

# M.Sc./P.Grad.Dip./P.Grad.Cert. in Nursing



### **COURSE OVERVIEW**

This course will enable students to develop the knowledge, skills and attitudes necessary to care for patients to the highest professional standards across the healthcare continuum. The modules offered are grounded in a body of evidence-based knowledge that promotes excellence in nursing practice.

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# Course Length 1 year full-time or 2 years part-

Award M.Sc. /P.Grad. Dip.

### Start Date September annually

NCQ Level

## Further information http://bit.ly/1K0CnBk

How to apply http://bit.ly/1xWzsSe

### Structure and delivery

**Year One:** Commences with a full week in September and thereafter one or two days per week for the remainder of the academic year (depending on whether the course is being undertaken full-time or part-time)

**Year Two:** attendance at workshops throughout the academic year.

A blended learning approach is utilised in the delivery of theoretical content, which includes lectures, group discussions and self-directed learning. The assessment process is a combination of written and practical assignments.

# Modules (ECTS are listed in brackets) Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing Year One

NU7004 Advancing the Theoretical Foundations for Nursing (10) NU7013 Theory and Practice of Enquiry Methods for Healthcare (10) NU7005 Ethics and Law in Healthcare (10)

NU7011 Leadership & Quality Improvement in Healthcare (10) NU7801 Facilitating Learning in the Practice Environment (10) NU7008 Advancing the Professional Role (10)

### Master in Science in Nursing Year One

NU7004 Advancing the Theoretical Foundations for Nursing (10)
NU7013 Theory and Practice of Research Methods for Healthcare (10)
NU7005 Ethics and Law in Healthcare (10)
NU7020 Leadership & Quality Improvement in Healthcare (10)
NU7801 Facilitating Learning in the Practice Environment (10) NU7008
Advancing the Professional Role (10)

#### **Year Two**

NU8007 Dissertation (30)

#### **Entry Requirements:**

- registration as a nurse on the live register held by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Ireland or, in the case of international applicants, registration as a nurse in their own country;
- hold at least an upper second class (2:1) honours degree in nursing or a related discipline or equivalent professional and academic qualification.
- otherwise satisfy the course committee of the ability to complete and benefit from the course;
- each applicant for the full-time taught M.Sc. course is required to submit a brief research plan as part of the application process. Please visit the link provided under further information to download the guidelines.

### Further details are available from

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