

# Medical-Surgical Nursing (for 6A)

## ABOUT THE COURSE

In this unique opportunity Bendigo Health has collaborate with Monash University to trial a modification to the clinical skills required within the Medical-Surgical general postgrad course and has been modified to provide comprehensive learning relating to cardiac medical patients.

The course requires that you have a passion for medical and surgical nursing and a desire to seek out learning opportunities to build you professional knowledge and skills, in order to develop a diverse knowledge and skill base to appropriately and effectively assess and manage patients in a complex hospital environment. The course will enable students to develop proficiency in the holistic management of patients across medical and surgical nursing wards with the capacity to hone your clinical skills to your specific clinical area.

Registered nurses participating in the postgraduate course will gain experience in care, assessment and management of patients undergoing cardiac interventions with rotations to the Intensive Care Unit as well as the Cath Lab. The course will further enable the development of advanced practice knowledge and leadership in practice including skills to plan, implement, coordinate and evaluate health care, as well as the ability to formulate policy for a diverse and multicultural society

## COURSE DETAILS

- The course is across two 13 weeks semesters. With a February commencement
- Study will be mixed mode, and include live sessions which can be attended in person and virtually, interactive online modules and clinical exposure in your current work environment
- The course structure will allow participants to complete theoretical learning and clinical experience, and allowing time for completion of academic assessments while continue working within existing roles/employers
- Clinical experience will focus on the complex needs of cardiac patients in your care and exploring the evidence behind complications and interventions whilst providing you the opportunity to expand on medical and surgical patients
- Taught by subject matter experts with vast and current experience from Medical & Surgical Nursing backgrounds

## RE-REQUISITES

- Currently employed in 6A with a minimum 0.6 FTE or greater.

## APPLICATION

Please submit a cover letter and a resume via email to:

[ddixon@bendigohealth.org.au](mailto:ddixon@bendigohealth.org.au). Applications close: 8<sup>th</sup> September



More information ?

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