards, seeing patients in the gastroenterology, general medicine, respiratory, orthopaedic, cardiology, endocrinology and neurology units.’

Julia Kuypers
Master of Dietetics graduate
Employed: Clinical dietitian



Nutrition and dietetics

Master of Nutrition and Population Health



This is an advanced course in human nutrition that draws content from related disciplines such as public health, food science, biochemistry, physiology, epidemiology, psychology, sociology and politics and policy.

Throughout the course you will develop advanced knowledge and an understanding of the biological, social and policy-related aspects of human nutrition, and skills that will enable you to work effectively as a nutritionist in a range of employment settings.



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		Geelong Warrn Ponds Campus	WP
		Warrnambool Campus	WB

Course structure

16 core units totalling 16 credit points.



Core units

- Assessment Methods for Nutrition and Physical Activity Research
- Diet and Disease
- Essentials of Food Science
- Food, Nutrition and Behaviour
- Food Policy and Public Health
- Lifespan Nutrition
- Nutrition for Healthy Ageing
- Nutrition Promotion
- Nutritional Biochemistry and Physiology
- Nutritional Issues from Infancy to Adolescence
- Obesity Prevention
- Principles of Nutrition
- Public Health Nutrition
- Advanced Public Health Nutrition
- Research Practice in Human Nutrition
- Understanding Human Nutrition Research Studies



Nutrition lab, Melbourne Burwood Campus.

Graduate Certificate of Public Health Nutrition



Public health nutrition focuses on issues that affect the whole population rather than the specific dietary needs of individuals. The emphasis is on promoting health and disease prevention.

Public health nutrition exists within an extensive infrastructure of government and non-government organisations, service and program delivery systems, and the food supply system, covering production through to consumption.

Develop an insight into the epidemic of diet-related disease, including obesity; socioeconomic considerations such as rising food prices and food security; as well as environmental sustainability in relation to the food system. The course also draws on related disciplines such as epidemiology, politics and policy studies, nutrition promotion and communication, providing you with the core skills to tackle public health and nutrition issues.

Course structure

4 credit points.



Core units

- Food Policy and Public Health
- Nutrition Promotion
- Public Health Nutrition
- Advanced Public Health Nutrition

Psychology



Deakin code	S304	Cloud Campus	C
Course duration in years	3	Melbourne Burwood Campus	B
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Graduate Diploma of Psychology (Pre-Practice)^v



Complete the equivalent of a psychology undergraduate and honours degree in two years full-time instead of four.

If you are interested in a career in psychology and you have already completed an undergraduate degree in another field, this course gets you on the fast track towards your dream job.

In year one, you will complete the equivalent of a three-year psychology sequence. This includes units in social psychology, cognition, research methods, development, personality, psychopathology and neuropsychology, giving a broad understanding of psychology. In year two, you will undertake the honours program. You will also undertake coursework designed to support your skills in research.

Once you graduate from this course, you can apply for provisional registration as a psychologist and to pursue entry into postgraduate courses.

Course structure

16 credit points, including two core research units of 2 credit points each.

16

Credit points

Core units

- Brain, Biology and Behaviour
- Case Management and Professional Issues
- Child and Adolescent Development
- Human Social Behaviour
- Personality
- Psychopathology
- Psychological Assessment
- Research Methods in Psychology A
- Research Methods in Psychology B
- Research Methods in Psychology C
- Research Methods in Psychology D
- The Human Mind

Plus:

- Research Project A (2 credit points)
- Research Project B (2 credit points)

^v This course is not available to international students.

Graduate Diploma of Psychology ^{H650} ^B ^{WF} ¹ ^{T1}

If you are a psychology graduate, undertake an additional year of study to get registered as a provisional psychologist. This course takes graduates of Bachelor of Psychological Science (or equivalent) and Graduate Diploma of Psychological Studies one step closer to a career as a psychologist.

