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LEADING BY REPUTATION

Who you study with, who you learn from, what resources are available to you, what employment links are established – these are important considerations when selecting where to undertake postgraduate study. Wintec provides dedicated resources for you. These include specialised workshops and a network of Practice Partners who are all highly qualified and respected practising professionals. You work on projects with the support of lecturers to make a real difference in practice, the community and the sector.

Our close association with Employer Partnership Groups ensures the programmes we deliver are constantly evolving and always relevant. It also means exciting career opportunities for you, regionally, nationally and internationally.

“How often do students ask...”Why do we have to learn this?” ... Or ...”What relevance has this got to my work?” As a Practice Partner I contribute contextual knowledge to the students’ postgraduate learning experience, assisting them to apply academic knowledge to clinical practice. Theoretical concepts and differing world views are able to be explored in terms of relevance to practice as well as broadening the students’ vision. I have been a Practice Partner in Postgraduate Nursing since 2009. I also have first-hand experience of the nurturing learning environment Wintec uniquely provides to its students. Being a Wintec graduate means you have excellent academic preparation which can be applied in practice, a highly marketable commodity.”

“The online delivery offers rural nurses the opportunity to access and complete modules in their own time when shift work and family life allow. These papers are truly flexible with online support in a group forum. They are tailored to enhance your practice and prepare you for the future prescribing. I’m a Wintec graduate and understand the challenges of distance learning and have had input developing these modules to meet the needs of rural nurses and Wintec has an understanding of practice challenges in smaller communities as well as large centres. My Wintec Master’s degree has given me academic preparation to apply to clinical reasoning decisions on a daily basis and I hope to share this experience with you.”
“Wintec has good postgraduate resources you can access, with internet you can work from anywhere. I enjoy learning about best practice, and presenting my research. It’s good to have a forum for discussion, and it makes you feel more fulfilled.”

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HOW TO GET THERE

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**PROGRAMME**

**POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN NURSING**

Duration: Starts February/July for one year

Study: Full-time or Part-time equivalent

Location: Hamilton City Campus or Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga

Applications: Close in December or June (late applications may be considered)

Exit Qualification: Postgraduate Certificate in Nursing on successful completion of 2 modules

**PROGRAMME INFORMATION**

This programme provides Registered Nurses with the opportunity to extend their clinical knowledge and skills in a specific area of practice. It consists of four modules:

- One compulsory and one core.
- Two practice modules covering a range of specialty practice areas.

The registered nurse prescribing pathway consists of four compulsory modules.

**POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE**

After successfully completing any two postgraduate nursing modules you may choose to exit with a Postgraduate Certificate in Nursing. You can then return to complete the Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing at a later date, provided this is within four years of your first enrolment in the Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing.

**RELEVANT LEARNING**

You are taught by staff who are currently active in practice and research, who take an interprofessional approach to teaching and who provide you with feedback.

Modules are accessible, success-orientated and immediately relevant to practice and new models of care.

**INDUSTRY SPECIALISTS**

The Centre for Health and Social Practice model of the simultaneous delivery of clinical and theoretical knowledge enables praxis and practice development. We regularly invite scholars and guest lecturers to give presentations and discuss the latest research in your specialist area. A detailed workshop programme is put together every year for each module.

**COMPUTER REQUIREMENTS**

To access these web-enhanced or fully online modules, you are required to have access to/use:

- Windows 7 upwards
- Internet Explorer 9 upwards (or Chrome/Mozilla Firefox/Safari)
- Microsoft Office 2010 upwards
- Windows Media Player
- Adobe Acrobat Reader
- An Anti-Virus programme
- Updated Flash version for video on YouTube

Ensure your device has the latest Microsoft Windows or Mac updates installed.

MyLearning is not responsive for Tablets and Smartphones. To achieve the best experience use Moodle via learning.wintec.ac.nz, or use a PC or laptop that has the latest versions of operating system and software.

**NEXT STEP**

To enrol you must have an undergraduate Nursing degree or equivalent, hold a current New Zealand Practising Certificate as a Registered Nurse, and have completed six months of full-time post-registration clinical experience within the past five years.

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Note: Not all modules will be offered every year.

*Additional entry requirements will apply for the RN Prescribing pathway (pg 10), check programme regulations at wintec.ac.nz

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INTEGRATED SCIENCE AND ASSESSMENT NURS801

Duration: One semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Hamilton City Campus and Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga

Dates*: Tauranga Semester 1: 7, 8 February, 13, 14 March, 17, 18 April, 22, 23 May
Hamilton Semester 2: 17, 18 July, 21, 22 August, 25, 26 September, 23, 24 October

OVERVIEW
This module aims to prepare registered nurses to develop advanced understanding of pathophysiology in complex health states. The integration of bioscience at cellular level, scientific evidence, empirical knowledge, comprehensive health assessment and clinical reasoning facilitates the identification of actual and potential health needs in specific communities and populations.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Integrate and articulate advanced knowledge in anatomy, physiology and pathophysiology to underpin comprehensive health history and physical assessment.
- Demonstrate advanced physical assessment techniques and skills using a systematic and reasoned approach.
- Critically evaluate epidemiological data in relation to disease processes in specific populations.
- Critically analyse diagnostic test results, microbiology, biochemistry and comprehensive assessment data and synthesise knowledge to develop differential diagnoses.
- Apply critical reasoning to develop an evidence-based therapeutic plan of care in collaboration with the client and the interprofessional team.
**REASONING IN PRACTICE**

**NURS802**

**Duration:** One semester  
**Credits:** 30  
**Level:** 8  
**Location:** Hamilton City Campus and Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga  
**Dates:** Hamilton Semester 1:  
7, 8 February, 13, 14 March, 2, 3 May, 6, 7 June  
Tauranga Semester 2:  
11, 12 July, 15, 16 August, 3, 4 October, 7, 8 November

**OVERVIEW**

This module aims to foster the development of reflexive practitioners who critically evaluate clinical knowledge, research evidence, professional values and regulatory frameworks for reasoning in practice. It aims to cultivate inquiring and thoughtful nurses, as practitioners who collaborate with clients, communities and other health and social service professionals within the interprofessional contexts of practice.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Critically examine frameworks for clinical reasoning, and evaluate knowledge and evidence for professional practice and research.
- Engage in case reviews to reflect on the scientific, normative and professional values and evidence that underpin reasoning in practice.
- Critically evaluate the regulatory frameworks for specific scopes and areas of practice.
- Critically examine the influence of interprofessional communities of practice with specific populations.
- Identify strategies and opportunities to develop the professional self-as-practitioner within interprofessional contexts.

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**COMPULSORY - REGISTERED NURSE PRESCRIBING**

**PHARMACOLOGY IN NURSING PRACTICE NURS804**

**Duration:** One semester  
**Credits:** 30  
**Level:** 8  
**Location:** Fully online including exam  
**Dates*: Semester 1: 4 February  
Semester 2: 2, 8 July  

**PREREQUISITE**  
B pass or better in NURS801 Integrated Science and Assessment.

**OVERVIEW**  
This module is designed to enable registered nurses to integrate and apply principles of clinical pharmacology to specific health care contexts. Students will develop an in-depth understanding of pharmacotherapeutic principles; including pharmacokinetics and pharmacodynamics, and the regulatory/legislative frameworks, interdisciplinary relationships and evidence bases that facilitate clinical preparation for prescribing in advanced nursing practice roles.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**  
- Critically examine the inter-professional, and regulatory contexts and evidence base for prescribing in advanced nursing practice.
- Critically evaluate knowledge for prescribing practice including physiology, pathophysiology, health assessment and clinical reasoning skills, and risk benefit assessments for therapeutic approaches with specific populations.
- Demonstrate advanced knowledge of pharmacotherapeutics and its application in prescribing medications, including pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic principles, and recognition of actual or potential interactions and contraindications, to aid safe prescribing.
- Utilise critical case reviews to demonstrate reflective analysis of practice with patients, families/whanau in developing therapeutic plans and educational strategies to improve access, safety and efficacy of prescribed medications, appliances or treatments.
- Articulate strategies to evaluate therapeutic plans according to patient responses, and biological markers, manage adverse reactions and collaborate with or refer appropriately to other members of the interdisciplinary health team.

