

Graduate Certificate in Nursing (RN) CH3890



Professional Development for Registered Nurses

Timetable 2024

Graduate Certificate in Nursing (Registered Nurse Professional Development)

You can complete the Graduate Certificate in Nursing (60 credits) over a maximum of 6 years or take any of the courses on their own.

Admissions and Enrolment:

To secure your place in class, please complete the Admissions & Enrolment form and make your payment.

Please note: Online applications for this programme and its courses are not possible but an email to enrolmentsupport@ara.ac.nz will initiate an application for study under this programme.

Please note:

- All courses have an element of online learning and an assessment
- Most of the face-to-face contact is delivered at Manawa Campus, 276 Antigua Street, Christchurch
- There are compulsory courses required for completion of the Graduate Certificate (GCHA701 and either GCRA701 or GCCA701 or GCCH701)
- A 5-credit course is \$341 (50 hours Continuing Professional Development – ‘CPD’); a 10-credit course is \$681 (100 hours CPD)

This timetable is produced as a guide; however, some details may change from the time of printing.

Please note: For each course to proceed, a minimum number of participants is required.

For further information or to apply please contact Enrolment Support via email enrolmentsupport@ara.ac.nz or phone **0800 24 24 76**.

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Current at 1 March 2024



Course	Credits	Course code	Start date	End date	Course Fees	Contact	Notes
Health Assessment of Adults	10	GCHA701-24-T1	29-Jan-24	14-Jun-24	\$681	Janelle.Rin@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 29 January 2024 and runs for 8 weeks. The onsite classes run in Week 9 on Tuesday 26, Wednesday 27 and Thursday 28 March 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Wound Care 1	5	GCWC701-24-T1	29-Jan-24	05-Apr-24	\$341	Margaret.Conaglen@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 29 January 2024. Onsite classes run Wednesday 7 and Thursday 8 February 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Rural Health: Assessment of the Deteriorating Patient (Wellington)	5	GCDP701-24-T1	29-Jan-24	05-Apr-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 29 January 2024. The onsite classes are Tuesday 27 and Wednesday 28 February 2024. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in a New Zealand Department of Corrections facility.
Intensive Care Nursing 1	10	GCIC701-24-T1	05-Feb-24	21-Jun-24	\$681	Olivia.Rogers@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 5 February 2024. There are five onsite days, 8:00am – 4.30pm: Wednesday 21 and Thursday 22 February; Wednesday 20 and Thursday 21 March; and Thursday 2 May 2024 (exam is on this day). NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in an intensive care unit and have a minimum of six months experience.
Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient	5	GCRA701-24-T1	05-Feb-24	14-Apr-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 5 February 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesday 20, Wednesday 21 and Thursday 22 February 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Paediatric Emergency Nursing and Professional Considerations	5	GCEN706-24-T1	05-Feb-24	14-Apr-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 5 February 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesdays 13 February and 5 March, 8.30am – 4.30pm. RNs must be working in an emergency setting.
The Nursing Management of Dementia, Delirium and Depression	5	GCDD701-24-T1	12-Feb-24	19-Apr-24	\$341	Emma.Duffy@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 12 February 2024. The onsite classes run Wednesday 21 and Thursday 22 February 2024, 0830am – 4:30pm.



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Diabetes Management	10	GCMD701-24-T1	19-Feb-24	05-July-24	\$681	Melanie.Morete@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 19 February 2024. The onsite classes run Monday 18, Tuesday 19 and Wednesday 20 March 2024.
Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient	5	GCRA701-24-T1-1	26-Feb-24	03-May-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 26 February 2024. The onsite class run Thursdays 7, 14 and 21 March 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Infant and Young Child Health for Nurses	5	GCHE704-24-T1	04-Mar-24	10-May-24	\$341	Kirsten.Gunn@ara.ac.nz	This course is delivered fully online.
Cancer Nursing 1 – Understanding Cancer	5	GCON701-24-T1	11-Mar-24	17-May-24	\$341	Heather.Bustin@ara.ac.nz	This course is delivered fully online.
Trauma Emergency Nursing	5	GCEN707-24-T1	18-Mar-24	24-May-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens on 18 March 2024. The two onsite days are Tuesday 26 March and Thursday 4 April 2024. RNs must be working in an emergency setting.
Rural Health: Assessment of the Deteriorating Patient (Christchurch)	5	GCDP701-24-T1-1	25-Mar-24	31-May-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 25 March 2024. The onsite classes are Monday 22 and Tuesday 23 April 2024. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in a New Zealand Department of Corrections facility.
Principles of Intraoperative Nursing – Online	10	GCOT701-24-T2	08-Apr-24	23-Aug-24	\$681	Karen.Cadigan@ara.ac.nz	This course is delivered fully online. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in a perioperative or ICU environment.
Principles of Post Anaesthetic Care – Online	10	GCAR701-24-T2	08-Apr-24	23-Aug-24	\$681	Karen.Cadigan@ara.ac.nz	This course is delivered fully online. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in a perioperative of ICU environment.
Cardio-Respiratory Emergency Nursing	5	GCEN704-24-T2	15-Apr-24	21-Jun-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 15 April 2024.. The onsite learning days are Tuesday 30 April and Tuesday 14 May 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm. RNs must be working in an emergency setting.