In the Graduate Diploma of Psychology, you will undertake both coursework and a research project, further developing your ability to critically evaluate theory and empirical studies.

You will also learn advanced skills in research design, implementation, analysis and reporting, as well as your understanding of professional responsibilities, standards of performance and ethical issues.

Once you complete the Graduate Diploma of Psychology, you can then complete either two years of supervised practice as a provisional psychologist, or pursue further study.

Professional recognition

This course is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC), recognised for registration purposes by the Psychology Board of Australia and meet the requirements for associate membership of the Australian Psychological Society (APS). In addition, it provides a basis for students wishing to apply to undertake higher degree studies in a more specialised field of applied psychology.

Course structure

8 credit points, including two core research units of 2 credit points each.

8

Credit points

Core units

- Case Management and Professional Issues
- Psychological Assessment
- Research Methods in Psychology C
- Research Methods in Psychology D
- Research Project A (2 credit points)
- Research Project B (2 credit points)

Master of Professional Psychology^v ^{H744} ^B ¹ ^{T1}

The Master of Professional Psychology qualifies graduates with an advanced body of knowledge in a range of contexts for the professional practice of psychology. It equips you with the core competencies required by the Psychology Board of Australia (PsyBA) to practice as a generalist psychologist. Graduates at this level will have specialised knowledge and skills for the professional practice of psychology.

Professional recognition

On successful completion of this course, graduates will have acquired the necessary skills to proceed to secure a final year of supervised practice in the field to enable them to gain generalist registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia (under the ‘5+1 internship model’ for registration). The course has been granted conditional accreditation by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC). The eligibility of students for registration as a general psychologist by the Psychology Board of Australia is subject to meeting the requirements of the regulatory body (including the National Psychology Examination). Deakin University makes no representation that students will meet those requirements.

Course structure

Eight core units totalling 8 credit points.

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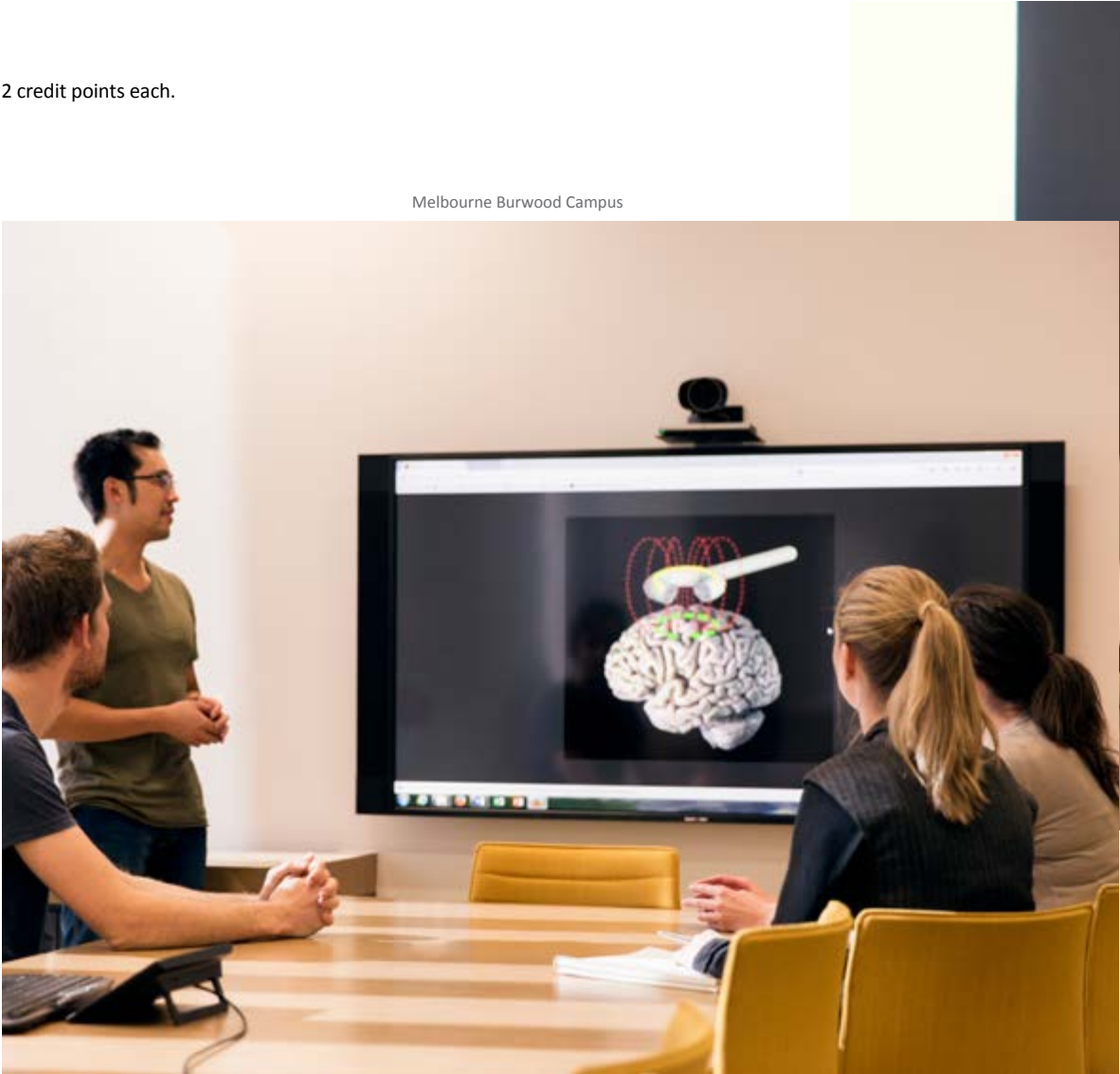
Core units

