

REQUIREMENTS

DIPLOMA OF NURSING | HLT54121 | CRICOS: 112865H

2023 - ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR DIRECT ENTRY OF ONSHORE APPLICANTS

To be eligible to receive an offer for direct entry into this program you must provide supporting documentation to meet the below entry conditions. Due to requirements of entry, applications for direct entry into this program will only be accepted from onshore applicants. Please note that limited placements are available in term based intakes (February /April /July /October). Applicants who meet entry requirements, are approved by the college to be issued with an offer and have accepted and completed payment will be given preference of placement.

Entry requirements and supporting documentation

- Academic IELTS 7.0 with no band score less than 7.0,
or PTE Academic: minimum overall score of 65 (and a minimum score of 65 in each of the four communicative skills),
or Occupational English Test (OET): minimum score of B across all components
or TOEFL iBT: minimum of 94 with minimum scores in each section:
 - Listening – 24, reading – 24, writing – 27 and speaking – 23,
- Australian Year 12 Certificate (or equivalent) with at least a “C” grade average in tertiary English and in accredited Maths, completed within the last 10 years. Please provide evidence of your most recent and highest completed level of completed studies.
- Numeracy test, the College will email the Numeracy test information to you after you submit your application with CIT International.
- A police check from the Australian Federal Police for “Code 8” - Hospital Employment (\$45 approx). *Please note a police check with a disclosure may prevent Industry Placement and therefore affect your entry and/or progress in the course*
- A letter from your General Practitioner stating your fitness to undertake nursing duties (a Nursing - Doctors letter template will be provided)
- Up to date immunisation/vaccination record (a Nursing - Doctors letter template will be provided) - to include evidence of current immunisation status for the following:
 - Tuberculosis (TB)
 - Measles, mumps, rubella
 - Varicella (chicken pox)
 - Hepatitis B with titre
 - Pertussis (whooping cough), Diphtheria, Tetanus (Evidence of one adult vaccine within the last 10 years – Vaccine: BOOSTRIX or ADACEL not ADT SEROLOGY NOT ACCEPTED)
 - Influenza (up to \$200 approx, please note that this vaccine is mandatory annually)
 - COVID 19 Vaccination, Refer to requirements on CIT Vaccination Card 23.05.2023https://international.cit.edu.au/information/publications_forms
- A current Senior First Aid Certificate - achieves National Unit of Competency First Aid HLTAID011, (\$220 approx).
- An ACT Working with Vulnerable People Card (WWVP) (Approximately \$137) – Please tick NO in response to: ‘Are you intending on providing NDIS support & services in the ACT’ on the electronic form ‘ when you are applying for your WWVP card.
- Additional Documents may be requested.

Eligibility requirements for offshore applicants or applicants who do not meet direct entry requirements

Applicants are required to meet all of the above entry requirements prior to commencing in the Nursing program. Applicants who do not meet the English entry requirement or have

not completed the numeracy test, police check, senior first aid certificate, immunisation or provided a letter from the general practitioner may wish to consider the below study pathways into the Nursing program.

12 months duration of study in the Certificate IV in Community Services

If applying for the joint offer pathway, applicants would be required to provide the below supporting documentation:

- Academic IELTS 6.5 overall or IELTS 6.0 overall or equivalent English proficiency test
- ACT Year 12 Certificate (or equivalent) with at least a “C” grade average in tertiary English and in accredited Maths, (completed within the last 10 years). Please provide evidence of your most recent and highest completed level of completed studies.
- Additional Documents may be requested.

And complete the remaining requirements outlined in the ‘Entry requirements and supporting documentation’ section, listed previously, during first 9 months of study in the Certificate IV program before being eligible to enrol into the Nursing program.

Additional information

- Students successful in finalising placement in this program will be required to purchase a CIT Nursing uniform and wear suitable footwear.
- CIT teachers will arrange all placements