

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN COMMUNITY AND PRIMARY HEALTHCARE

Programme Requirements

Full-time programme (1 year)

Code	Title	Credits
Students take 60 credits as follows - all listed core modules (45 credits) and 15 credits of elective modules:		
<i>Core Modules</i>		
NU6005	Evidence Based Practice for Healthcare Professionals	10
NU6044	Health and Health Promotion: Concepts and Principles	5
NU6095	Primary Health Care Services in the Community	5
NU6302	Practice Enhancement for Quality Healthcare	10
NU6175	Integration and Continuity of Care Across Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Health	5
NU6176	Community and Primary Healthcare Clinical Practicum 1	5
NU6177	Community and Primary Healthcare Clinical Practicum 2	5
<i>Elective Modules</i>		
Students take modules to the value of 15 credits from the following:		
MH6032	Effective Communication in Healthcare (5)	15
MH6038	Allergy and Immunology Focused on Primary Care (5)	
MH6039	Allergy and Immunology: The Nurse's and Dietetics Perspective (5)	
NU5082	History Taking and Physical Assessment for Nursing Practice (5)	
NU6053	Professional, Ethical, and Legal Decision-making in Practice (5)	
NU6078	Optimising health and wellbeing in older people (10)	
NU6079	Promoting Positive Ageing and Planning for End of Life (5)	
NU6085	Wound Care for Healthcare Professionals (5)	
NU6145	Foundations of Cancer Care (10)	
NU6158	Evidence Based Cervical Screening (10)	
GP5100	Diabetes in Primary Care (10)	
GP5103	Fundamentals of CVD in Primary Care (5)	
EH6161	Contemporary Perspectives of Global Health (5)	
EH6162	Environmental Health: Principal Aspects and Burden of Disease (5)	
EH6163	Principles and Practices of Screening (5)	
Total Credits		60

Part-time programme (2 years)

Code	Title	Credits	
Year 1			
Students take 30 credits as follows - all listed core modules (25 credits)and 5 credits of elective modules:			
Core Modules			
NU6005	Evidence Based Practice for Healthcare Professionals	10	
NU6044	Health and Health Promotion: Concepts and Principles	5	
NU6095	Primary Health Care Services in the Community	5	
NU6176	Community and Primary Healthcare Clinical Practicum 1	5	
Elective Modules			
Students take modules to the value of 5 credits from the following:		5	
MH6032	Effective Communication in Healthcare (5)	5	
MH6038	Allergy and Immunology Focused on Primary Care (5)		
MH6039	Allergy and Immunology: The Nurse's and Dietetics Perspective (5)		
NU5082	History Taking and Physical Assessment for Nursing Practice (5)		
NU6079	Promoting Positive Ageing and Planning for End of Life (5)		
NU6085	Wound Care for Healthcare Professionals (5)		
GP5103	Fundamentals of CVD in Primary Care (5)		
EH6161	Contemporary Perspectives of Global Health (5)		
EH6162	Environmental Health: Principal Aspects and Burden of Disease (5)		
EH6163	Principles and Practices of Screening (5)		
Year 2			
Students take 30 credits as follows - all listed core modules (20 credits)and 10 credits of elective modules:			
Core Modules			
NU6302	Practice Enhancement for Quality Healthcare	10	
NU6175	Integration and Continuity of Care Across Primary, Secondary and Tertiary Health	5	
NU6177	Community and Primary Healthcare Clinical Practicum 2	5	
Elective Modules			
Students take modules to the value of 10 credits from the following:		10	
MH6032	Effective Communication in Healthcare (5)	10	
MH6038	Allergy and Immunology Focused on Primary Care (5)		
MH6039	Allergy and Immunology: The Nurse's and Dietetics Perspective (5)		
NU5082	History Taking and Physical Assessment for Nursing Practice (5)		
NU6053	Professional, Ethical, and Legal Decision-making in Practice (5)		
NU6078	Optimising health and wellbeing in older people (10)		
NU6079	Promoting Positive Ageing and Planning for End of Life (5)		
NU6085	Wound Care for Healthcare Professionals (5)		

NU6145	Foundations of Cancer Care (10)	
NU6158	Evidence Based Cervical Screening (10)	
GP5100	Diabetes in Primary Care (10)	
GP5103	Fundamentals of CVD in Primary Care (5)	
EH6161	Contemporary Perspectives of Global Health (5)	
EH6162	Environmental Health: Principal Aspects and Burden of Disease (5)	
EH6163	Principles and Practices of Screening (5)	
Total Credits		60

Examinations

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*.