

POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH (ONLINE)

Programme Learning Outcomes

Programme Learning outcomes for Postgraduate Diploma in Occupational Health (NFQ level 9, Major award)
(Online)

On successful completion of this programme, students should be able to:

- Demonstrate an awareness of occupational health from a multidisciplinary perspective including occupational medicine, epidemiology, psychology, public health, safety science, and law;
- Practise measures to prevent disease and injury, and to protect and promote health and safety in occupational settings with application of the newest research evidence;
- Perform risk assessments and management in the workplace for both physical and psychosocial risk factors;
- Employ skills to critically appraise publications and statistics and stay up-to-date with the newest research evidence;
- Systematically search and select credible and accurate sources of information for Occupational Health and Safety practice and research;
- Demonstrate an understanding of a specialised area and develop critical personal reflection of experience to shape future professional practice and development;
- Demonstrate an understanding of the major legal principles relevant to occupational health and safety, employment and the environment.