**REGISTERED NURSE PRESCRIBING PRACTICUM NURS806**

**Duration:** One semester  
**Credits:** 30  
**Level:** 8  
**Location:** Hamilton City Campus  
**Dates*: Semester 1: 12, 13 February, 26 March, 1, 2 May  
Semester 2: 9, 10 July, 13 August, 2, 3 October  

**PREREQUISITE**  
B pass or better in NURS801 Integrated Science and Assessment, NURS804 Pharmacology for Nursing Practice and NURS812 Advanced Practice in Long-term Conditions.

Candidates for the Registered Nurse Prescribing pathway must meet the following additional and specific requirements for entry to the programme. Such candidates must:  
1) Have completed three years’ equivalent full-time practice in an area of common and long-term conditions nursing.  
2) Demonstrate up-to-date clinical knowledge relevant to their intended area of prescribing practice and have attained a B grade in NURS801 Integrated Science and Assessment, NURS804 Pharmacology for Nursing Practice, and NURS812 Advanced Practice in Long-term Conditions.  
3) Have a collaborative working relationship within an interprofessional team and the support of a designated, authorised prescriber (DAP), a vocationally registered medical practitioner or nurse practitioner who has current indemnity insurance, as a mentor who will provide clinical supervision for prescribing practice.  
4) Have professional/personal indemnity insurance.  
5) Be employed within an organisation that enables nurse prescribing through policy, audit, peer review and accessibility of continuing education, while undertaking the prescribing practicum.  
6) Have documented approval from an area of clinical practice in which to undertake the prescribing practicum.

**OVERVIEW**  
This practicum aims to consolidate previous learning and support the development of reflexive nurses who consistently evaluate clinical knowledge, research evidence, and regulatory frameworks for prescribing in common and long term conditions. The practicum will enable registered nurses to apply their advanced developed knowledge and skills for prescribing and meet the Nursing Council of New Zealand competency requirements for prescribing in long term and common conditions.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**  
- Utilise scientific, legal, ethical and professional frameworks and evidence that underpin clinical reasoning and judgement for prescribing in practice.
- Demonstrate advanced health assessment, diagnostic decision making and clinical reasoning skills, recognising the significance of client contextual data including current drug therapies.
- Apply knowledge of pharmacotherapeutics and its evidence base for safe prescribing practice including pharmacokinetic and pharmacodynamic principles and recognition of interactions and contraindications.
- Effectively collaborate with the health team to make safe prescribing decisions in planning interventions with clients and families including prescribing medications or appliances.
- Critically evaluate therapeutic plans and manage responses to drug therapy including adverse drug reactions and interactions, and situations of drug misuse.
- Understand and comply with the regulatory requirements for prescribing, including writing prescriptions.

Please refer to page 13 for the compulsory module Advanced Practice in Long-Term Conditions NURS812.
Students get academic rigour from Wintec, and they also get a really good clinical grounding by having this collaboration. Expert practitioners come in and teach students practical hands-on knowledge that they can apply in their practice. Students get a solid real-life application of what diabetes management is actually like, which enables them to feel much more confident.”

Bryan Gibbison
Nurse Practitioner and Wintec Practice Partner
**ADVANCED NURSING PRACTICE IN BREAST CARE NURS809**

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Hamilton City Campus
- **Dates**: Semester 1: Online course begins: 18 February
  On Campus Workshop dates: 4, 5 April

**OVERVIEW**
This module may be taken as part of the Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing and/or the Master of Nursing.

This module is designed to enable registered nurses to advance their knowledge and skills for nursing practice to meet the health care needs of clients using breast care services. You will explore nursing roles and relationships within interprofessional breast care services, and develop strategies to advance nursing knowledge and therapeutic skills for a holistic approach to women’s health.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**
- Critically examine advanced nursing practice in breast care and women’s health.
- Evaluate population health data and understand the implications of screening well populations.
- Evaluate and utilise diagnostic and therapeutic approaches for breast care nursing.
- Demonstrate competence in advanced health assessment and therapeutic interventions with clients in breast care and/or primary health care.
- Develop strength-based educational approaches for health promotion, recovery and quality of life.

**ADVANCED NURSING PRACTICE IN WOUND CARE NURS810**

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Fully online
- **Dates**: Not offered in 2019

**OVERVIEW**
This practice module may be taken as part of the Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing and/or the Master of Nursing.

This module aims to prepare registered nurses as wound care practitioners and innovative leaders, to critically analyse and treat the complexities of wound care. It will foster the development of wound care practices at an advanced level within the registered nurse scope of practice. Students will synthesise scientific evidence and empirical knowledge to underpin clinical reasoning.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**
- Critically examine wound care as an area of advanced practice within the context of New Zealand population health.
- Integrate advanced concepts of pathophysiology, etiology and clinical judgement to provide skilled nursing assessment for people with complex health needs.
- Critically evaluate current research and synthesise pharmacological, clinical, experiential and cultural knowledge to underpin wound care treatments that foster learning and changes for health and wellbeing.
- Develop professional leadership in advanced wound care nursing through innovative health care responses in partnership with colleagues, patients/families/whānau and communities.

**NURSING PRACTICE WITH THE OLDER ADULT NURS811**

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Hamilton City Campus and Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga
- **Dates**: Not offered in 2019

**OVERVIEW**
This practice module may be taken as part of the Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing, and/or the Master of Nursing.

This module is designed to enable registered nurses to advance their knowledge and skills in critical gerontology. The module fosters an approach to learning that supports critical inquiry in this area of nursing practice.

You will explore and deconstruct discourses of aging that limit the potential of nurses to work collaboratively with older adults within their specific contexts.

The expected outcome for you is the development of innovative health promoting practice development. The development will be informed by multiple ways of thinking and awareness of the deeply ethical nature of nursing practice.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**
- Understand and incorporate knowledge of the diverse realities of older adults in their practice.
- Critically analyse and utilise health promoting approaches that enhance the well-being of older adults and family/whānau.
- Critically analyse and employ evidence-based research to inform practice development.
- Critically examine legal, ethical and professional responsibilities in practice with older adults.
ADVANCED PRACTICE IN LONG-TERM CONDITIONS NURS812

Duration: One semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Fully online
Dates*: Semester 1: 18 February Semester 2: 15 July

OVERVIEW
This Registered Nurse Prescribing compulsory module may also be taken as part of the Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing and/or the Master of Nursing.

This module will enable nurses to develop advanced knowledge, skills and capability to work with people, families and whānau who are affected by one or more long-term conditions. Participants will critique and synthesise advanced knowledge of chronicity to gain an in depth understanding of the complexity of living with a long-term condition. In addition they will develop a deeper understanding of the relationships between people, systems, and the socio-political and cultural contexts that may influence the improvement and maintenance of health, wellbeing and quality of life.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Articulate an area of practice with people, populations and/or communities who are affected by one or more long-term conditions to enhance health outcomes and quality of life.
- Critically analyse theoretical models and conceptual frameworks and systems that shape practice in the management of long-term conditions.
- Integrate advanced knowledge of diagnostic reasoning and clinical judgement to develop innovative and personalised care approaches that address the complex needs of individuals, caregivers, whānau and families living with long-term conditions.
- Work interprofessionally and in partnership with others to create alliances that foster support and quality health care responses for populations and individuals experiencing long-term conditions.
- Consistently evaluate and develop own practice capability to ensure systems, research evidence and approaches used, improve health outcomes and client satisfaction in this complex area.

LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT IN PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE I HSIP801

Duration: One semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Dates*: Semester 1: 14 February, 11, 12 March, 2 May

OVERVIEW
This module prepares students to critically analyse leadership and management practices in the context of a dynamic and culturally diverse interprofessional care environment. Students will be able to develop leadership opportunities and examine management skills and concepts in the context of their own practice environments.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Critically analyse leadership and management principles and practices within rapidly changing health and social service environments.
- Critically reflect upon and develop own leadership and management practice to ensure approaches used improve service delivery.
- Deliberate the legal and ethical accountabilities and obligations to the Treaty of Waitangi embedded in interprofessional leadership and management.
- Synthesise the theoretical and philosophical principles of team development.
- Initiate and plan change that will deliver quality improvements.

LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT IN PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE II HSIP802

Duration: One semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Dates*: Semester 2: 1 August, 19, 20 September, 17 October

PREREQUISITE
HSIP801 Leadership and Management in Professional Practice I

OVERVIEW
This module aims to develop leaders as managers who are strategic thinkers. An opportunity will be provided for students to consolidate the quality risk and fiscal responsibilities in complex interprofessional contexts.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Deliberate and advocate the professional, legal, ethical, and organisational responsibilities associated with interprofessional practice management and leadership.
- Critique of interprofessional alliance models to facilitate integrated care.
- Critique strategies in leading the alignment of organisational objectives cognisant of the local, national and international initiatives.
- Utilise strategic thinking and planning to maximise the delivery of quality health care or social services practice.

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OVERVIEW
The aim of this module is to support the development of the practitioner to make the transition to the role of an educator, responsive to the dynamic context of health care and social services, and to foster an identity as a reflexive educator.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Critically analyse theories of teaching and learning in the context of practice.
- Critique the relationship between principles of teaching and learning, and the relationship between teacher and learner.
- Critically analyse the knowledge and skills to facilitate teaching and learning in a specific context.
- Demonstrate competency in planning, facilitating, evaluating and assessing learning.
- Actively engage in reflective teaching and learning to foster and role model life-long learning.

OVERVIEW
The aim of this module is to prepare health professionals to skilfully coach, mentor and supervise other clinicians, in order to respond to the demands of health services.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Articulate a philosophical and theoretical foundation for coaching, mentorship and clinical supervision in practice.
- Critique the frameworks of coaching and mentorship for clinical practice in the New Zealand health care context.
- Appraise the ethical and legal responsibilities and relational/organisational obligations associated with being a coach, mentor and clinical supervisor.
- Critique evidence-based frameworks for evaluation of learning, and assessment of clinical competency.
- Facilitate collaborative interprofessional relationships for ongoing workforce capability development.

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**SPECIAL TOPIC**

**HSIP809**

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Hamilton City Campus
- **Dates:**
  - Semester 1: 12 February, 17 April
  - Semester 2: 30 July, 17 September

**PREREQUISITE**

NURS802 Reasoning in Practice and one other 30-credit module.

**OVERVIEW**

This module offers students the opportunity to study an area of interest related to their particular area of practice. The student will submit a proposal outlining the focus, and scope of the intended project and negotiate the supervision process with the lecturer(s).

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Initiate and manage scholarly inquiry in relation to a chosen topic.
- Present an ordered, critical exposition of knowledge related to the selected topic.

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**PROFESSIONAL SUPERVISION 1**

**HSIP810**

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Hamilton City Campus
- **Dates:**
  - Semester 1: 18, 19 February, 25, 26 March, 29, 30 April

**OVERVIEW**

This practice module may be taken as part of the Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing and/or the Master of Nursing.

In this module, you will develop knowledge and skills in supervision. You will define the scope of supervision in a variety of fields of practice. You will critically evaluate supervision in practice in professional, organisational, cultural, ethical and legal contexts. This module aims to cultivate supervisors who can support, challenge and facilitate reflective learning in professional practitioners.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Critically analyse the nature and purpose of professional supervision in terms of its role, relationships, context, task and process.
- Locate supervision within professional and organisational contexts and activities.
- Critically examine the legal and ethical responsibilities in supervision.
- Apply theoretical concepts to supervision practice.
- Demonstrate competent supervisory skills which promote reflection, safe and ethical practice and professional growth and development in supervisees.
- Critically review supervision practice and provide feedback to others.
“I see it as an honour and a privilege to be a nurse. It was such a supportive environment, that set me up for what has been a versatile and rewarding career, and the continued support I get now from the Wintec nursing department, while I complete my Masters is so valuable.

My job isn’t just about helping people with their physical needs, it’s also about being there for them emotionally and psychologically. I feel like I’m making a real difference in people’s lives.”

Ellyn Proffit

Wintec postgraduate Master of Nursing student and Waikato District Health Board’s Nurse of the Year 2016.
“Through the Postgraduate study that I have completed at Wintec I have been able to obtain the position of Nurse Educator for Medical Services. I focused my studies on acute assessment, chronic disease management, cardiac and diabetes and I am now planning to concentrate my research on improving the management of COPD patients.

It has been great studying at Wintec. The flexibility of learning with a combination of e-learning, lectures and regionally delivered (including Tauranga) courses has minimised my travel. I have found the lecturers to be extremely supportive towards individual learners and available to discuss any study-related issues. Postgraduate study, full-time work, and managing a family are at times difficult to juggle; however, the support I have received from Wintec has made this possible. I highly recommend study at Wintec.”

Louise Fowler
Master of Nursing Graduate

MASTER OF NURSING

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PROGRAMME

MASTER OF NURSING

Duration: Starts February/July for one year
Study: Full-time or Part-time equivalent
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Applications: Close in December or June (late applications may be considered)

OVERVIEW
This New Zealand Nursing Council approved Clinical Master of Nursing programme provides opportunities for role development in advanced nursing practice including Nurse Practitioner. It involves theoretical knowledge development as well as clinical and ethical learning experiences with an aim to building capacity to respond to increasingly diverse populations and complex health environments.

HOW YOU STUDY
You will be joined in critically reflexive discussions about practice by guest clinicians from nursing and other disciplines, as well as visiting scholars and Nurse Practitioners. Expert clinicians provide you with clinical mentorship that assists in consolidating and articulating advanced nursing practice, as well as presenting evidence of it as an electronic portfolio for practice.

COMPUTER REQUIREMENTS
To access these web-enhanced or fully online modules, you are required to have access to/use:
- Windows 7 upwards
- Internet Explorer 9 upwards (or Chrome/Mozilla Firefox/Safari)
- Microsoft Office 2010 upwards
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- Adobe Acrobat Reader
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FOCUS ON RESEARCH
The Centre for Health and Social Practice has a flourishing research culture. Excellence in research is achieved through adopting a holistic philosophy and pursuing an interprofessional and multi-method approach.

NEXT STEP
To enter this programme, you must have a current NCNZ Practising Certificate and have completed a Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing with a grade average of B or better, and have graduate nursing experience in the health sector demonstrated in a professional portfolio. Full entry criteria available online or by contacting us.

There are three options for completing your Masters.