Credit points

Core units

- Applied Methods for Professional Practice
- Practice and Ethics in Professional Psychology
- Professional Practicum A
- Professional Practicum B
- Psychological Assessment in Practice
- Psychological Interview and Intervention Strategies
- Psychological Practice Across the Lifespan
- Working with Diverse Populations

^v This course is not available to international students.



Melbourne Burwood Campus



Psychology

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Master of Psychology (Clinical) H750 B WF 2 T1

Become a specialist in the diagnosis and treatment of psychological and mental health conditions. Based on an integrative approach to clinical psychology that emphasises evidence-based practice, this course has been designed in consultation with industry partners. Inter-related streams of theory, research and practice provide the skills needed to become a registered psychologist.

Our award-winning teaching strategies and learning resources include simulation and competency-based assessment approaches.

The course is based on the scientist/practitioner model that rests firmly on a foundation of established knowledge and current evidence-based research.

As a student in our clinical training programs, you will have opportunities to develop clinical skills in our unique clinics embedded in our public mental health partners, Eastern Health and Barwon Health and through placements in an array of community agencies. This lets you put your academic knowledge into real-life application, as well as developing your professional identity and practice through early adoption of supervision and professional learning plans.

Professional recognition

This course is accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC), and recognised by Psychology Board of Australia, the Australian Psychological Society (APS) and its College of Clinical Psychologists. On completion of the course you may apply to the Psychology Board of Australia for registration as a psychologist and to the APS for full membership. To obtain membership of the Clinical College of the APS and endorsement by the Psychology Board of Australia as a clinical psychologist, students are required to complete two years of approved supervised practice and fulfil professional development requirements.

Course structure

16 credit points covering three strands: theory, research and practice, including a minimum of 4 credit points each trimester over two years. All units are core.

