WHO WILL YOU CARE FOR?

UEA
University of East Anglia

NURSING AND MIDWIFERY
UNDERGRADUATE COURSES 2016
JOIN ONE OF THE BEST HEALTH SCHOOLS IN THE UK AND BE PART OF A LEADING SCHOOL AT THE FOREFRONT OF EDUCATION AND WORLD CLASS RESEARCH.

- Be graduate ready for a rewarding career in nursing or midwifery.
- Learn alongside medicine and health students.
- Be taught by expert lecturers who are passionate about learning.
- Follow in the footsteps of students who loved studying with us.

**WELCOME**

**TOP 5** in the UK for Nursing  
Complete University Guide 2016

**100%** Nursing and Midwifery graduates  
2014 achieved 2:1 or above
Across all our nursing and midwifery degrees, you will work with healthcare students from other fields for a significant proportion of your school-based learning, giving you insight into other professional perspectives and helping you develop important teamwork skills.

Your first year will see you experience a high level of contact time with lecturers. This gradually decreases over the three-year period as you become a more confident and independent learner.

You will experience different assessment methods, which have been carefully chosen to reflect the importance of being able to apply relevant theoretical knowledge to practice. With guidance and support, you will also build a sound portfolio of evidence demonstrating your progression, reflecting both your theoretical and clinical skills throughout the three-year programme.

**NURSING AND MIDWIFERY DEGREE MODULES**

**(BSc Adult Nursing - B701)**

Adult nursing is a rewarding and challenging career where you can make a positive difference to people’s lives. As a qualified adult nurse, you will care for adult patients who experience a wide range of acute or long-term illnesses. During this course, you will learn to become a nurse who is caring, compassionate, determined and has exceptional communication skills.

**Year 1**
**Compulsory Modules:**
- Essential Nursing Practice
- Foundations of Nursing

**Year 2**
**Compulsory Modules:**
- Health and Wellbeing – Adult
- Long Term Conditions – Adult

**Year 3**
**Compulsory Modules:**
- Meeting Complex Needs
- Preparation for Future Practice

**(BSc Children’s Nursing - B730)**

Children’s nursing is an important and valuable career where you will care for children of different ages in various settings. You will not only care and support children, but will provide support to their families too. As a children’s nurse you may have to deal with a range of situations, from very fragile, premature babies to teenagers with broken limbs and child protection issues. You will need to have strong verbal and non-verbal communication skills and people skills to make a great children’s nurse.

**Year 1**
**Compulsory Modules:**
- Essential Nursing Practice
- Foundations of Nursing

**Year 2**
**Compulsory Modules:**
- Health and Wellbeing – Child
- Long Term Conditions – Child

**Year 3**
**Compulsory Modules:**
- Meeting Complex Needs
- Preparation for Future Practice
Learning disabilities nurses play a vital role in improving the health, wellbeing and life expectancy of people with learning disabilities. As a specialist nurse, you will develop the highest standards of verbal and non-verbal communication skills supporting people of all ages. Learning disabilities nurses are highly sought after – you could go on to work in acute hospitals, adult community teams, learning disability child and adolescent services, respite services, forensic services or children’s hospices.

Year 1
Compulsory Modules:
Essential Nursing Practice

• Foundations of Nursing

Year 2
Compulsory Modules:
Health and Wellbeing – Learning Disabilities • Long Term Conditions – Learning Disabilities

Year 3
Compulsory Modules:
Meeting Complex Needs
• Preparation for Future Practice

BSc Learning Disabilities Nursing – B761

Mental health nursing is often complex and demanding but can be incredibly rewarding. As many as one in three people are thought to suffer some form of mental health at some point in their life. However, dealing with the human mind and behaviour is not an exact science. You will need excellent communication skills, a strong personality and empathy. As a nurse working in mental health, you will work as part of a team that includes general practitioners, psychologists, social workers, psychiatrists, occupational therapists, arts therapists and healthcare assistants.

