Course Overview

This course offers suitably qualified health sciences practitioners with the opportunity to develop their skills in teaching, assessment, curriculum design and research. The student teacher will learn in both simulated and professional practice contexts, which are underpinned by the philosophy of interdisciplinary learning.

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This results in teachers who are thoughtful, self-critical and more importantly, prepared for the challenges of teaching within higher education. Nurses and midwives who successful complete the M.Sc. in Clinical Health Sciences Education will be eligible to apply for registration as a nurse tutor (RNT) with The Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland.

Entry requirements
Nurses and midwives applying for admission to this course must meet all of the following criteria:
- currently registered on the appropriate division of the live register held by The Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland;
- hold an honours degree in nursing or midwifery;
- have a minimum of three years full-time recent clinical experience practice or equivalent since registration. This experience must be where student nurses or midwives are undertaking placements.
Applicants who hold an M.Sc. in Nursing or M.Sc. in Midwifery may apply to complete the Postgraduate Diploma in Clinical Health Sciences Education. These applicants would be required to undertake the Year One modules only.

M.Sc. in Clinical Health Sciences Education (for other health sciences professionals)

Year One
NU7012 The Psychology and Sociology of Education (10)
NU7003 Theory and Practice of Clinical Health Sciences Education (20)
NU7801 Facilitating Learning in the Practice Environment (10)
NU8003 Curriculum Issues in Health Sciences Education (20)

Year Two
NU7013 Theory and Practice of Enquiry Methods for Healthcare (10)
NU8007 Dissertation (30)

Entry requirements
Health sciences professionals applying for admission to this course must meet all of the following criteria:
- currently registered with the appropriate professional body;
- currently employed in an area relevant to their profession;
- hold an honours degree in the relevant discipline or equivalent professional and academic qualifications;
- have a minimum of three years’ full-time recent clinical experience practice or equivalent since registration.
- This experience must be where learners are undertaking placements.
Applicants who hold an M.Sc. in a health sciences subject may apply to complete the Postgraduate Diploma in Clinical Health Sciences Education. These applicants would be required to undertake the Year One modules only.

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