16

Credit points

Core units

Advanced and Applied Research Methods
Advanced Clinical Assessment
Biological and Neuropsychological Perspectives on Disorder
Clinical Placement and Case Analysis 1
Clinical Placement and Case Analysis 2
Clinical Placement and Case Analysis 3
Issues in Professional Psychology
Psychological Assessment
Psychological Intervention 1
Psychological Intervention 2
Psychological Intervention 3
Research Thesis A
Research Thesis B
Research Thesis C
Studies in Psychopathology



‘As a clinical teaching program, we have strong links with industry partners. Students are expected to complete a minimum of 200 days clinical placement as part of their postgraduate training, which is arranged through our placement team. This work experience is invaluable in training clinical psychologists, but is also a requirement for registration following course completion.’

Jade Sheen
Senior lecturer, School of Psychology

Cognitive Neuroscience Unit,
Melbourne Burwood Campus



Deakin pathway to registration

Both Deakin’s master’s and doctorate in psychology programs are accredited by the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council (APAC) and recognised for the purpose of registration as a psychologist by the Psychology Board of Australia and for membership of the Australian Psychological Society (APS). These programs also provide a pathway to area of practice endorsement in clinical or organisational psychology.

Master of Psychology (Organisational)

WF 2 T1

Work with organisations, teams and individual employees to improve their performance and increase effectiveness and productivity in the workplace.

Organisational psychology is the fastest growing area of psychology in Australia and the US. You will be sought-after for your ability to analyse organisations and their people, and devise strategies to recruit, motivate, develop, change and inspire.

The Master of Psychology (Organisational) program at Deakin has very strong research, placement and consulting connections with a large number of external organisations. Deakin regularly welcomes international and local guest lecturers and speakers throughout the year.

The Master of Psychology (Organisational) equips you with the academic, practical and research skills required for accreditation and registration, and for employment in one of the many organisations employing psychologists with these kinds of skills and experience.

Professional recognition

The degree qualifies you to register as a generalist psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia and also allows you to apply for entry to their approved registrar program to gain endorsement as an organisational psychologist.



Course structure

16 credit points covering three inter-related strands: theory, research and practice. All units are core. Students are required to complete a minimum of 1000 hours (approximately 133 days) of professional work experience within an approved organisational setting.

16

Core units

16

Credit points

Core units

An Introduction to Organisational Psychology
Applied Methodology for Organisational Analysis
Facilitation, Training and Evaluation in Organisations
Issues in Professional Organisational Psychology
Leadership Assessment, Development and Coaching
Occupational Health and Wellbeing
Organisational Development and Change Management
Organisational Intervention Strategies and Skills
Organisational Placement 1
Organisational Placement 2
Organisational Placement 3
Psychological Assessment in Organisations
Research Thesis A
Research Thesis B
Research Thesis C
Research Thesis D

Master of Applied Sport Science^v H707 C 1 T1, T2, T3

The Master of Applied Sport Science (MASS) is designed to meet the need for high-level sport scientists employed in professional and semi-professional sport and at various institutes of sport. The course provides the necessary skills that leading high performance scientists require, from program design, strength and conditioning, performance analysis, ethical and evidence-based practice, through to research and management. Graduates will have advanced and integrated knowledge and understanding of sport science.

The course is taught by leaders in sport science who combine strong discipline expertise with extensive industry experience in high performance sport. In addition, Deakin’s School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences was recently ranked number one in the world for sport science.

MASS students undertake study in an online environment, combined with hands-on experiences at Deakin’s Elite Sports Precinct at Geelong, to help develop practical skills. Assessments have a strong link to professional practice and emulate work-relevant tasks. Students also engage in external practicum experiences in top sporting institutions, housing some of Australia’s most elite athletes and coaches.

Professional recognition

Students may meet most of the requirements for accreditation with:

- Exercise and Sport Science Australia (ESSA) as a Sport Scientist (level 1 or 2 depending on work experience)
- The International Society of Performance Analysis in Sport as a level 1 Accredited Performance Analyst.

Students will need to contact the organisation/s to enquire about their application requirements and process.

Exit points

- Graduate Certificate in Applied Sport Science 0.5
- Graduate Diploma in Applied Sport Science 1

Course structure

12 credit points.