Year 1
Compulsory Modules:
Essential Nursing Practice

• Foundations of Nursing

Year 2
Compulsory Modules:
Health and Wellbeing – Mental Health • Long Term Conditions – Mental Health

Year 3
Compulsory Modules:
Meeting Complex Needs
• Preparation for Future Practice

BSc Mental Health Nursing – B760

Becoming a midwife is a privileged role that brings with it a great sense of purpose and job satisfaction. Our course has a reputation for excellence. We will teach you the highest standards of care and give you the necessary skills required to enable you to support the needs of childbearing women and their families. You will come to represent a reliable and constant source of care and advice during what is one of the most important times of their lives.

Year 1
Compulsory Modules:
Foundation for Practice
• Promoting Healthy Lifestyles

Year 2
Compulsory Modules:
Complex Childbearing • Health and Social Care Complexities

Year 3
Compulsory Modules:
Becoming a Competent Practitioner • Leadership, Innovation and Care Quality

BSc Midwifery – B720
“WHEN I FIRST VISITED UEA I KNEW INSTANTLY THAT THIS WAS WHERE I WANTED TO STUDY, AND I’VE NEVER LOOKED BACK”

HOLLY ROGERS
BSc CHILDREN’S NURSING

“UEA IS A WONDERFUL PLACE TO STUDY MIDWIFERY. LECTURERS ARE ALWAYS ON HAND TO SUPPORT YOU”

LAUREN BLAKE
BSc MIDWIFERY

“I HOPE TO COMPLETE AN ELECTIVE IN THE MAIN HOSPITAL IN KATHMANDU, NEPAL, BEFORE BEGINNING MY NEW JOB IN A&E”

PIERS HARRISON-REID
BSc ADULT NURSING

FULFILLING YOUR POTENTIAL
YOUR EXPERIENCE

Learn through first-hand experience
Benefit from hands-on experience in a wide range of placements, from community settings and care homes to overseas electives, acute wards, operating theatres and specialist care units. You will learn how to link theory to practice and you’ll gain valuable insights into the sort of career you’d like after you graduate.

Innovative, world-leading learning
As a UEA Nursing or Midwifery student you will be able to take advantage of our pioneering, inter-professional approach to learning. This collaborative method means that, in addition to lectures, personal study and placements, you learn alongside a wide range of health and medical students. This enhances your learning and prepares you for the interdisciplinary teamwork required when working in a clinical environment. The results of this innovative approach speak for themselves; 100 per cent of our nursing and midwifery students graduated with ‘good honours’ in 2014.

Our approach has been recognised nationally in the ‘Shape of Caring’ review (March 2015), led by Lord Willis. The report identified UEA’s Collaborative Learning in Practice Project (CLiP®) as having the potential to increase both the quality of learning in practice and the capacity to support students. It was one of the key recommendations of the report.

Enhance your studies with an overseas elective
Gain invaluable experience of health care in another country and give yourself an edge over other graduates with an overseas elective. Elective placements are available on most courses, and there may also be awards and bursaries available to help fund your visit. Our students have enjoyed electives in Malawi, Sri Lanka, India, South America, Romania, Uganda and Australia.

FIND OUT MORE AT
www.uea.ac.uk/hsc
As a graduate of one of the best Health Schools in the UK, you will be highly respected and sought after. Depending upon the path you choose, your career could take you into health and social care, education, industry, management or independent practice – locally, nationally or overseas. You could work in the private sector, or follow the many UEA graduates who go on to rewarding careers with the NHS, the world’s best healthcare system.

You will benefit from having careers guidance every step of the way, during your degree and beyond. You are encouraged to think about your employability from day one of your studies, with support from a personal advisor. The UEA Careers Service will work with you to maximise your career potential upon graduation. Our School of Health Sciences has its very own Employability Director who’ll ensure you have plenty of fantastic opportunities to maximise your employment prospects, both within the curriculum and in extra-curricular initiatives.

All of our courses are accredited and prepare you for the statutory registration with the Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC). They are also developed with the NHS constitution at its core, which means that you’ll graduate ready and well prepared for a successful career.

YOUR CAREER

Nursing and Midwifery graduates employed within 6 months
2015 Unistats

100%
ONWARDS & UPWARDS

UEA NURSING ACADEMICS ARE AT THE FOREFRONT OF EFFORTS TO DELIVER EXCEPTIONAL STANDARDS OF CARE, PIONEERING NEW TEACHING METHODS AND ENABLING MORE STUDENTS TO LEARN BY DOING.

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