HLT54121 Diploma of Nursing

The Diploma of Nursing is conducted over 5 Study Periods or trimesters with each one consisting of a 12 week teaching period.

This course comprises of 25 subjects that you are required to complete following the order of the below Required Study Pattern.

Prerequisite subject - a subject you must complete before undertaking another subject

Corequisite subject - a subject you must complete with another subject at the same time

RPL - Should you have any Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) credits that make you eligible for exemptions, or you are eligible for course credit transfer please contact your Program Director to discuss further.

How to read the below Suggested Study Pattern (as a Full Time Student):

You should read the Suggested Study Pattern from top to bottom, which would result in your five Study Periods (trimesters) looking as follows: 1st Study Period

1st Study Period 2nd Study Period 3rd Study Period 4th Study Period 5th Study Period

REQUIRED STUDY PATTERN					
Year	Туре	Subject Code	Subject Name	Prerequisite or Corequisite	
Study Period 1					
Year 1	Core	HLTENN036	Apply communication skills in nursing practice.	-	-
	Elective	HLTCCD003	Use medical terminology in health care	-	-
	Core	HLTWHS002	Follow safe work practices for direct client care.	-	-
	Core	HLTINF006	Apply basic principles and practices of infection prevention and control.		
	Core	HLTAAP002	Confirm physical health status.	-	-
	Core	HLTAAP003	Analyse and respond to client health information.	-	-
	Study Period 2				
	Core	HLTENN068	Provide end of life care and a palliative approach in nursing practice.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN045	Implement and monitor care of the older person.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN041	Apply legal and ethical parameters to nursing practice.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN035	Practice nursing within the Australian health care system.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN037	Perform clinical assessment and contribute to planning nursing care.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN038	Implement, monitor and evaluate nursing care.	-	-
	Workplace Integrated Learning - Non-Acute Sector (80 hours)				
			Study Period 3		
	Core	CHCPRP003	Reflect on and improve own professional practice.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN047	Apply nursing practice in the primary health care setting.	-	-
	Elective	CHCLLN001	Respond to client language, literacy and numeracy needs.	-	-
	Elective	HLTWHS006	Manage personal stressors in the work environment.	-	-
	Core	CHCDIV001	Work with diverse people.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN039	Apply principles of wound management.	-	-
	Workplace Integrated Learning - Sub-Acute and/or Primary Health Sector (80 hours)				
YEAR 2			Study Period 4		
	Core	HLTENN042	Implement and monitor care for a person with mental health conditions.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN044	Implement and monitor care for a person with chronic health conditions.	-	-
	Core	HLTENN040	Administer and monitor medicines and intravenous therapy.	-	-
	Workplace Integrated Learning - Mental Health Sector (80 hours)				
	Study Period 5				
	Core	HLTENN043	Implement and monitor care for a person with acute health conditions.	Nil	-
	Core	CHCDIV002	Promote Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural safety.	Nil	-
	Elective	HLTENN057	Contribute to the nursing care of a person with diabetes.	Nil	-
	Elective	CHCPOL003	Research and apply evidence to practice.		

Workplace Integrated Learning - Acute Sector (160 hours)