Credit points

Core units

- Advanced Sport Performance Analysis
- Applied Sport Science Project – Part 1
- Athlete and Program Development in High Performance Sport^
- Data Analysis and Program Evaluation for Sports Scientists
- Factors Influencing Training Design for Sport^
- High Performance Management in Sport^
- Sport Performance Analysis
- Strength and Conditioning Methods for Athletes^
- The Scientific Process for Sports Scientists

Plus

Applied Sport Science Project – Part 2

Or

Professional Practice

^v This course is not available to international students.
[^] Unit with campus-based intensive activities delivered at Geelong Warrn Ponds Campus.

Master of Business (Sport Management)



Australia has one of the strongest sporting sectors in the world. Underpinning this multi-billion dollar industry are the business professionals who provide direction and leadership to sporting organisations across the country.

There are significant opportunities for those who acquire professional expertise in the management of the growth industry of sport. Whether it is at elite, semi-elite or recreational level, sport management at Deakin prepares you to deliver on this strategic dimension of the industry, in areas such as finance, marketing, management or development.

According to the prestigious SportsBusiness International (SBI), which has three times named Melbourne the sporting capital of the world, Deakin is currently ranked in the top 10 in the world for sport management education and is the only Australian program to make the top 25. Graduates of Deakin’s Master of Business (Sport Management) rank in the top five per cent for average salaries three years after graduation, compared to their peers around the globe.

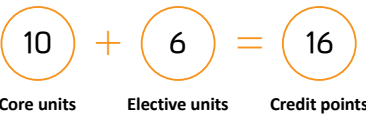
Tailored for professionals with extensive industry experience, this degree integrates business disciplines to provide you with effective management and direction skills.

Pathway

- Graduate Certificate of Business (Sport Management) 1 PT

Course structure

10 core units and six elective units totalling 16 credit points.



Core units

- Economics for Managers
- Facility and Event Management
- Financial Interpretation
- Introduction to the Sport Industry
- Management (Sport)
- Master of Human Resource Management
- Sport and the Law
- Sport Marketing
- Sport Promotions and Public Relations
- Sport Organisation Theory
- Strategic Management

Elective units

The following two units are recommended, otherwise students may select any postgraduate units.

- Athlete Management
- Sport Broadcasting

* Core units are not available for this intake.

