

University of Tasmania
School of Nursing & Midwifery
2010 Enrolment Information
Graduate Certificate in Nursing/Graduate Diploma of Nursing

Choosing Units

The Graduate Certificate in Nursing consists of four units and the Graduate Diploma of Nursing consists of eight units.

For the **Graduate Certificate in Nursing** there are a number of streams:

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You should select one stream which consists of four 12.5% units. Please visit this website to complete your enrolment: <http://www.snm.utas.edu.au/> then click on "Enrolling" and then click on Graduate Certificate in Nursing/Graduate Diploma of Nursing.

The above streams are also available at **Graduate Diploma of Nursing** level. In addition, the Child and Family Health Nursing (Table S) specialisation is offered as a Graduate Diploma of Nursing. Students who have completed a Graduate Certificate in Nursing may upgrade to a Graduate Diploma of Nursing by completing four additional units (see Table T).

TABLE S: CHILD & FAMILY HEALTH NURSING

TABLE T: UPGRADING STUDENTS WHO HAVE ALREADY COMPLETED A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN NURSING

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E-student Centre

To enrol, please visit this website: <http://www.utas.edu.au/students/index.html> and then click on the eStudentCentre. You will need your UTAS username and password. If you have any difficulties enrolling, please call 1300 361 928 (Student Centre at UTAS).

Units per semester

The maximum number of units you can enrol in for a part-time course is two units per semester.

If you have any questions regarding your unit enrolment or credit, please feel free to contact Merodi Jack, Postgrad Admin Officer on 03 6324 3024 or email Merodi.Jack@utas.edu.au or Tina Pinkard, Postgrad Admin Officer on 03 6324 3519 or email Tina.Pinkard@utas.edu.au

In the following tables, Study Centres are designated as H (Hobart), L (Launceston), N (Interstate) and W (Cradle Coast). Attendance is indicated as D (Distance) or F (some face-to-face contact included).

TABLE A: ACUTE CARE NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA780	Communication & Assessment in Acute Care Nursing	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA782	The Illness Experience	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA781	Practice Advancement in Acute Care Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA783	The Politics of Acute Care Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE B: AGED CARE NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA750	Healthy Ageing	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA513	Foundations of Community Nursing Practice	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA751	Health Assessment and Ageing	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA109	Student Initiated Project in Aged Care	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE C: ANAESTHETICS & RECOVERY NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA756	Foundations of Perioperative Nursing Theory	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA772	Foundations of Critical Care Nursing Science	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA532	Anaesthetics & Recovery Nursing 1	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA534	Anaesthetics & Recovery Nursing 2	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE D: CARDIOVASCULAR NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA540	Cardiovascular Nursing 1	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA772	Foundations of Critical Care Nursing Science	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA519	Cardiovascular Nursing 2	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA520	Cardiovascular Nursing 3	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE E: CLINICAL NURSING & TEACHING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
	Any Grad Dip or Grad Cert Nursing unit @ 12.5%	1	D	H, L, N, W
	Any Grad Dip or Grad Cert Nursing unit @ 12.5%	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA632	Teaching & Learning in Clinical Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA699	Professional Development in Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W

For example students could select study option 1:

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA613	Project Management for Health Professionals	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA672	Research for Clinical Practice A	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA632	Teaching & Learning in Clinical Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA699	Professional Development in Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W

Also students could select a combination of the units offered in semester 1, or be granted credit for previous study for the Clinical Nursing and Teaching stream. Please discuss this with Sheryl Brennan S.Brennan@utas.edu.au (phone 03 6324 3087) or Merodi Jack Merodi.Jack@utas.edu.au (phone 03 6324 3024).

If you have completed a Preceptor Education Program, please enclose documentation to be granted partial credit in CNA699.

TABLE F: COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA513	Foundations of Community Nursing Practice	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA515	Foundations of Health & Wellbeing in the Community	1	D	H, L, N, W
	Any Semester 2 Grad Dip or Grad Cert Nursing unit @ 12.5%	2	D	H, L, N, W
	Any Semester 2 Grad Dip or Grad Cert Nursing unit @ 12.5%	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE G: CRITICAL CARE NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA770	Foundations of Critical Care Nursing Practice	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA772	Foundations of Critical Care Nursing Science	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA771	Contemporary Critical Care Nursing Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA773	Contemporary Critical Care Nursing Science	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE H: EMERGENCY NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA784	Foundations of Emergency Nursing Practice	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA786	Foundations of Emergency Nursing Science	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA785	Clinical Perspectives of Emergency Nursing Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA787	Triage and Complex Management of the Emergency and Trauma Patient	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE I: IMMIGRATION NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA515	Foundations of Health & Wellbeing in the Community	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA780	Communication and Assessment in Acute Care Nursing	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA728	Food, Culture and Health	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA522	Cultural Aspects of Immigration Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE J: MENTAL HEALTH/PSYCHIATRIC NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA740	Foundations of Mental Health Nursing, Theory 1	1	F	H, L, N, W
CNA742	Foundations of Mental Health Nursing, Practice 1	1	F	H, L, N, W
CNA741	Foundations of Mental Health Nursing, Theory 2	2	F	H, L, N, W
CNA743	Foundations of Mental Health Nursing, Practice 2	2	F	H, L, N, W

