



MSc in Nursing (Public Health Nursing)

(One Year, Part Time)



Introduction

The MSc in Nursing (Public Health Nursing) programme will sharpen your analytical and critical thinking and develop knowledge and skills that will help you assume a leadership role in clinical care. Students enrolled on the programme complete a 30ECTS module called Evidence Synthesis and Translation, over two Trimesters

(September to May).

We aim to give you a strong theoretical and practical foundation in leadership, health system dynamics and research methods, culminating in a dissertation focused on your practice context.

Course Highlight

Healthcare professionals require knowledge and skill in evidence synthesis and translating evidence into practice. This programme aims to support students to develop these competencies leading to enhanced EBP in their professional practice, leading to better quality, safe and individualised patient care.

Course Content and Structure

Core modules include:

- Evidence Synthesis and Translation

Delivery method:

The programme is delivered via blended learning over two trimesters.

Who is this programme for?

This programme is for applicants who hold a Graduate Diploma Nursing (Public Health Nursing) Level 9. Applicants must be employed as Public Health Nurses at time of application and for the duration of the programme.

Why study at UCD?



Graduate Education

12,000 graduate students; 17% graduate research students; structured PhDs



Global Careers

Dedicated careers support; 2 year stayback visa to work in Ireland



Graduate Courses

Largest range of Taught Graduate Nursing and Midwifery courses in Ireland



Global Community

8,500 international students and 300,000 alumni network across 165 countries





Career Opportunities

The MSc Nursing (Public Health Nursing) will enhance your research knowledge and skills in the context of Primary Care and Public Health Nursing practice.

This knowledge will provide career opportunities in leading, developing and innovating in clinical practice including:

- Management
- Information systems
- Education
- Practice development

- Human resource management
- Engagement with further research including doctoral research.

Graduate Profile

Keighleigh Byrne,
Public Health Nurse



I decided to complete the MSc Nursing (Public Health) at UCD. UCD has a reputation as an academic stronghold. Personally, this was a drawing factor for me. With regard to the course structure the lectures were one evening a week. Each one acted as a stepping stone to guide you towards your end goal of completing your dissertation. The course co-ordinators provided structured targets with achievable time frames that allowed you to complete the work and gain momentum. All students also had the support of a link lecturer and a supervisor who advised on the dissertation itself. They could not have been more supportive and were so knowledgeable it gave great confidence that although daunting at times you could achieve what you set out to. The course gave me the confidence to continue to pursue further academic achievements in the near future.

Applicant Profile

- Applicants must be employed as Public Health Nurses in clinical practice or in a management role while undertaking the programme.
- Applicants must hold a Level 9 Graduate Diploma in Public Health Nursing. The programme is open to recent Public Health Nursing Graduates.

Fees and Scholarships

Tuition fee information is available on www.ucd.ie/fees. Please note if the fees for your programme are being paid by a third party (full or partial), please ensure your funding organisation/sponsor/hospital contacts student.payments@ucd.ie. Please note this is not a student facing email address.

Related Programmes of Interest

- Graduate Diploma in Public Health Nursing

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