Option 1 – Nurse Practitioner
HSIP805 Evidence and Enquiry in practice or
HSIP808 Research for Practice
HSIP902 Evidence Based Practice Project
NUR5901* Advanced Nursing Practice
NUR5902* Nurse Practitioner Practicum

Option 2 – Advanced Nursing Practice
HSIP808 Research for Practice or
HSIP805 Evidence and Enquiry in Practice
HSIP902 Evidence Based Practice Project
HSIP904 Advanced Practice Development and one optional practice module

Option 3 – Rangahau Research Dissertation
HSIP808 Research for Practice
HLNU903 Dissertation

RESEARCH FOR PRACTICE

Duration: One Semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Dates*: Semester 1:
12, 13 February, 19, 20 March, 16, 17 April

OVERVIEW
This module explores the knowledge, procedures, resources, issues and possibilities associated with research within health and/or social practice areas. It is designed to give an overview of the range of research approaches for practice inquiry, and provide the skills required for planning, conducting, writing and disseminating research.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Demonstrate critical exposition of conceptual, evidential and contextual bases for advanced practice knowledge within a health or social service.
- Articulate contextual, theoretical and methodological positioning for health or social service inquiry.
- Critically evaluate research outcomes relative to the research question(s) and claims made.

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## EVIDENCE AND INQUIRY IN PRACTICE  HSSIP805

| Duration: | One semester |
| Credits:  | 30           |
| Level:    | 8            |
| Location: | Fully online |
| Dates*:   | Semester 1: 4 February  
            Semester 2: 8 July |

### OVERVIEW
This module develops the practitioner’s ability to utilise concepts of evidence-based practice and critical inquiry that underpin advanced practice. The module focuses on locating and critically analysing the research evidence that guides reasoning and professional judgement within specific client situations and organisational contexts.

### LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Interpret concepts of evidence-based practice and formulate researchable practice question/s using systematic methods.
- Apply systematic search frameworks, using appropriate media and technologies to search and retrieve information and document search processes.
- Critically appraise and synthesise research findings using appropriate methodological approaches for meta-analysis.
- Demonstrate reflexive awareness in addressing situational, political, cultural and other considerations for knowledge transfer in specific practice contexts.
- Develop evidence-based resources to inform reasoning and decision making in practice.

## EVIDENCE BASED PRACTICE PROJECT HSSIP902

| Duration: | One semester |
| Credits:  | 30           |
| Level:    | 9            |
| Location: | Hamilton City Campus |
| Dates*:   | Semester 1: 31 January, 1 February, 21 March, 8 May  
            Semester 2: 11, 12 July, 22 August, 16 October |

### OVERVIEW
This module forms part of the Master of Nursing programme and is a core module for Option 2. This module focuses on the development of a supervised evidence-based project in which students will choose a specific issue related to their area of practice. To critically explore, analyse and articulate the findings that result from this enquiry.

### LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Undertake an evidence-based project within a specific area of practice.
- Critically explore transformative, evidence-based approaches to managing practice problems and challenges.
- Construct and implement a methodological approach drawing on relevant conceptual frameworks and resources to inform the project.
- Evaluate primary rangahau or research and other sources of evidence to inform solutions to practice problems.
- Critically examine strategies for knowledge transfer in practice.

## DISSERTATION HLNU903

| Duration: | 18 months (3 semesters) |
| Credits:  | 90                     |
| Level:    | 9                      |
| Location: | Hamilton City Campus   |
| Dates*:   | 31 January, 1 February, 8 May  
            two days in Semester 2 negotiated with Supervisor  
            Semester 2: 4 July, 16 October and two days in Semester 1, 2020 negotiated with Supervisor |

### OVERVIEW
This module forms part of the Master of Nursing programme and is a core module for Option 3. It focuses on the development of a supervised research dissertation (90 credits) in which the student will complete a study that will contribute to advancing nursing knowledge in their area of specialisation.

### LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Develop/further develop a proposal which will provide a strong structure to guide the dissertation.
- Discuss the philosophical theories that underpin research.
- Critically analyse and identify paradigms, and methodologies for practice enquiry that are appropriate to address their identified research question(s).
- Critically evaluate the ethical and cultural implications of research.
- Plan, manage and document a substantial and logically structured enquiry as original research for dissemination on a topic related to nursing practice.

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CORE

ADVANCED PRACTICE DEVELOPMENT
HSIP904

Duration: One Semester
Credits: 30
Level: 9
Location: Hamilton
Dates*: Semester 2: 18, 19 July, 19 September, 17 October

OVERVIEW
This module enables students to consolidate an advanced area of practice and engage in focused career development within health or social services. Students will focus on creative and reflexive learning strategies to develop more innovative, resilient and collaborative practice with a specific community or population. Evidence of practice development and proposed career pathway will be presented within an ePortfolio.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Articulate an advanced area of practice for a defined health or social practice population.
- Critically examine the potential for capability development and practice advancement within a specific professional and service context.
- Develop strategies and resources for collaboration, teamwork and ongoing capability development in advanced professional roles.
- Engage in reflexive approaches to supervision and mentoring relationships to foster capability development within the interprofessional practice community.
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ADVANCED NURSING PRACTICE*
NURS901

Duration: Full Year
Credits: 30
Level: 9
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Dates*: 13, 14 February, 27 March, 2,3 May, 18, 19 July, 19 September, 17 October

OVERVIEW
This module is designed to consolidate and articulate a broad base of empirical, experiential, professional and contextual knowledge for the comprehensive and advanced clinical management of health consumers with long term and common or acute conditions and present evidence towards meeting the Nursing Council of New Zealand competencies for the nurse practitioner scope of practice.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Define and clearly articulate safe, autonomous and accountable practice within the regulatory, legislative, professional and knowledge frameworks that govern advanced nursing practice and prescribing.
- Demonstrate advanced knowledge of pathophysiology and pharmacology in health assessment and diagnostic decision-making skills, recognising the significance of epidemiological, and individual client contextual data, including current drug therapies.
- Use rangahau or research evidence, advanced practice conceptual frameworks, and relevant technological solutions in planning appropriate and innovative therapeutic interventions with clients and families or whānau, including prescribing medications or appliances within scope of practice.
- Critically appraise clinical trials and other evidence for practice, to evaluate therapeutic plans and manage responses to drug therapy including adverse drug reactions and interactions and/or appliances in collaboration with clients and families.
- Demonstrate reflexive professional relationships with clients, families or whānau and other members of the interprofessional health team, to communicate effectively, consult, and work collaboratively with diverse communities.
- Demonstrate values intrinsic to the nurse practitioner role and articulate strategies for critical reflection, self-monitoring, ongoing practice development, and mentorship for self and others.

NURSE PRACTITIONER PRACTICUM*
NURS902

Duration: Full Year
Credits: 30
Level: 9
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Dates*: 13, 14 February, 27 March, 2,3 May, 18, 19 July, 19 September, 17 October

OVERVIEW
To undertake 300 supervised clinical hours for the nurse practitioner practicum and provide evidence of their developing practice through supervision and case review towards meeting the Nursing Council of New Zealand Competencies for the nurse practitioner scope of practice.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Provide safe and accountable advanced nursing practice across diverse practice settings and client populations.
- Competently assess, diagnose, plan, implement and evaluate care in managing common and complex client situations.
- Apply comprehensive knowledge of pharmacotherapeutics and its evidence base for safe prescribing practice including recognition of interactions and contraindications.
- Use relational strategies to work reflexively with health consumers to enhance partnership in decision making and active participation in care.
- Demonstrate advanced leadership, management and interpersonal skills in collaborating with other health professionals and agencies to optimise health outcomes for diverse population groups.
- Use evidence-based strategies to audit, evaluate and improve the quality of health services.