TABLE K: NEONATAL INTENSIVE CARE NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA506	Foundations of Children's Nursing 1	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA508	Foundations of Children's Nursing 2	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA521	Contemporary Neonatal Intensive Care Nursing Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA523	Contemporary Neonatal Intensive Care Nursing Theory	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE L: NEUROLOGICAL NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA535	Neurological Nursing 1	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA772	Foundations of Critical Care Nursing Science	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA536	Neurological Nursing 2	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA523	Neurological Nursing 3	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE M: ONCOLOGY NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA511	Oncology Nursing 1	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA782	The Illness Experience	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA512	Oncology Nursing 2	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA514	Oncology Nursing 3	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE N: PAEDIATRIC NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA506	Foundations of Children's Nursing 1	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA508	Foundations of Children's Nursing 2	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA765	Acute Care Management of the Child and Family Theory	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA767	Acute Care Management of the Child and Family Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE O: PERIOPERATIVE NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA754	Foundations of Perioperative Nursing Practice	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA756	Foundations of Perioperative Nursing Theory	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA755	Contemporary Perioperative Nursing Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA757	Contemporary Perioperative Nursing Theory	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE P: REHABILITATION NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA503	Rehabilitation Nursing 1	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA504	Rehabilitation Nursing 2	1	D	H, L, N, W
	Any Semester 2 Grad Dip or Grad Cert Nursing unit @ 12.5%	2	D	H, L, N, W
	Any Semester 2 Grad Dip or Grad Cert Nursing unit @ 12.5%	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE Q: RENAL NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA562	Foundations of Renal Nursing	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA772	Foundations of Critical Care Nursing Science	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA573	Contemporary Renal Replacement Therapy	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA576	Self Management in Renal Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE R: SPECIAL CARE OF THE NEWBORN NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA506	Foundations of Children's Nursing 1	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA508	Foundations of Children's Nursing 2	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA529	Special Care of the Newborn Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA530	Special Care of the Newborn Theory	2	D	H, L, N, W

TABLE S: CHILD & FAMILY HEALTH NURSING

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA752	Child and Family Health Nursing Clinical Practice 1	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA758	Foundations of Child and Family Health Nursing	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA753	Child and Family Health Nursing Clinical Practice 2	2	F	H, L, N, W
CNA759	Theoretical Aspects of Child and Family Health Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W

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CNA613	Project Management for Health Professionals	1	D	H, L, N, W
CNA672	Research for Clinical Practice A	1	D	H, L, N, W
	Any Semester 2 Grad Dip or Grad Cert Nursing unit @ 12.5%	2	D	H, L, N, W
	Any Semester 2 Grad Dip or Grad Cert Nursing unit @ 12.5%	2	D	H, L, N, W

HEALTH STUDIES ELECTIVES UNITS

Unit code	Unit title	Sem	Attend	Study Centre
CNA522	Cultural Aspects of Immigration Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA525	Contemporary Paediatric Intensive Care Nursing Theory*	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA527	Contemporary Paediatric Intensive Care Nursing Practice*	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA601	Nurses and Conflict: War Experiences	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA603	Context of Diabetes Mellitus	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA604	Diabetes Mellitus Nursing: Interventions and Outcomes	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA605	Respiratory Nursing: Improving Self-Management for Clients	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA618	Trauma Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA626	High Dependency Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA632	Teaching & Learning in Clinical Practice	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA688	Research for Clinical Practice B	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA699	Professional Development in Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA727	Immunisation Education for Registered Nurses (Tasmania only)	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA728	Food, Culture and Health	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA729	Responding to Domestic Violence	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA781	Practice Development in Acute Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNA783	The Politics of Acute Care Nursing	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNAxxx	Living Rough: Health and Homelessness	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNAyyy	Assessment and Management of Pain	2	D	H, L, N, W
CNAzzz	Introduction to Wound Management	2	D	H, L, N, W
CRH500	Introduction to Health Informatics	2	D	H, L, N, W

* These units are only available to students who have completed postgraduate study in paediatric nursing.