Bachelor in Science (Nursing) Intellectual Disability Nursing

School of Nursing & Midwifery

Faculty of Health Sciences, Trinity College Dublin, The University of Dublin
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 onto the Intellectual Disability division of the Register of Nurses and Midwives 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 Care Ltd 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 25th in the world (QSWU Rankings 2018).
• Trinity College is recognised worldwide for academic excellence in teaching and research and a transformative student experience.
• Access to dynamic health care environments for practice placement.
• A degree from Trinity College provides many opportunities for employment and further study, both nationally and internationally.
• Our nursing and midwifery 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:
School of Nursing and Midwifery Trinity College Dublin 24 D’Olier Street , Dublin 2, D02 T283 Tel: + 353-(0)1-896 2692 www.nursing-midwifery.tcd.ie

The Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland 18/20 Carysfort Avenue Blackrock, Co Dublin , A94 R299 Tel: 353-(0)1-639 8500 www.nmbi.ie

Central Applications Office Tower House Eglinton Street, Galway, H91 X25V Tel. +353-(0)91-509800 www.cao.ie

Key Facts
Duration of the course ...........................................................................................................4 years
Apply ..................................................................................................................................www.cao.ie
CAO Code ........................................................................................................ TR097 Intellectual Disability Nursing - Level 8
Awarding Body .................................................................................................................. The University of Dublin