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Sydney, Fremantle and Broome Campuses

Are you seeking a rewarding career in nursing? The University of Notre Dame Australia's Bachelor of Nursing is highly regarded and forms the foundation for a career in nursing. The on-campus experience includes state-of-the-art learning spaces and prepares you to practise as a registered nurse.* Completed in three years of full-time study, our Bachelor of Nursing places a strong focus on the nurse-patient relationship and gives you the skills and confidence to work in various healthcare settings when you graduate.

Students will engage in a curriculum that has, at its core, patient safety and person-centred care. The curriculum takes an iterative approach to learning and developing registered nurse capability. There is a focus on critical thinking and reflection, clinical reasoning, and the use of current evidence and research. These factors are essential in the development of sound clinical decisions and to practise safely in a complex health environment.

Why study a Bachelor of Nursing at Notre Dame?

- ✓ Our graduates are highly sought after and are regarded as some of the best in Australia.
- ✓ Learn from experienced academics who are all registered nurses with a broad range of expertise.
- ✓ Study a program that is centred around patient safety and person-centred care.
- ✓ Benefit from the collective knowledge and experience among our extensive network of industry connections.
- ✓ Expand your career possibilities by undertaking professional workplace experience in a range of private and public clinical settings in major metropolitan, rural and regional centres.
- ✓ Graduate job ready with up-to-date clinical knowledge and skills thanks to the comprehensive professional experience included in your degree.

Students benefit from between 800 and 1,200 hours of full-time clinical placement hours throughout their degree, during which they apply nursing theory to practice.

Practical hours		
First year	Second year	Third year
320 hours over two clinical placements	360 hours over two clinical placements	400 hours over three clinical placements

*The Bachelor of Nursing is a comprehensive program which prepares students to meet the Registered Nurse Standards for Practice (NMBA, 2016), Code of Conduct for Nurses (NMBA, 2018), the International Council of Nurses Code of Ethics for Nurses (2012) and to meet their legal and ethical obligations as a registered nurse.

Key information

2024 Selection Rank

70.60 (Sydney)[†]

70.00 (Fremantle)[‡]

What will students study?

Areas of study include courses on mental health, complex care and palliation, public and global health, law and ethics, foundations of nursing and more.

Person-centeredness, communication and cultural safety will be explored in both the theoretical and professional practice components the program. There will also be a focus on the healthcare needs and approaches to culturally safe nursing care for Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples.

Students will explore current and emerging global, national and regional health priorities.



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[†]Based on the Lowest Selection Rank of 2023–24 data.

[‡]Applied in 2024 intake period

Adjustment Factors will be applied when calculating your Selection Rank (refer to our webpage: notredame.edu.au/study/how-to-apply/adjustment-factors for details on these). Applications can be submitted directly to the University or via UAC (Sydney) and via TISC (Fremantle). Where applicants do not meet the minimum Selection Rank, the University at its discretion may consider average final HSC/WACE marks in conjunction with adjustment factors. More information on the Selection Rank can be found in the **Undergraduate Guide**.

Application information

Commencing Semester 1 or Semester 2

Admissions requirements and how to apply

At Notre Dame, we want everyone to have the opportunity to pursue tertiary study, so we offer multiple pathways for entry.

Our admissions process goes beyond academic results and considers your unique experience, interests and achievements. For detailed information about undergraduate admission requirements as well as program-specific entry requirements for Nursing, please visit notredame.edu.au/admission-requirements.

International applicants

International applicants follow a different process to domestic applicants. If you are an international student looking for program and application information, please visit notredame.edu.au/international.

Tertiary Pathway Program

The Tertiary Pathway Program (TPP) is designed to help if you have not met the requirements for entry into the University's undergraduate programs. Following successful completion of the TPP, you may gain entry to complete a Bachelor of Nursing program on either the Fremantle or the Sydney Campus.

If you wish to transition into the Bachelor of Nursing program, you will complete the following courses in the TPP:

- Learning for University (during Orientation week)
- Academic Writing
- Essential Mathematics
- Research Skills and Information Literacy
- Foundations of Human Biology

Scholarships

Notre Dame offers a wide range of scholarships for all students.

Merit and Opportunity Scholarships, worth up to \$20,000 for the duration of your program, are available for eligible undergraduate students.



For more information and to see our range of undergraduate scholarships, visit notredame.edu.au/scholarships.

Fees

Commonwealth supported places (CSP) are available for eligible domestic students.

International full-fee paying places are also available.

For more information about fees, please visit notredame.edu.au/fees.

"I chose to study at Notre Dame because they provide great facilities and education that I need to learn and develop my skills as a future registered nurse."

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