School of Nursing & Midwifery

Bachelor in Science (Nursing)

Intellectual Disability Nursing

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Introduction to Intellectual Disability Nursing:
Upon successful completion of this course, students will be awarded a B.Sc. (Cur.) Intellectual Disability Nursing from the University of Dublin. They will also be eligible to apply for entry on the Intellectual Disability division of the Register maintained by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland (NMBI). The intellectual disability nurse provides therapeutic interventions, practical support, and nursing care for persons with an intellectual disability of all ages and abilities. The intellectual disability nurse may work with persons with an intellectual disability in a diversity of roles, from intensive physical nursing of individuals with a profound disability, to facilitative guidance in assisting children, adolescents and adults to live lives of the highest quality in the community.

Venues for learning:
Theory: School of Nursing & Midwifery, D'Olier Street; Trinity Centre for Health Sciences, St James’s Hospital; main campus of Trinity College.
Practice: The linked Health Service Providers are Muiriosa Foundation and Stewarts and most practice placements occur in these sites. Students become employees of one of the Health Service Providers during their internship in the final year of the course.

The application process:
All applications for this course must go through the Central Applications Office (CAO)

Career opportunities:
This course is an excellent basis for career advancement in the area of intellectual disability nursing and further health related or social care studies. The Bachelor in Science (Nursing) Intellectual Disability Nursing course facilitates learning across wide and varied experiences and promotes flexibility for employment within and outside of the health service.

Why choose Nursing or Midwifery at Trinity College?
• Ranked 36th in the world (QSWU Rankings 2017).
• Trinity College is recognised worldwide for academic excellence and a transformative student experience.
• A degree from Trinity College provides many opportunities for employment and further study, both nationally and internationally.
• Our nursing skills equipment, laboratories and teaching facilities are state of the art.
• Access to the most extensive library in Ireland.
• Choose from over 100 clubs and societies to enrich your Trinity experience.
• Study in the heart of Dublin with all the nearby amenities of the City.

Further details are available from:
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