

# Bachelor of Nursing (Accelerated)

**Fast track your registered nurse qualification with our accelerated program for enrolled nurses.**

A nursing degree is your first step towards a vibrant, diverse and in-demand career. Nurses are a vital part of the health care system with nearly 300,000 registered nurses in Australia working in hospitals and community settings – such as residential care, home care, general practice, clinics and public health.

## Learn from the best

UTS is leading the way when it comes to nursing education – #1 in Australia for our academic reputation in nursing and midwifery<sup>^</sup>. Our courses are led by dynamic and highly qualified teaching staff, all with extensive experience in clinical, education, policy or research roles.

## World-class facilities

As a nursing student, you'll have the opportunity to gain new skills, collaborate within a real-world environment, and practice using the latest equipment, facilities and technologies. Feel like a nurse from day one in our clinical practice laboratories and simulation units that look and feel exactly like hospital wards, aged care facilities and community health settings.

[uts.edu.au/health-clinical-labs](https://uts.edu.au/health-clinical-labs)

## What will clinical placements look like?

We've developed a placement program that will lead you to success, with clinical placements embedded in five subjects. You'll gain a minimum of 640 hours of hands-on experience in some of our 100+ partner hospitals and health clinics before graduating.

First year	Second year
240 hours over 3 clinical placements	400 hours over 2 clinical placements

[uts.edu.au/clinicalpractice](https://uts.edu.au/clinicalpractice)

## Industry-connected

Beyond UTS, we're affiliated with more than 100 clinical facilities across NSW. These professional connections provide clinical placements for students like you, and they're a great starting point for you to build your professional network.

## Who is this course for?

To be eligible, you will have successfully completed an Accredited Enrolled Nurse program in the last five years and have current registration with the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA).

As a tertiary educated enrolled nurse<sup>#</sup>, you'll be given credit recognition (4.8 credit points) for your previous studies. This means you'll complete your degree in two years' full-time study.

<sup>^</sup> QS World University Rankings by Subject 2022.

<sup>#</sup> Hospital trained enrolled nurses are not eligible for the accelerated course.

## Key information

<b>Intake:</b>	Autumn
<b>Duration:</b>	2 years (full-time)
<b>UAC Code:</b>	606004 (Enrolled Nurse)

**Go further:** Our Bachelor of Nursing (Honours) may be available to you as an additional one year full-time or two years part-time course.

## What will I study?

Our emphasis on hands-on practice means you'll be applying theoretical knowledge in a range of clinical scenarios embedded in simulations, case studies and professional placements throughout your degree.

Complete subjects in all areas of professional nursing, such as acute and chronic care, older person and mental health care, leadership and Indigenous Health.

With a specialty elective in your final year, you can hone your interests and skills to work in critical care, perioperative nursing, paediatrics, palliative care, aged care, mental health and more.



Find out more, visit [uts.edu.au/course/c10122](https://uts.edu.au/course/c10122)

[uts.edu.au/health](https://uts.edu.au/health)



“The amount of research we’ve done allows you to question current practices, ensures you provide evidence-based interventions, and gives you the ability to provide outstanding holistic patient care. It’s given me the confidence to do more advanced skills at work, but has also given me a great amount of confidence for higher level thinking.”

**Ethan Watters**  
Bachelor of Nursing  
(Accelerated)

# Applying to UTS

## How to apply

Ready to apply for a UTS degree? Start by choosing your preferred course and checking the eligibility requirements to make sure it’s a good fit. Next, submit your application via the Universities Admissions Centre – you can list up to five course preferences, so make sure you use them all!

🔗 [uts.edu.au/ug-apply](https://uts.edu.au/ug-apply)

## Admissions schemes

Need to boost your selection rank? Apply for a UTS admission scheme and we’ll consider your ATAR plus other selection criteria when we assess your application. There are a range of merit and access based schemes. If you’re a high achiever, or if life events have impacted your Year 12 results, these schemes can help you make the leap into your chosen degree.

🔗 [uts.edu.au/admission-schemes](https://uts.edu.au/admission-schemes)

## Admission pathways

Our admission pathways provide an alternative route into your preferred UTS course – from internal programs (e.g. Jumbunna, Unistart) to external options (e.g. STAT, limited ATARs or vocational diplomas), there’s more than one way to get into UTS.

🔗 [uts.edu.au/admission-pathways](https://uts.edu.au/admission-pathways)

## English language requirements

There are English language proficiency requirements for all courses, and there are special requirements for nursing and midwifery courses to ensure compliance with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia. If you have studied overseas you may need to demonstrate your English proficiency.

🔗 [uts.edu.au/english-language-requirements](https://uts.edu.au/english-language-requirements)

## Scholarships

Whether you’re a high achiever, need a financial boost, or want to get your hands on some amazing professional opportunities, we offer millions of dollars in coursework scholarships that have the potential to enhance your UTS experience. Make sure you get in quick.

🔗 [uts.edu.au/scholarships](https://uts.edu.au/scholarships)

## Health Dean’s Scholarship

Established by UTS Health to support a high achieving school leaver commencing an undergraduate Health degree.

– Value: \$10, 000 over one year

🔗 [uts.edu.au/scholarship/health-deans-scholarship](https://uts.edu.au/scholarship/health-deans-scholarship)

## NSW Nursing and Midwifery Scholarships

NSW Health offers a range of scholarships to nursing and midwifery students.

🔗 [health.nsw.gov.au/nursing/scholarship](https://health.nsw.gov.au/nursing/scholarship)

## Fees and financial assistance

As a domestic student, you’ll study in a Commonwealth Supported Place – the Australian Government will fund some of the cost of your study, while you’ll pay a student contribution and other fees direct to UTS. The good news? The HECS-HELP loan scheme lets you defer the cost of your student contribution until you reach a set income threshold. What’s more, the UTS Financial Assistance Service can help you get on top of your personal finances, giving you more time to focus on study.

🔗 [uts.edu.au/csp](https://uts.edu.au/csp)

## Contact us

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## Info Sessions

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\* Selection ranks: published ranks indicate the lowest ATAR plus any applicable adjustment points to which an offer was made to a domestic recent school leaver for the Autumn 2022 intake. Different entry requirements apply to international applicants and non-recent school leavers.

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