PT = Part time

Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology H743 B 1.5 T1

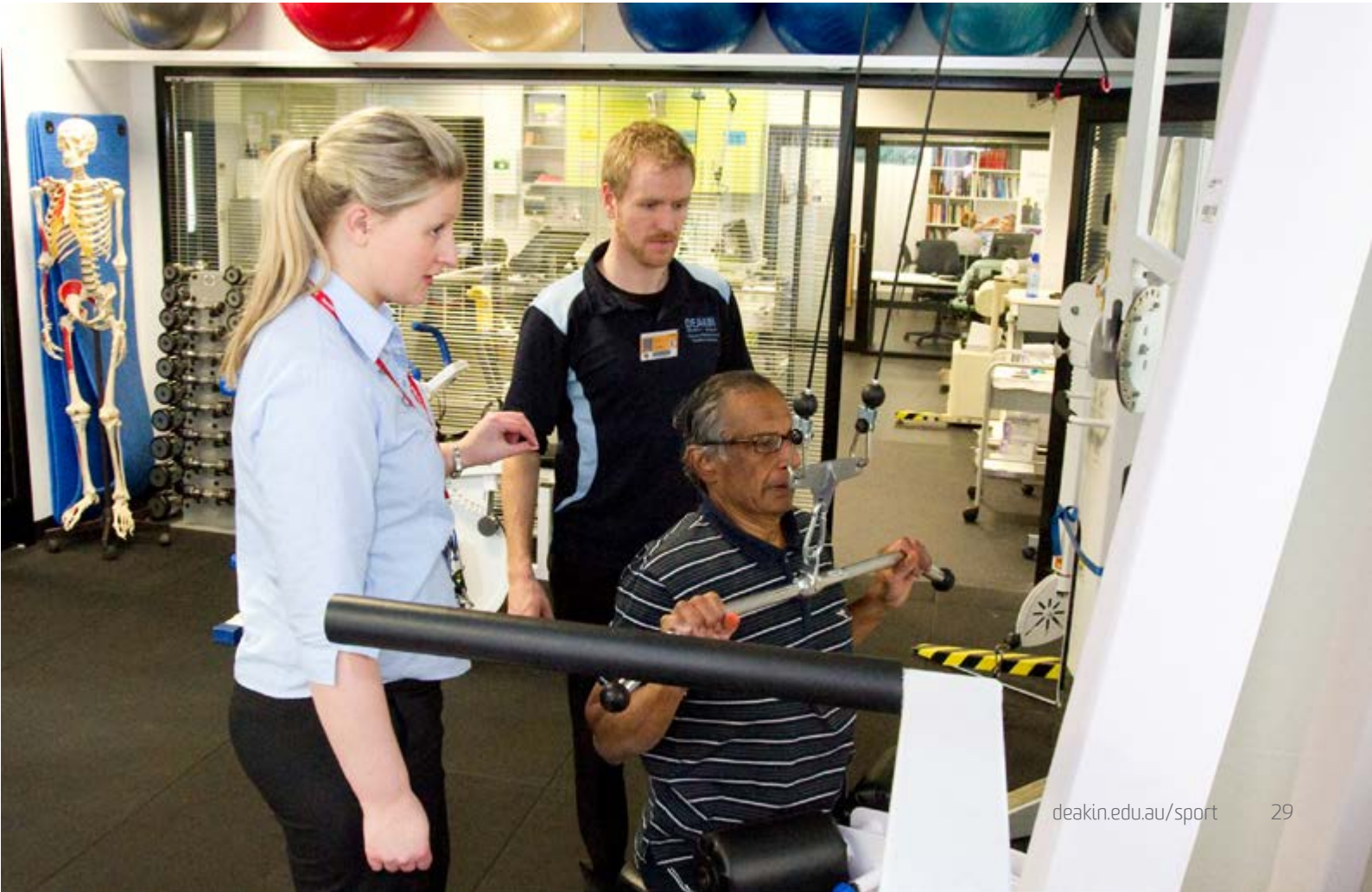
Deakin’s Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology (MCEP) program is the first clinical exercise course in Victoria to achieve accreditation with Exercise and Sports Science Australia (ESSA) and has produced award-winning graduates, including ESSA supervisor of the year and graduate of the year.

MCEP students undertake study and hands-on experience in a clinical setting in Deakin’s award-winning Clinical Exercise Learning Centre at the Melbourne Burwood Campus, as well as at the Baker IDI Heart and Diabetes Institute, where students develop practical skills under close supervision and mentoring. Students then embark on a range of external clinical practicum experiences organised by the University, designed to optimise students’ exposure to a wide range of clientele, practitioners and institutions.

Professional recognition

The Master of Clinical Exercise Physiology (H743) is the first AEP course in Victoria to be accredited by Exercise and Sports Science Australia (ESSA). Students are eligible to apply for accreditation as Accredited Exercise Physiologists (AEPs) upon completion of the course, and are then eligible for provider numbers with Medicare Australia, WorkSafe Victoria, DVA, TAC, and other compensable funds and schemes.

Clinical Exercise Learning Centre, Melbourne Burwood Campus.



Course structure

12 credit points.