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Assessing the Acutely Unwell Child (in the Acute Setting)	10	GCCA701-24-T2	22-Apr-24	06-Sep-23	\$681	Kirsten.Gunn@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 22 April 2024. The onsite class run Monday 29 and Tuesday 30 April 2024; and Monday 27, Tuesday 28 and Wednesday 29 May 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Nursing the High Acuity Medical Patient	5	GCHM701-24-T2	06-May-24	12-Jul-24	\$341	Brooke.Heald@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 6 May 2024. The onsite class runs Wednesday 22 and Thursday 23 May 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Health Assessment of Adults	10	GCHA701-24-T2	27-May-24	11-Oct-24	\$681	Janelle.Rin@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online learning runs for 8 weeks and starts on Monday 6 May 2024. The onsite classes run in Week 9, on Wednesday 24, Thursday 25 and Friday 26 July, 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient	5	GCRA701-24-T2	13-May-24	19-Jul-24	\$341	Margaret.Conaglen@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 13 May 2024. The onsite classes run Wednesdays 5, 12 and 19 June 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm
Rural Health: Assessment of the Deteriorating Patient (Auckland)	5	GCDP701-24-T2	27-May-24	02-Aug-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 27 May 2024. The onsite classes are Tuesday 25 and Wednesday 26 June 2024. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in a New Zealand Department of Corrections facility.
Understanding Mental Health and Illness	5	GCHI701-24-T2	27 May-24	02-Aug-24	\$341	Emma.Duffy@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The onsite class runs Monday 10 and Tuesday 11 June 2024, 9:00am – 5:00pm.
Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient (Nelson)	5	GCRA701-24-T2-N	03-Jun-24	09-Aug-24	\$341	Rebecca.Maiendie@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 13 May 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesday 25, Wednesday 26 and Thursday 27 June 2024 9.00am – 5.00pm
Rural Health: Assessment of the Deteriorating Patient (Hamilton)	5	GCDP701-24-T2-1	24-Jun-24	30-Aug-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online learning starts on Monday 24 June 2024. The onsite classes are Tuesday 23 and Wednesday 24 July 2024. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in a New Zealand Department of Corrections facility



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Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient	5	GCRA701-24-T3	15-Jul-24	20-Sep-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 15 July 2024. The onsite class runs Mondays 5, 12, and 19 August 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Diabetes Management	10	GCMD701-24-T3	15-Jul-24	29-Nov-24	\$681	Melanie.Morete@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 15 July 2024. The onsite classes will run Monday 12, Tuesday 13 and Wednesday 14 August 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Assessing the Acutely Unwell Child (in the Acute Setting) (Greymouth)	10	GCCA701-24-T3	22-Jul-24	06-Dec-24	\$681	Rebecca.Majendie@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 22 July 2024. The onsite class run Tuesday 30 and Wednesday 31 July 2024; and Tuesday 27, Wednesday 28 and Thursday 29 August 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Te Tiriti o Waitangi and Māori Health Nursing	5	GCMH701-24-T3	22-Jul-24	27-Sept-24	\$341	Ada.Campbell@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 22 July 2024. The onsite class runs on Friday 2 and Monday 5 August 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm. NB: No classes on the weekend.
Medical-Surgical Emergency Nursing	5	GCEN705-24-T3	22-Jul-24	27-Sep-24	\$341	Rebecca.Majendie@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens from 22 July. The onsite classes are Tuesday 13 August and Tuesday 3 September, 8.30am – 4.30pm. RNs must be working in an emergency setting.
Wound Care 1	5	GCWC701-24-T3	22-Jul-24	27-Sep-24	\$341	Margaret.Conaglen@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 22 July 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesday 30 and Wednesday 31 July 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Infection Prevention & Control	5	GCIM701-24-T3	05-Aug-24	11- Oct-24	\$341	Brooke.Heald@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The onsite class runs Thursday 22 and Friday 23 August 2024, 8:30am-4:30pm,
Intensive Care Nursing 2	10	GCIC702-24-T3	05-Aug-24	20-Dec-24	\$681	Olivia.Rogers@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. This course involves attending five study days, 8:00am – 4.30pm: Wednesday 21 and Thursday 22 August; Wednesday 18 and Thursday 19 September; and Wednesday 16 October 2024. Exam is on Thursday 7 November 2024. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in an ICU, have a minimum of six months' experience, and have completed GCIC701.



