



# MSc Mental Health Nursing (Pre-registration)



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Qualify in just two years as  
a registered Mental Health  
Nurse with the Nursing and  
Midwifery Council (NMC).

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**Mode of Study:** Full time

**Duration:** 2 years

**Start Date:** January

**Placement Opportunity:** Yes

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This two-year MSc Mental Health Nursing programme is for graduates from any discipline who meet the necessary entry criteria, and are able to study and work in the UK.

You will learn in a variety of practice settings, and study contemporary evidence-based nursing modules, delivered flexibly to meet your needs. You will become a life-long learner; a critical thinker who supports and influences the highest quality evidence base and provides exceptional person-centred care.

You will enter the nursing profession as a confident, proficient and autonomous practitioner, with a strong understanding of current health and social care environments.

### Course Details

Our nursing programme takes account of the key initiatives in health and social care at local, national and international levels and is developed in partnership with our clinical partners, students, service users and carers.

You will learn and practice alongside colleagues on your programme, as well as from all fields of nursing on our Bachelor of Nursing programme and from our Allied Health and Social Work programmes. The course is designed so that you will acquire in-depth knowledge and understanding which gives you specific skills and competences to work within a variety of health and social care teams and settings.

### Accreditation

Nursing & Midwifery Council.

Placement and study abroad opportunities are subject to UK and Scottish Government health and travel advice. All information is correct at time of publication – November 2021.



## Why study with us?



Qualify as a registered Mental Health Nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC) in just two years



Enjoy a flexible, student-centred approach to study



Have the opportunity to organise a four-week elective clinical placement at home or abroad



### **Work Placement**

Integrated into this programme are practice placements within the East of Scotland in a variety of Health and Social Care settings. There is also the potential to engage in an out of area (mobility practice placement) nationally or internationally.

Within the university there are also opportunities for expanding your practice by volunteering in a range of activities, such as the food bank, charities and working with researchers in the School.

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# MODULES\*



Modules that you will study\* as part of this course:

## YEAR 1

- Theory and Practice 1 – Accountable Professional
- Health in a Social and Geographical Context
- Assessment and Care Planning
- Providing and Evaluating Care

## YEAR 2

- Theory and Practice 2 – Leading and Managing Nursing Care and Working in Teams
- Improving Safety and Quality of Care
- Dissertation – Co-ordinating Care

\*These are indicative only and reflect the course structure in the current academic year. Some changes may occur between now and the time that you study.

### **Entry Requirements**

A Bachelor's degree with Honours at 2:2 or above OR an ordinary degree in nursing with distinction where registration is in an alternative field to the one you are wishing to study.

In addition applicants must also have National 5/GCSE grade C/4 in Maths and English, or equivalent, and 500 hours of relevant work experience (equivalent to 12-14 weeks full-time in a service user context).



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