Bachelor of Nursing / Bachelor of Exercise and Movement Science (HL23)

Year offered: 2012
Admissions: Yes
CRICOS code: 070080D
Course duration (full-time): 4 years
Domestic Fees (indicative): 2012: CSP $3,186 (indicative) per Semester
International Fees (indicative): 2012: $12,900 (indicative) per Semester
Domestic Entry: February
International Entry: February
QTAC code: 425272
Past rank cut-off: 79
Past OP cut-off: 11
OP Guarantee: Yes
Assumed knowledge: English (4, SA) and Maths B (4, SA) and at least one of: Chemistry, Physics or Biology (4, SA)
Preparatory studies: For information on acquiring assumed knowledge visit http://www.qut.edu.au/assumed-knowledge
Total credit points: 432
Course coordinator: Enquiries to nursing@qut.edu.au, phone 07 3138 3824 OR email exercise@qut.edu.au, phone: 07 3138 4831
Campus: Kelvin Grove

Professional recognition
The program meets the requirements for accreditation by the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Council. Graduates meet the requirements for registration by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia and are also eligible for membership of the Royal College of Nursing, Australia (RCNA).

The Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) requires that graduates demonstrate English language skills at IELTS level 7 or equivalent before being considered for professional registration. For further information visit the AHPRA website: http://www.ahpra.gov.au/Registration/Registration-Process/Registration-Requirements.aspx

Please refer to the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia website for additional information on the Board’s Registration Standards.

Student registration
QUT automatically registers students enrolled in this course with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia in accordance with the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law Act 2009. Details about student registration are available from the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency at www.ahpra.gov.au

Additional requirements
It is a requirement of Queensland Health that all students undertaking a clinical placement in a Q Health facility complete The Essentials component of the student orientation package which is available on the Queensland Health website.

blue card As required by the Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian Act (2000) students must undergo a criminal history check and be issued with a Suitability Card (Blue Card) before commencing field experience/practicum in an organisation where they may work with children or young people. This is a mandatory requirement that must be met prior to undertaking any field experience/practicum program throughout your course. For more information, visit http://student.qut.edu.au/studying/jobs-and-work-experience/work-experience-and-placements/blue-cards.

additional costs The clinical practice units require students to undertake block practicums of two or more weeks duration. Block practicums may be scheduled during semester breaks. Students will be required to wear a uniform including suitable footwear while on clinical practice, the cost of which is approximately $150. Students enrolling in this program are required to complete a course of vaccinations for Hepatitis B before commencing their clinical practice units. They are also required to have a current Senior First Aid Certificate or the equivalent prior to commencement of Clinical Practice 1.

Pathways
Graduates can apply for admission to the HM44 Bachelor of Clinical Exercise Physiology if they wish to achieve full Exercise Physiologist status.

Further information
For detailed information about this double degree, please call the School of Nursing +61 7 3138 3824 or email nursing@qut.edu.au OR the School of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences on +61 7 3138 4831 or email exercise@qut.edu.au

Potential Careers:
Fitness Assessor/Personal Trainer, Health Educator, Health Information Manager, Health Policy Officer, Health Promotion Officer, Nurse, Policy Officer, Public Health Program Manager, Sports Scientist.