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"I'm a Public Health Nurse working in the community with tamariki, rangatahi and whaanau. My journey to complete a Masters of Nursing was necessary to keep me up-to-date with the knowledge and skills needed in my nursing practice. With the financial assistance from the Waikato DHB HWNZ funding and the incredible support from Wintec nursing tutors, I achieved my goal. To my fellow peers, begin your journey - kia kaha nga hoa."

Barbara Phillips-Walters
Master of Nursing Graduate - Public Health Nurse
PLAN YOUR PATHWAY

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** Pre requisite HSIP810

Entry into Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing:
- New Zealand Registered Nurse with current Practising Certificate and Bachelor of Nursing or equivalent.
- Six months full-time equivalent post-registration clinical experience undertaken in the last five years in a specialty area and be employed for a minimum of 16 hours per week.

You may take up to four years to complete the Postgraduate Diploma.

1 Compulsory Module (30 credits) | Year | 1 Core Module (30 credits) | Year | 1 Practice Module (30 credits) | Year | 1 Practice Module (30 credits) | Year | Programme Code: NU0010 120 Credits | Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing

| NURS801 | Integrated Science and Assessment | Year | NURS802 | Reasoning in Practice | Year | Your choice. Modules can be completed in any order |

Exit qualification: Postgraduate Certificate in Nursing:
- Candidates having successfully completed any two Postgraduate modules in the Postgraduate Diploma within the two-year completion time frame may choose to exit with a Postgraduate Certificate in Nursing (60 credits).
- You may return to complete the Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing at a later date, provided this is within four years of first enrolment in Postgraduate Nursing studies.
Entry into Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing - Registered Nurse Prescribing pathway:
- New Zealand Registered Nurse with current Practising Certificate and Bachelor of Nursing or equivalent.
- Have completed three years’ equivalent full-time practice in an area of common and long-term conditions nursing.
- Be employed within an organisation that enables nurse prescribing through policy, audit, peer review and accessibility of continuing education, while undertaking the prescribing practicum.
- Have documented approval from an area of clinical practice in which to undertake the prescribing practicum.

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Entry into Master of Nursing:
- A Wintec Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing, with a grade average of B or better
- Students from another tertiary organisation must have an equivalent qualification with a grade average of B or better, and be deemed to have reached the learning outcomes of the compulsory modules of Wintec’s Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing programme.

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Eugene Davis is a practice partner for the Professional Supervision Modules offered in the Postgraduate Certificate in Professional Supervision and the Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Social Practice.

“I do a lot of internal supervision, and I also provide external supervision to other practitioners in the counselling and social service fields.”

“Wintec has a nice supportive feel to its learning environment, and I hope to add to this support by strengthening the cultural component of the students’ learning.”

Eugene Davis
Wintec Practice Partner
ENTRY CRITERIA
An undergraduate degree in Health and/or Social Practice or related discipline or a suitable portfolio of experience.
For Health and Social Practice and Professional Supervision – two years of practice experience and IELTS of 7 in all bands.
For Midwifery – one year of practice experience, registered with Midwifery Council of New Zealand and a current Annual Practising Certificate.
PROGRAMME

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL PRACTICE

Duration: Starts February or July for 6 months full-time equivalent
Study: Full-time or Part-time
Location: Hamilton City Campus or Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga
Study Structure: Completion of 2 modules*

PROGRAMME INFORMATION
These programmes are designed for professionals in the fields of health and social practice which include: occupational therapy, social work, counselling, human services, physiotherapy, nursing and midwifery. They offer learning opportunities designed to inform your practice and develop valued knowledge in Treaty-based practice. You will learn and grow professionally while undertaking interactive and experiential-based education alongside senior practitioners in health and social practice.

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INDUSTRY SPECIALIST
An interprofessional context will enable you to extend your capacity for critical and professional/clinical reasoning for specialist practice, leadership, education, management and supervision in complex professional environments.

NEXT STEP
Entry into these programmes requires:
- An undergraduate degree in Health and Social Practice or a related discipline or a suitable portfolio of evidence.
- A minimum of two years of post-qualifying experience in your professional field of practice (or the equivalent as approved by the Postgraduate programme committee).
- Midwifery - A minimum of one year of post-qualifying experience.
- An IELTS score of 7 in all bands.

RELEVANT LEARNING
These programmes will extend the existing qualifications pathways and will allow higher level professional development that is interprofessional. It is relevant to practitioners from a wide range of practice contexts and the resulting interprofessional interaction of health and social services practitioners will enhance and strengthen service delivery in the region. These programmes are available to international students who may be overseas-qualified health or social services practitioners but may not be New Zealand registered. These programmes will not lead to New Zealand Health or Social Service Professional Registration.

*See from page 27 for elective modules.

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL PRACTICE

Duration: Starts February or July for 1 year full-time equivalent
Study: Full-time or Part-time
Location: Hamilton City Campus or Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga
Study Structure: Completion of 4 modules*

POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN PROFESSIONAL SUPERVISION

Duration: Starts February or July for 6 months full-time equivalent
Study: Part-time
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Study Structure: Completion of 2 modules

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL PRACTICE (PROFESSIONAL SUPERVISION)

Duration: Starts February or July for 1 year full-time equivalent
Study: Full-time or Part-time
Location: Hamilton City Campus or Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga
Study Structure: Completion of 4 modules*

NEXT STEP
Entry into these programmes requires:
- An undergraduate degree in Health and Social Practice or a related discipline or a suitable portfolio of evidence.
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- Midwifery - A minimum of one year of post-qualifying experience.
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**POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL PRACTICE**

**Core Module**  
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context

**Elective Modules**  
Select one from the elective modules list.

**POSTGRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN PROFESSIONAL SUPERVISION**

**Two Core Modules**  
HSIP810 Professional Supervision 1  
HSIP811 Professional Supervision 2

**POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL PRACTICE**

**Core Modules**  
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context  
HSIP810 Professional Supervision 1  
HSIP811 Professional Supervision 2

**Elective Modules**  
Select three from the modules list.

**POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN HEALTH AND SOCIAL PRACTICE (PROFESSIONAL SUPERVISION)**

**Core Modules**  
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context  
HSIP810 Professional Supervision 1  
HSIP811 Professional Supervision 2

**Elective Modules**  
HSIP801 Leadership and Management in Professional Practice I  
HSIP802 Leadership and Management in Professional Practice II  
HSIP803 Facilitating Learning in Professional Practice  
HSIP804 Coaching, Mentoring and Clinical Supervision  
HSIP805 Evidence and Inquiry in Practice  
HSIP808 Research for Practice  
HSIP810 Professional Supervision 1  
HSIP811 Professional Supervision 2  
HSIP813 Palliative Care  
HSHS807 Care of the Older Person (not offered in 2019)

*Not all modules will be offered every year.*
PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE IN CONTEXT
HSIP807

Duration: One semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Hamilton City Campus and Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga

Dates*: Hamilton Semester 1:
7, 8 February, 13, 14 March, 2, 3 May, 6, 7 June
Tauranga Semester 2:
11, 12 July, 15, 16 August, 3, 4 October, 7, 8 November

OVERVIEW
This module aims to foster the development of a reflexive practitioner who critically evaluates the practice knowledge, research evidence, and normative values and regulatory frameworks that guide skilled professional practice in health and/or social services.

This module aims to cultivate inquiring and thoughtful practitioners who collaborate with clients, communities and other health and social service professionals within the interprofessional contexts of practice.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Critically examine knowledge perspectives for professional practice and research in health and social services.
- Engage in critical reflection to examine personal and professional values that underpin health and social practice.
- Critically examine the influence of interprofessional communities of practice with specific populations.
- Critically evaluate the normative values and regulatory frameworks for specific scopes or fields of professional practice.
- Identify strategies and opportunities to develop the professional self-as-practitioner within interprofessional contexts.

