

HIGHER CERTIFICATE IN NURSING FOR THE PROGRAMME LEADING TO REGISTRATION IN THE CATEGORY AUXILIARY NURSE

VISION

The vision of Arwyp Training Institute is to be the private training provider of choice for nursing programmes by providing accessible, high quality education and training.

MISSION

To advance, transmit and sustain knowledge and understanding through the conduct of teaching, clinical practice and research at the highest standards, for the benefit of the local and national community.

PURPOSE

The qualification will lead to a Higher Certificate in the category Auxiliary Nurse. This qualification is an entry level into nursing. The qualification serves to provide students with basic knowledge, tools and techniques to enter into additional higher education studies in nursing.

The programme focuses on general principles and their application in the provision of basic nursing care. The qualification signifies that students have achieved a basic level of higher education knowledge and competence in nursing. It also signifies that the student can apply this knowledge and competence in the workplace, specifically in a healthcare setting. The programme is characterised by a work integrated learning component.

AIMS OF THE QUALIFICATION

It will produce nurses who will provide basic nursing care in all spheres of healthcare service delivery. It will provide the nurse with a wide range of cognitive, affective and psychomotor skills and will hone skills in assessment, planning and implementation of basic nursing care. It will develop writing and oral communication skills.

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EXIT LEVEL OUTCOMES

- Apply basic knowledge of anatomy, physiology, biophysics, pharmacology and microbiology in the provision of nursing care.
- Communicate effectively in a variety of ways in a nursing context.
- Use the scientific nursing approach to address the basic needs of individuals and groups in various healthcare settings.
- Demonstrate appropriate methods of interacting sensitively and professionally with people from diverse backgrounds.
- Maintain professionalism in nursing practice within the ethical and legal framework.
- Participate in addressing the needs of individuals and groups in a community.

CREDITS

120 Credits of which 72 credits must be acquired in appropriate and accredited clinical facilities and 70% of clinical acquired credits must be supervised and mentored.

ARTICULATION OPTIONS

The Higher Certificate in Nursing articulates with the National Diploma in Nursing.

GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS

The student must pass both the theoretical and clinical components of the programme with a minimum of 50%. The learner must meet the clinical requirements as stipulated in the curriculum.

ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

National Senior Certificate with admission to Higher Certificate study at a Higher Education Institution.

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DURATION OF PROGRAMME

One academic year

LEARNING ASSUMED TO BE IN PLACE

Communication Skills Level 4
Life Sciences Level 4
English (at least D symbol)

Mathematical Literacy Level 4 Computer Literacy Level 3

SELECTION CRITERIA FOR ALL CANDIDATES

A written English test score of at least 50%
A psychometric general mental ability (GMA) score of at least 5
A selection interview score of at least 75%

THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS WILL BE REQUIRED

Application form
Declaration Form
Curriculum Vitae (CV)

Two SAPS certified copies of National Senior Certificate
Two SAPS certified copies of your South African ID document
Two ID photos

Proof of payment of application handling fee (non-refundable application handling fee)

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