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Pathophysiology Related to Ageing	5	GCPR701-24-T3	19-Aug-24	25-Oct-24	\$341	Janice.Groube@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 19 August 2024. The onsite classes run Monday 9 and Tuesday 10 September 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Cancer Nursing 2 – Management	5	GCON702-24-T3	19-Aug-24	25-Oct-24	\$341	Heather.Bustin@ara.ac.nz	This course is delivered fully online. NB: You must have completed GCON701 Cancer Nursing 1 prior to enrolling into this course.
Rural Health: Assessment of the Deteriorating Patient (Wellington)	5	GCDP701-24-T3-1	19-Aug-24	25-Oct-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online learning starts on Monday 19 August 2024. The onsite classes are Tuesday 17 and Wednesday 18 September 2024. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in a New Zealand Department of Corrections facility.
Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient	5	GCRA701-24-T3-1	26-Aug-24	01-Nov-24	\$341	Rebecca.Majendie@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 26 August 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesday 10, Wednesday 11 and Thursday 12 September 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Health Assessment of Adults	10	GCHA701-24-T3	9-Sep-24	20-Dec-24	\$681	Janelle.Rin@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes and runs for 8 weeks. The onsite classes run in Week 9 on Wednesday 6, Thursday 7 and Friday 8 November 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Applied Pharmacology for Nursing	5	GCPH701-24-T3	16-Sep-24	22 Nov-24	\$341	Brooke.Heald@ara.ac.nz	This course is delivered fully online.
Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient	5	GCRA701-24-T4	16-Sep-24	22-Nov-24	\$341	Margaret.Conaglen@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 16 September 2024. The onsite class runs Wednesdays 9, 16 and 23 October 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Trauma Emergency Nursing	5	GCEN707-24-T3	23-Sep-24	29-Nov-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens from 23 September. The two onsite days are Tuesdays 15 October and 5 November 2024. RNs must be working in an emergency setting.
Assessment and Management of Pain	5	GCNP701-24-T3	30-Sep-24	06-Dec-24	\$341	Gayle.Rose@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 30 September 2024. The onsite classes run Monday 14 and Tuesday 15 October 2024, 0830am – 4:30pm



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ECG Analysis	5	GCEI701-24-T3	30-Sep-24	06-Dec-24	\$341	Noel.Walker@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 30 September 2024. The onsite classes run Monday 14, Tuesday 15, and Wednesday 16 October 2024, 8.00am – 4.30pm. Exam on Wednesday 13 November 2024.
Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient (West Coast)	5	GCRA701-24-T4-W	30-Sep-24	06-Dec-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens on Monday 30 September 2024. This course runs in Greymouth Tuesday 1, Wednesday 2 and Thursday 3 October 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Managing Heart Failure in Acute and Community Settings	5	GCHF701-24-T3	30-Sep-24	06-Dec-23	\$341	Rebecca.Majendie@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 30 September 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesday 8 and Wednesday 9 October 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Nursing the High Acuity Surgical Patient	5	GCHS701-24-T3	30-Sep-24	06-Dec-24	\$341	Jodie.Burland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The onsite class runs Wednesday 23 and Thursday 24 October 2024 from 9:00am -5:00pm.
Comprehensive Child Health Assessment	10	GCCH701-24-T4	07-Oct-24	21-Feb-25	\$681	Greer.Smit@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 7 October 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesday 15 and Wednesday 16 October; and Tuesday 29, Wednesday 30 and Thursday 31 October 2024, 8.30am – 4.30pm.
Professional Writing for Nursing	5	GCWG601-24-T4	07-Oct-23	13-Dec-23	\$341	Kirsten.Gunn@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 7 October 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesdays 8, 15 and 22 October 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm or by negotiation.
Rapid Assessment of the Acutely Unwell Patient	5	GCRA701-24-T4- 1	07-Oct-24	13-Dec-23	\$341	Margaret.Conaglen@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 7 October 2024. The onsite classes run on Thursdays 31 October, and 7 and 14 November 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.
Skin Integrity Assessment and Management	5	GCPI701-24-T4	07-Oct24	13-Dec-24	\$341	Margaret.Conaglen@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 26 August 2024. The onsite classes run Tuesday 29 and Wednesday 30 October 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.



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Rural Health: Assessment of the Deteriorating Patient (Auckland)	5	GCDP701-24-T4	14-Oct-24	20-Dec-24	\$341	Heather.Josland@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 14 October 2024. The onsite classes are Tuesday 12 and Wednesday 13 November 2024. NB: Learners enrolling in this course must be working in a New Zealand Department of Corrections facility.
Wound Care 2	5	GCWC702-24-T4	04-Nov-24	10-Jan-25	\$341	Margaret.Conaglen@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 4 November. The onsite classes run Monday 25 and Tuesday 26 November 2024. NB: You must have completed Wound Care 1 prior to enrolling into Wound Care 2.
Responding to People who Experience Substance Misuse Issues	5	GCDI701-24-T4	11-Nov-24	17-Jan-25	\$341	Maryann.Wilson@ara.ac.nz	This course combines online learning and onsite classes. The online content opens Monday 11 November. The onsite classes run Thursday 21 and Friday 22 November 2024, 9.00am – 5.00pm.