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PROFESSIONAL SUPERVISION 1
HSIP810

Duration: One semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Hamilton City Campus

Dates*: Semester 1:
18, 19 February, 25, 26 March, 29, 30 April

OVERVIEW
In this module, you will develop knowledge and skills in supervision. You will define the scope of supervision in a variety of fields of practice and critically evaluate the Professional Supervision 1 module practice in professional, organisational, cultural, ethical and legal contexts. It aims to cultivate supervisors who can support, challenge and facilitate reflective learning in professional practitioners.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Critically analyse the nature and purpose of professional supervision in terms of its role, relationships, context, task and process.
- Locate supervision within professional and organisational contexts and activities.
- Critically examine the legal and ethical responsibilities in supervision.
- Apply theoretical concepts to supervision practice.
- Demonstrate competent supervisory skills which promote reflection, safe and ethical practice and professional growth and development in supervisees.
- Critically review supervision practice and provide feedback to others.

PROFESSIONAL SUPERVISION 2
HSIP811

Duration: One semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Hamilton City Campus

Dates*: Semester 2:
29, 30 July, 9, 10 September, 14, 15 October

PREREQUISITE
HSIP810 Professional Supervision 1 (or HSHS802)

OVERVIEW
This module is designed to develop you to a more advanced level of professional supervision practice. You will critically examine a range of supervision theories and approaches, and develop a well-integrated supervision framework to inform your supervision practice.

This module aims to develop intentional supervisors who will facilitate critically reflective, restorative and accountable practice in practitioners.

An opportunity will be provided for you to consolidate the role and further develop your identity as a supervisor able to work within a complexity of organisational and professional contexts.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
- Critically examine a range of theoretical and practical supervision approaches.
- Articulate and implement a personal style and integrative approach to supervision.
- Facilitate critically reflective practice and practice development in practitioners.
- Intentionally use the supervision relationship and manage the emotional affective content of supervision.
- Critically analyse specific organisational cultures and consider the impact on the nature and practice of supervision.
- Critique and research the evidence base to contemporary supervision practice.
**OVERVIEW**

This module prepares students to critically analyse leadership and management practices in the context of a dynamic and culturally diverse interprofessional care environment. Students will be able to develop leadership opportunities and examine management skills and concepts in the context of their own practice environments.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Critically analyse leadership and management principles and practices within rapidly changing health and social service environments.
- Critically reflect upon and develop own leadership and management practice to ensure approaches used improve service delivery.
- Deliberate the legal and ethical accountabilities and obligations to the Treaty of Waitangi embedded in interprofessional leadership and management.
- Synthesise the theoretical and philosophical principles of team development.
- Initiate and plan change that will deliver quality improvements.

**OVERVIEW**

This module aims to develop leaders as managers who are strategic thinkers. An opportunity will be provided for students to consolidate the quality, risk and fiscal responsibilities in complex interprofessional contexts.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Deliberate and advocate the professional, legal, ethical, and organisational responsibilities associated with interprofessional practice management and leadership.
- Critique of interprofessional alliance models to facilitate integrated care.
- Critique strategies in leading the alignment of organisational objectives cognisant of the local, national and international initiatives.
- Utilise strategic thinking and planning to maximise the delivery of quality health care or social services practice.

**OVERVIEW**

The aim of this module is to support the development of the practitioner to make the transition to the role of an educator, responsive to the dynamic context of health care and social services, and to foster an identity as a reflexive educator.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Critically analyse theories of teaching and learning in the context of practice.
- Critique the relationship between principles of teaching and learning, and the relationship between teacher and learner.
- Critically analyse the knowledge and skills to facilitate teaching and learning in a specific context.
- Demonstrate competency in planning, facilitating, evaluating and assessing learning.
- Actively engage in reflexive teaching and learning to foster and role model life-long learning.
ELECTIVE RESEARCH FOR PRACTICE HSIP808

Duration: One Semester
Credits: 30
Level: 8
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Dates*: Semester 1: 12 February, 13 March, 16 April

OVERVIEW
This module explores the knowledge, procedures, resources, issues and possibilities associated with research within health and/or social service practice areas. It is designed to give an overview of the range of research approaches for practice inquiry, and provide the skills required for planning, conducting, writing and disseminating research.

LEARNING OUTCOMES
• Demonstrate critical exposition of conceptual, evidential and contextual bases for advanced practice knowledge within a health or social service.
• Articulate contextual, theoretical and methodological positioning for health or social service inquiry.
• Critically evaluate research outcomes relative to the research question(s) and claims made.

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ELECTIVE

**CARE OF THE OLDER PERSON**
HSHS807

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Hamilton City Campus and Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga
- **Dates:** Not offered in 2019

**OVERVIEW**
This module is designed to enable health and social service practitioners to advance their knowledge and skills in critical gerontology. The module fosters an approach to learning that supports critical inquiry in this area of practice. You will explore and deconstruct discourses of aging that limit the potential of health and social service practitioners to work collaboratively with older adults within their specific contexts. The expected outcome for you is the development of innovative health promoting practice development. The development will be informed by multiple ways of thinking and awareness of the ethical frames for health and social service practice.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**
- Understand and incorporate knowledge of the diverse realities of older adults in their practice.
- Critically analyse and utilise health-promoting approaches that enhance the well-being of older adults and family/whānau.
- Critically analyse and employ evidence-based research to inform practice development.
- Critically examine legal, ethical and professional responsibilities in practice with older adults.

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**PALLIATIVE CARE**
HSIP813

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Hamilton City Campus
- **Dates:** Semester 1: 5 February, 26, 27 March, 22 May

**OVERVIEW**
This module is designed to enable practitioners to advance their knowledge and skills in palliative care. The module fosters an approach to learning that supports critical inquiry in this area of practice. You will develop an understanding of the diverse contexts of palliative care and explore and deconstruct the discourses of chronic illness, death and dying. The expected outcome for you is the development of innovative health promoting practice development. The development will be informed by multiple ways of thinking and awareness of the deeply ethical nature of practice.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**
- Understand and incorporate knowledge of the diverse realities of people experiencing palliative care.
- Critically analyse and utilise health-promoting approaches that enhance the well-being of people and family/whānau.
- Critically analyse and employ evidence-based research to inform practice development.
- Critically examine legal, ethical and professional responsibilities in practice with palliative care.

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## PLAN YOUR PATHWAY

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Programme Code: HS1102
120 Credits
Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Social Practice

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Programme Code: HS1102
120 Credits
Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Social Practice (Professional Supervision)

Your choice (see modules from page 27)

* Prerequisite module HSIP810  
** Prerequisite module HSHS815
MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE
PROGRAMME

MASTER OF PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE

Duration: Starts February/July for one year
Study: Full-time or Part-time equivalent
Location: Hamilton City Campus
Applications: Close in December or June (late applications may be considered)

OVERVIEW
The Master of Professional Practice will assist practitioners in gaining advanced knowledge and skills to effectively manage the demands of rapidly changing and increasingly complex health and social care practice environments. It will enable you to participate effectively in the health or social practice workforce as highly skilled, knowledgeable and confident practitioners able to work across professional boundaries to respond to real world problems.

HOW YOU STUDY
The focus of learning in the programme will include working reflexively with clients and communities within differing interprofessional collaborations and relationships. It will enable you to engage in transformative learning strategies that build on the strengths, knowledge, skills and relationships acquired as experienced practitioners. This practice based learning approach will enhance your ability to engage in future professional and work related challenges.