Credit points

Core units

- Mental Health and Exercise Behaviour
- Exercise Physiology for Cardiopulmonary Disease
- Exercise Physiology for Musculoskeletal Injury and Disease
- Pre Clinical Practice 1
- Exercise Physiology for Neurological and Neuromuscular Disease
- Exercise Physiology for Metabolic Disease
- Pre Clinical Practice 2
- Clinical Practicum 1
- Exercise Physiology for Special Populations
- Research in Clinical Exercise Physiology
- Clinical Practicum 2
- Clinical Practicum 3

Covering the broad spectrum of health, our research is helping to improve the lives and wellbeing of people and communities on a global scale. From medicine, ageing, chronic illness and disability to nutrition, physical activity and child health, we’re continually striving to uncover new frontiers through persistent curiosity and groundbreaking research. Become a master’s, honours or PhD student with Deakin’s Faculty of Health and gain access to first-class facilities, world-renowned supervisors and extensive research possibilities.

	Campus	Course duration in years [#]	Trimester intake options [^]	2018 domestic full fee (8 CP)*	2018 international fee*	IELTS~
Research degrees						
Graduate Certificate of Health Research Practice H541	C	0.5	T1	\$29 992	–	7/6.5
Master of Applied Science H860	C B WP WF	2	T1, T2, T3	–	\$36 184	7/6.5
Master of Applied Science H861	C B WP WF	2	T1, T2, T3	–	\$33 824	7/6.5
Master of Nursing H821	C B WP WB	2	T1, T2, T3	–	\$33 824	7/6.5
Doctor of Philosophy H920	C B WP WB	3–4	T1, T2, T3	–	\$34 152	7/6.5
Doctor of Philosophy H930	C B WP WF	3–4	T1, T2, T3	–	\$34 152	7/6.5
Doctor of Philosophy H910 H940	C B WP WF	3–4	T1, T2, T3	–	\$34 152 \$36 712	7/6.5
Doctor of Philosophy H950	C B WP WB	3–4	T1, T2, T3	–	\$36 712	7/6.5
Doctor of Psychology (Clinical) ^π H951	B	4	T1	–	\$39 500	7/7
Doctor of Philosophy (Health and Disease) H960	C B WP WB	3–4	T1, T2, T3	–	\$36 712	7/6.5
Doctor of Philosophy (Health) H961	C B WP WB	3–4	T1, T2, T3	–	\$34 152	7/6.5
Master of Philosophy H800	WP	2	T1	–	\$36 184	6.5/6
Master of Social Work (Research) H803	C WF	1–2	T1, T2, T3	–	\$33 824	7/6.5

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* If you’re a successful applicant for research degree candidature, and you’re an Australian citizen, permanent resident or New Zealand citizen, you won’t pay any tuition fees. A unit or subject is usually 1 credit point (CP). Fees quoted are based on an annual full-time study load (8 CP/1 FT), regardless of your unit selection. If the course duration is more than 1 year full-time study (1 FT), the annual fee does not represent the full cost of the course, it represents the cost of 1 year full-time study (8 CP) in 2018. Fee-Paying Place (FPP): 2018 annual course fees for FPPs are shown in the 2018 fee (8 CP) column. Fees displayed should be used as a guide only and are subject to change. Please visit [deakin.edu.au/fees](#) for the most up-to-date information. International fees are based on 8 credit points in one year of full-time study, unless otherwise indicated.

[^] Most courses start in Trimester 1 (March to June). This column indicates whether you have the option of commencing your studies in Trimester 2 (July to October) or Trimester 3 (November to February). Not all units are offered in every trimester.

[#] Course lengths may vary in response to requirements within the Australian Qualifications Framework. Applicants should refer to the handbook for the latest information, [deakin.edu.au/handbook](#).

[~] IELTS is the International English Language Testing System. The IELTS scores in the table above reflect the minimum overall score required as well as the lowest score allowed for any band (overall score/lowest band score).

^π Students who are selected into H951 Doctor of Psychology (Clinical) must obtain provisional registration from the Psychology Board of Australia prior to their first class.

Research snapshot

Deakin is a key partner in the Geelong Centre for Emerging Infectious Diseases – Australia’s first ‘One Health’ facility. It takes a new, multidisciplinary approach to managing infectious diseases in people, animals, and the environment.

