# **MSC (NURSING)**

## **Programme Requirements**

Code Title Credits

Students take **90** credits as follows - **60** credits from their chosen pathway in Part 1 and **30** credits in Part II.

#### Part 1

Students take **60** credits from one of the following pathways:

Pathway 1: Trauma and Emergency Nursing (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pdnte/)

or

Pathway 2: Intensive Care Nursing (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pdnic/)

or

Pathway 3: Gerontological Nursing (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pdng/) <sup>2</sup>

or

Pathway 5: Specialist Mental Health Nursing Practice (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pdnsmh/)

or

Pathway 6: Neonatology Nursing (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pdnn/)

or

Pathway 8: Medical and Surgical Nursing (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pdnms/)<sup>3</sup>

or

Pathway 11: Oncology Nursing (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pdnocn/)

## Part 2<sup>4</sup>

#### Students take 30 credits as follows:

#### Core Modules

<b>Total Credits</b>		90
NU6073	Dissertation in Nursing	20
	Professionals	
MH6014	Advanced Research Methods for Healthcare	10

- Part 1, typically completed in the first year of each programme pathway consists of theory modules to the value of **50** credits and a clinical practicum/practice module to the value of **10** credits. These modules (both shared and pathway specific) are listed on the corresponding pathway page.
- Students who have successfully completed 30 credits from the Postgraduate Certificate in Nursing (Gerontological Nursing) (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pcng/) and transfer into the MSc/Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing Programme must take theory modules to the value of 25 credits from NU6070, NU6079, NU6117 and one Clinical Practice/Practicum module to the value of 5 credits (NU6131).
- 3 Students who have successfully completed 30 credits from the Postgraduate Certificate in Nursing (Medical and Surgical Nursing) (https://ucc-ie-public.courseleaf.com/programmes/pcnms/) and transfer into the MSc/Postgraduate Diploma in Nursing Programme must take theory modules to the value of 25 credits from NU6070, NU6085, and NU6152 and one Clinical Practice/Practicum module to the value of 5 credits (NU6131).

<sup>4</sup> In order to progress to Part 2 students must pass modules to the value of **60** credits in Part 1.

### **Examinations**

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Full details and regulations governing Examinations for each programme will be contained in the *Marks and Standards Book* and for each module in the *Book of Modules*.