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School of Medicine

At The University of Notre Dame Australia, School of Medicine, we are dedicated to the provision of education that is designed and presented in collaboration with the health sector to support the translation of learning into practice.

The Graduate Certificate in Health Leadership provides a unique opportunity to study, network and learn from experts across the professions. The WA Health, Institute for Health Leadership (2019), leadership model focuses on 'Courageous, values-aligned, collaborative and systems-focused' leaders, which will form the foundations of this program.

This program is for all Australian health professionals and is offered in sponsorship with WA Health.

#### Why study this degree?

The Graduate Certificate in Health Leadership (GCHL) supports health professionals who want to consolidate or further their leadership career. The program provides students with a comprehensive introduction to the core principles of management and leadership within the complex health arena, in which consumers and their significant others play a central role. Students complete four core courses to support their development as a health professional leader and undertake peer coaching and a significant workplace project to demonstrate application of learning.

#### **Program summary**

The Graduate Certificate will be provided through Master Classes to engage both academic and health industry speakers to provide an engaging, thought provoking and safe space to explore the complexities of health and health leadership. Master classes provide a space for the sharing of ideas, exploring solutions, networking and building communities of interest.

The program is available for students from all states and territories.

The Four compulsory Program courses within the Grad Certificate include:

- Contemporary Leadership in Health A
- Contemporary Leadership in Health B
- Systems-focused Thinking A
- Systems-focused Thinking B

OR

- Contemporary Healthcare Leadership A
- Contemporary Healthcare Leadership B
- Systems-focused Thinking in Healthcare A
- Systems-focused Thinking in Healthcare B

Full details of the program requirements are contained in the <u>Program Requirements</u>

(https://www.notredame.edu.au/\_\_data/assets/pdf\_file/0027/154 Programs-in-Health-Leadership.pdf).

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More information regarding courses can be found at the course descriptions pages <a href="#">Fremantle</a>
<a href="#">(https://www.notredame.edu.au/about-us/faculties-and-schools/school-of-medicine/fremantle/course-descriptions</a>)
<a href="#">Sydney (https://www.notredame.edu.au/about-us/faculties-and-schools/school-of-medicine/sydney/course-descriptions</a>)
<a href="#">descriptions</a>).

#### Mode of study and assessment

The Graduate Certificate in Health Leadership is provided over one year of part time study with Master Classes to engage both academic and health industry speakers to provide an engaging, thought provoking and safe space to explore the complexities of health and health leadership. Master classes are supported by online learning modules. Course assessments promote student engagement with their workplace, including peer coaching and a workplace innovation project, evaluation and presentation.

#### **Entry requirements**

To be eligible for admission to the Graduate Certificate in Health Leadership, applicants must meet the following specific requirements:

- As a minimum qualification, a recognised Bachelor degree in a health profession; or
- A Bachelor degree in another (non-health) area with evidence of specific professional experience in health; or
- Evidence of a senior management or leadership role in the health sector.

### Learning outcomes Upon successful completion of the Graduate Certificate in Health Leadership, graduates will be able to:

- L. Effectively apply management and leadership theories underpinning work practice within the health context
- Analyse contemporary issues within health professional leadership and their significant influence on management and leadership practice
- Interpret governance and risk as applied to the work context in consideration of management and leadership roles and responsibilities
- I. Employ critical reflection to encourage on-going learning to maintain and improve professional knowledge and skills; and
- 5. Apply oral presentation and report writing skills and apply these for the dissemination of project findings.

#### **Career opportunities**

A Graduate Certificate in Health Leadership can lead to careers as business administration manager, corporate services manager, health services manager, general manager, health promotion officer, health researcher, medical administrator, policy and planning manager.

#### **Real-world experience**

You will learn from our academics, who are leaders in their field. There are no practicum requirements for this program.

#### **Scholarships**

Refer to your health service, Department of Health website or other organisations for further information on scholarships for health professionals.

#### Fees and costs

Standard program costs do not apply for this program. Program costs are reduced due to the unique nature of this industry based – university supported program.

This Program has the following loan scheme(s) available for eligible students:

#### **Domestic Fee-Paying**

A domestic fee-paying place is a place at university where the student is responsible for the full cost the program.

Eligible domestic fee-paying students may apply for the <u>FEE-HELP loan scheme</u>

(https://www.studyassist.gov.au/previewlink/node/108/a39069a0-c0d9-4ed5-ad8e-1df4d43a987a) which assists eligible fee-paying students with the payment of all, or part, of their tuition fees, not including additional study costs such as accommodation or textbooks. Your FEE-HELP debt will be indexed each year in line with the Consumer Price Index.

For indicative fees and information on how to pay, including Government loan schemes and our online calculator, visit our <u>Fees</u>, costs and scholarships page (https://www.notredame.edu.au/study/fees-costs-and-scholarships).

#### More information

#### Considering your uni options?

Talk to one of our career advisors for a <u>personalised</u> <u>advice session (https://calendly.com/d/dmr-5gg-c2h)</u>. Our advisors provide support while choosing a program of study and completing our application process. <u>Book my session. (https://calendly.com/d/dmr-5gg-c2h)</u>

For more information, please call our Prospective Students Office on +61 8 9433 0533 or email <a href="mailto:future@nd.edu.au">future@nd.edu.au</a> (mailto:future@nd.edu.au).

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**Duration**: 0.5 year full-time or equivalent part-time. Only

ailable part-time.

**Duration type**: Part time

Campus: Fremantle; Sydney

Study mode: Online; Blended

**Commencement**: Semester 1

Program code: 4167

Loan Scheme: Domestic Full Fees

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