In a world-first, our researchers have pioneered the industrial production of high-value short fibre materials. The potential of these tiny fibres is hugely promising – already, discoveries in stem cell expansion are set to improve leukaemia treatment across the globe.

Our research in autism has led to the adoption of improved diagnostic and treatment guidelines by the international medical community.

In the mental health domain, teams of scientists are collaborating on major programs to improve understanding and treatment of psychiatric disorders.

Deakin researchers are also overseeing Australia’s longest-running longitudinal study on child development. Insights gleaned from this project will improve public health policy and potentially break inter-generational cycles of disadvantage.

Strategic research centres

The Faculty of Health house six key strategic research centres.

- Innovation in Mental and Physical Health and Clinical Treatments (IMPACT)
- Centre for Social and Early Emotional Development (SEED)
- Centre for Molecular and Medical Research (MMR)
- Centre for Population Health Research (CPHR)
- Centre for Quality and Patient Safety Research (QPS)
- Centre for Sport Research (CSR)

Find out more at [deakin.edu.au/research/improving-health-and-wellbeing](#).

Our Faculty research centres

As well as Deakin’s institutes and strategic research centres, the Faculty of Health supports a number of research centres that focus on improving health and wellbeing. These range from investigating chronic diseases, such as obesity and diabetes, to neuroscience, rural medicine and infectious disease.

- Global Obesity Centre
- Geelong Centre for Emerging Infectious Diseases
- The Australian Centre for Behavioural Research in Diabetes
- Deakin Child Study Centre
- Western Alliance Academic Health Science Centre
- National Centre for Farmer Health
- Centre for Investigative Interviewing
- The Australian Centre on Quality of Life
- Bioinformatics Core Research Group

Other faculty research groups include:

- Centre for Advanced Sensory Science
- Cognitive Neuroscience Unit
- Metabolic Research Unit
- Centre for Rural Emergency Medicine
- Centre for Health through Action on Social Exclusion

Find out more at [deakin.edu.au/health/faculty-research](#).



Research



Institute for Physical Activity and Nutrition

The Institute for Physical Activity and Nutrition (IPAN) is a world-leading research institute led by Alfred Deakin Professors David Crawford and Jo Salmon.

IPAN's vision is to improve the health and quality of life of Australians through nutrition and physical activity research excellence. Their aim is to be the leading research institute in the world for solutions-focused nutrition and physical activity research.

The institute conducts high quality, multidisciplinary nutrition and physical activity research to actively inform policy and practice, in order to improve health and wellbeing.

Visit deakin.edu.au/ipan for more information.

Institute for Healthcare Transformation

The Institute for Healthcare Transformation is a national centre for health systems research, seeking to understand, develop and deploy systems of care that optimise efficacy, effectiveness, efficiency and equity of healthcare delivery. The Institute involves cross-disciplinary research connecting multiple disciplines, such as public health, nursing, medicine, and psychology.

Work placement requirements

In accordance with Department of Human Services policy*, all students are required to undertake a National Police Record Check prior to clinical placements in each calendar year of their course. Students who fail to obtain a Police Record Check prior to the commencement of clinical placement will not be able to undertake clinical placement.

Students may also be required to declare their immunisation status to satisfy the requirements of health organisations where they will be undertaking their clinical learning experience.

* Department of Human Services Policy on Working with Children Check and Police Records Checks can be found at: www.dhs.vic.gov.au/facs/bdb/fmu/service-agreement/4.departmental-policies-procedures-and-initiatives/4.6-safety-screening-for-funded-organisations.



'Deakin offers a very supportive environment. Supervisors have an open-door policy and are always available to help with questions along the way and give timely feedback. I had a lot of great support from my primary supervisor. She prepared me well for future employment options.'

Dr Carley Grimes
Alfred Deakin Postdoctoral Research Fellow



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