COMPUTER REQUIREMENTS
To access these web-enhanced or fully online modules, you are required to have access to/use:
- Windows 7 upwards
- Internet Explorer 9 upwards (or Chrome/Mozilla Firefox/Safari)
- Microsoft Office 2010 upwards
- Windows Media Player
- Adobe Acrobat Reader
- An Anti-Virus programme
- Updated Flash version for video on YouTube

Ensure your device has the latest Microsoft Windows or Mac updates installed.

MyLearning is not responsive for Tablets and Smartphones. To achieve the best experience use Moodle via learning.wintec.ac.nz, or use a PC or laptop that has the latest versions of operating system and software.

FOCUS ON RESEARCH
The Centre for Health and Social Practice has a flourishing research culture. Excellence in research is achieved through adopting a holistic philosophy and pursuing an interprofessional and multi-method approach.

NEXT STEP
To enter this programme, you must have a Bachelor degree in a health or social practice discipline with a grade average of B or better, and have a minimum of two years full time (or equivalent) of graduate experience in a health or social practice sector demonstrated in a professional portfolio. For more information and full entry criteria visit www.wintec.ac.nz/pghealth or contact us.

There are three pathways for completing your Masters:

Pathway 1 – Research in Practice
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context
HSIP903 Dissertation
And two elective modules

Pathway 2 – Practice Development
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context
HSIP805 Evidence and Inquiry in Practice,
or
HSIP808 Research for Practice
HSIP902 Evidence-based Practice Project
HSIP904 Advanced Practice Development
And two elective modules

Pathway 3 – Industry-based Project
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context
HSIP806 Designing Practice
HSIP901 Industry-based Project
And two elective modules

ELECTIVE MODULES
HSIP801 Leadership and Management in Professional Practice I
HSIP802 Leadership and Management in Professional Practice II
HSIP803 Facilitating Learning in Professional Practice
HSIP804 Coaching, Mentoring and Clinical Supervision
HSIP805 Evidence and Inquiry in Practice
HSIP808 Research for Practice
HSIP809 Special Topic
HSIP810 Professional Supervision 1
HSIP811 Professional Supervision 2
HSIP813 Palliative Care
An approved level 8 30 credit module from another Wintec postgraduate programme.
Note: Not all modules will be offered every year.
Refer to Postgraduate Diploma in Health and Social Practice for module descriptors.
**CORE**

**PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE IN CONTEXT HSIP807**

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Hamilton City Campus and Bay of Plenty District Health Board Education Centre, Tauranga
- **Dates:**
  - Hamilton Semester 1: 7, 8 February, 13, 14 March, 2, 3 May, 6, 7 June
  - Tauranga Semester 2: 11, 12 July, 15, 16 August, 3, 4 October, 7, 8 November

**OVERVIEW**

This module aims to foster the development of a reflexive practitioner who critically evaluates the practice knowledge, research evidence, and normative values and regulatory frameworks that guide skilled professional practice in health and/or social services. It aims to cultivate inquiring and thoughtful practitioners who collaborate with clients, communities, and other health and social service professionals within the interprofessional contexts of practice.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Critically examine knowledge perspectives for professional practice and research in health and social services.
- Engage in critical reflection to examine personal and professional values that underpin health and social practice.
- Critically examine the influence of interprofessional communities of practice with specific populations.
- Critically evaluate the normative values and regulatory frameworks for specific scopes or fields of professional practice.
- Identify strategies and opportunities to develop the professional self-as-practitioner within interprofessional contexts.

**DESIGNING PRACTICE HSIP806**

- **Duration:** One Semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Hamilton
- **Dates:**
  - Semester 2: 16, 17 July, 27, 28 August, 24, 25 September

**OVERVIEW**

This module prepares students with the skills to respond innovatively to complex practice problems. Students will work through a real-world practice problem, developing research strategies to problem solve. The research will be undertaken, working collaboratively in inter-professional teams to design creative responses to real-world problems. The emphasis will be on service design and accessibility for diverse groups of service users.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Analyse the contributing factors to complex practice problems.
- Evaluate service providers’ desired outcomes cognisant of their value base.
- Critically examine skills and attitudes to work collaboratively within an interprofessional team.
- Develop action research methods for obtaining relevant information and processes for analysing the information in relation to the desired outcome.
- Reflectively explore the processes and outcomes engaged in a design project.
- Critically respond to the values of colleagues and service users from diverse communities, especially Māori and Pasifika.

**PATHWAY COMPULSORY**

**EVIDENCE AND INQUIRY IN PRACTICE HSIP805**

- **Duration:** One semester
- **Credits:** 30
- **Level:** 8
- **Location:** Fully online
- **Dates:**
  - Semester 1: 4 February
  - Semester 2: 8 July

**OVERVIEW**

This module develops the practitioner’s ability to utilise concepts of evidence-based practice and critical inquiry that underpin advanced practice. The module focuses on locating and critically analysing the research evidence that guides reasoning and professional judgement within specific client situations and organisational contexts.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**

- Interpret concepts of evidence-based practice and formulate researchable practice question/s using systematic methods.
- Apply systematic search frameworks, using appropriate media and technologies to search and retrieve information and document search processes.
- Critically appraise and synthesise research findings using appropriate methodological approaches for meta-analysis.
- Demonstrate reflexive awareness in addressing situational, political, cultural and other considerations for knowledge transfer in specific practice contexts.
- Develop evidence-based resources to inform reasoning and decision making in practice.
**INDUSTRY-BASED PROJECT**  
*HSIP901*

**Duration:** Full Year  
**Credits:** 60  
**Level:** 9  
**Location:** Hamilton  
**Dates:** 7, 8 February, 7, 8 March, 23 May, 25 July, 12, 13 Sept.

**PRE-REQUISITES**  
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context  
HSIP806 Designing Practice

**OVERVIEW**  
This module enables experienced health and social practice practitioners to engage in industry-based activities applying human-centred design approaches. Students will work to increase their capability to work in collaborative interdisciplinary teams to explore relevant and meaningful solutions for complex practice problems. The industry-based project aims to support practitioners to continue building resilience and capacity within organisations and communities of practice. Reflexive learning activities will build on the practitioner’s prior experience, applying active research approaches to creatively respond to complex real-world problems.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**  
- Critically analyse complex practice problems incorporating consumer and provider needs.  
- Critically examine the potential for relevant and meaningful solutions to challenges within a specific professional, organisational or service context.  
- Develop a comprehensive project plan as part of an interprofessional team, including project outcomes, and plans for ongoing capability development within the service.  
- Critically explore the roles of professional supervision and mentoring relationships to foster reflexive analysis of processes of implementing and evaluating a project.

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**EVIDENCE-BASED PRACTICE PROJECT**  
*HSIP902*

**Duration:** One Semester  
**Credits:** 30  
**Level:** 9  
**Location:** Hamilton  
**Dates:**  
**Semester 1:** 31 January, 1 February, 21 March, 8 May  
**Semester 2:** 11, 12 July, 22 August, 16 October

**PRE-REQUISITES**  
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context  
HSIP805 Evidence and Inquiry in Practice  
or HSIP808 Research for Practice

**OVERVIEW**  
This module focuses on the development of a supervised evidence-based project in which students will choose a specific issue related to their area of practice. Students will critically explore, analyse and articulate the findings that result from this enquiry.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**  
- Scope, initiate and manage an evidenced-based project within a specific area of practice.  
- Critically explore transformative, evidence-based approaches to managing practice problems and challenges.  
- Construct and implement a methodological approach drawing on relevant conceptual frameworks and resources to inform the project.  
- Evaluate primary research and other sources of evidence to inform solutions to practice problems.  
- Present a critical exploration of the process and outcomes of the project for publication.

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PATHWAY COMPULSORY

**DISSERTATION HSIP903**

Duration: Three Semesters (18 months)
Credits: 90
Level: 9
Location: Hamilton
Dates*: Semester 1:
31 January, 1 February, 8 May and two days in Semester 2 negotiated with Supervisor
Semester 2:
4, 5 July, 16 October and 2 days in Semester 1, 2020 negotiated with Supervisor.

**ADVANCED PRACTICE DEVELOPMENT HSIP904**

Duration: One Semester
Credits: 30
Level: 9
Location: Hamilton
Dates*: Semester 2:
18, 19 July, 19 September, 17 October

**PRE-REQUISITES**
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context

**OVERVIEW**
This module aims to guide students through the identification of a research topic, the construction of a research proposal, gaining ethical approval and conducting a major written project relevant to their field of practice. Students draw on learning and skills acquired in the taught components of the Master of Professional Practice programme to develop a scholarly piece of work that demonstrates skills in data collection, critical analysis and proficient written communication of ideas.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**
- Discuss the philosophical theories that underpin research.
- Critically analyse and identify paradigms and methodologies for practice inquiry that are appropriate to address their identified research question(s).
- Critically evaluate the ethical and cultural implications of research.
- Plan, manage and document a substantial and logically structured inquiry as original research on a topic related to health or social practice.

**PRE-REQUISITES**
HSIP807 Professional Practice in Context
HSIP805 Evidence and Inquiry in Practice or HSIP808 Research for Practice

**OVERVIEW**
This module enables students to consolidate an advanced area of practice and engage in focused career development within health or social services. Students will focus on creative and reflexive learning strategies to develop more innovative, resilient and collaborative practice with a specific community or population. Evidence of practice development and proposed career pathway will be presented within an ePortfolio.

**LEARNING OUTCOMES**
- Articulate an advanced area of practice for a defined health or social practice population.
- Critically examine the potential for capability development and career advancement within a specific professional and service context.
- Develop strategies and resources for collaboration, teamwork and ongoing capability development in advanced professional roles.
- Engage in supervision and mentoring relationships to foster capability development within the interprofessional practice community.
- Use a reflexive approach to developing and maintaining a professional ePortfolio as a repository of evidence for practice development.

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STUDENT LEARNING SERVICES
If you need help with your studies, there’s a team of people at Wintec whose job it is to provide that help. They offer one-to-one, small group and workshop sessions on topics such as returning to study, essay writing and study skills.

MÄORI AND PASIFKA SUPPORT CULTURAL SUPERVISION
The Centre for Health and Social Practice Kaiāwhina offers dedicated support to our students identifying as Māori and Pasifika. Wintec also has an extensive Māori holding in the library. Te Kete Kōnae is a warm welcoming space that supports you, your whānau and staff at Wintec with academic and learning, financial, cultural, pastoral and counselling support. Email tkk@wintec.ac.nz.

For students who identify as Māori or who are undertaking research with Māori or Pasifika participants or within a Māori or Pasifika context, appropriate cultural supervision in relation to your research activities will be negotiated.

LIBRARY
There are two main libraries at Wintec providing a wide range of print and online resources, e-books, specialist journals and more. Resources can be sent to you if you’re a distance student or accessed online from anywhere, anytime. Get in touch with the Library team for any questions about resources, referencing, or finding information. Email: library@wintec.ac.nz

RESEARCH RESOURCES
As a postgraduate student at Wintec, you will be well supported in your studies and research. Services include dedicated Postgraduate and Research offices. The Postgraduate Office administers all student research submissions and examinations, offers special workshops, and works closely with the Centre to keep track of your progress through the programme.

COMPUTER ACCESS
Computers are available to all enrolled students at all Wintec campuses. The Gallagher Hub at our City campus has over 130 computers for you to use 24 hours a day, 7 days a week. The City and Rotokauri campus also have free wireless and IT helpdesks to assist with using the computers, printers, scanners and MyLearning.

COMPUTER REQUIREMENTS
To access these web-enhanced or fully online modules, you are required to have access to/use:
- Windows 7 upwards
- Internet Explorer 9 upwards (or Chrome/Mozilla Firefox/Safari)
- Microsoft Office 2010 upwards
- Windows Media Player
- Adobe Acrobat Reader
- An Anti-Virus programme
- A modern browser that will play video on YouTube. Microsoft Office 2010 upwards is a requirement, students can get Office 365 for free while studying with Wintec. If you are using a Mac computer, zoom requires MacOS 10.6.8 (Snow Leopard) or later.

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MYLEARNING
Keep track of your timetable, check your emails, get your results, study online, do it all in one place, day or night, from anywhere, online in MyLearning.

MOODLE
Moodle is Wintec’s online learning and teaching tool containing programme material which may include lecture notes, research material and practice tests. If you have a computer and an internet connection, you have Moodle at your fingertips, giving you the flexibility of studying from home or anywhere, anytime.
YOUR WELL-BEING

HEALTH WORKFORCE NEW ZEALAND
You may be eligible for Health Workforce New Zealand funding. Contact the HWNZ coordinator at your District Health Board for further details.

SCHOLARSHIPS
There are a wide variety of scholarships available to students wanting to do Postgraduate studies. For a full list of scholarships and information, please visit the website at: www.wintec.ac.nz/scholarships

DISABILITY SUPPORT SERVICES
At Wintec, you are provided with the opportunity to participate in your chosen course of study on equal terms. We offer advocacy, support and information for students with an impairment, including mobility parking permits, assistive software, support staff, reader/writer for exams, advocacy with funding agencies and much more. Contact the Disability Coordinator on 07 834 8800 ext 8815 or email sls@wintec.ac.nz to find out how we can help you.

CHILDCARE
Wondering how to juggle study and family? It’s easy. Our childcare centre, Kidz@Wintec is located at the City Campus and provides care and education for children up to five years. Early booking is essential. Phone 07 834 8812.

HEALTH SERVICES AND COUNSELLING
Need a doctor? We have a Health Centre at our City campus with registered nurses, doctors, counsellors and chaplains to help with any health issues, including specialist health checks and free, confidential counselling.
TAKE YOUR NEXT STEP WITH WINTEC

CHOOSE YOUR MODULES
To discuss your pathway options within the programme and what modules would best complement your area of work, please feel free to contact the postgraduate team at pghsp@wintec.ac.nz.

READY TO APPLY
Once you’ve made a decision on what to study, there are several ways you can apply. You can go online to enrol at www.wintec.ac.nz/enrol or you can complete the Application to Enrol form and associated forms available from Wintec’s Student Enrolment and Information Centre at the City or Rotokauri Campus. Forms are also available online: www.wintec.ac.nz/seic/pages/forms.aspx

If you are a first-time student at Wintec, you will also be required to provide a completed Required Information form with a verified copy of your Passport or your Birth Certificate, a verified copy of your current Practising Certificate and a Payment By Third Party form if applicable.

If you need any assistance, contact the student enrolment information team on 0800 2 Wintec (0800 2 946832) or email info@wintec.ac.nz.

If you are a postgraduate student re-enrolling in the next module, you can simply go to www.wintec.ac.nz/seic/pages/returning.aspx to request the Returning Student Form. You will need to provide a verified copy of your current Practising Certificate, a Required Information form and a Third Party Form if applicable.

CHECK
Check the Wintec website for scholarship options and check with your employer if your chosen modules will be funded. If you are HWNZ or employer-funded, be sure to complete a Payment By Third Party Form.

Send your application and documentation to Wintec: Freepost 566, Private Bag 3036, Hamilton 3240

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