



#### **4. Progress through the Programme**

- 4.1 To undertake Dissertation (HLNU903) candidates must be approved by the School of Health Postgraduate Programme Committee and have at least a B grade in the module Nursing Research (HLNU901).
- 4.2 Candidates who fail a module will only be permitted one more re-enrolment into that module.

#### **5. Te Reo Maori Assessment Opportunities**

The use of Te Reo Maori in any 30 credit module is available on application at the commencement of the module.

#### **6. Supervision, Reporting and Assessment**

6.1 Each candidate who undertakes Research Project (HLNU902) in Option 1:

- 6.1.1 Will be appointed one Lead Supervisor.
- 6.1.2 Will be appointed one internal examiner for marking.

6.2 Each candidate who undertakes Dissertation (HLNU903) in Option 2:

- 6.2.1 Will be appointed a Lead supervisor and a Second Supervisor;
- 6.2.2 Will be appointed one internal and one external examiner for marking.
- 6.2.3 Where the student's research is within a clinical speciality the student will be required to have a Practice Mentor.

6.3 Candidates should consult the current student handbook for specific requirements regarding additional requirements for supervision, parameters for research and submission.

#### **7. Completion of the Programme**

- 7.1 A candidate may take up to three years to complete the Master of Nursing programme, unless an extension is granted by special permission of the Postgraduate Programme Committee.
- 7.2 The School of Health Postgraduate Nursing Programme Committee may grant a short extension of time (up to 3 months) to a student who has not completed the dissertation by the end of their enrolment.
  - 7.2.1. Candidates granted an extension may incur payment of extra fees.
- 7.3 In exceptional circumstances, the Postgraduate Programme Committee may approve the suspension of a candidate's enrolment.
  - 7.3.1 The suspension shall not normally be in excess of one semester.

#### **8. Award of Qualification**

- 8.1 Candidates who successfully complete the programme requirements as stated in section 3 of these regulations, and gain an average grade of 75% (A-) or better for all of the modules in their programme of study (including any failed modules), will receive the award of the Master of Nursing with Distinction.
- 8.2 Candidates who successfully complete the programme requirements as stated in section 3 of these regulations will receive the award of the Master of Nursing.

## 9. Schedule of Modules

### Group A – Compulsory modules for Option 1 – Course Work

Module Code	Module Title	Pre-requisites	Credits	Level
HLNU801	Nursing Research		30	8
HLNU902	Research Project		30	9
HLNU904	Advanced Nursing Practice		30	9

### Group B – An optional module can be chosen from the following:

- Wintec Postgraduate Nursing modules as listed in the table below;

Module Code	Module Title	Pre-requisites	Credits	Level
NUPCD1B or NUPCD02	Practice Knowledge  Te Whiriwhiri Oranga Maori	NUOPG01 or NU0NK01 Nursing Knowledge or equivalent	30	8
NUPCD04 or NUPCD07 or NUPCD17B or NUPCD27 or NUPCD30 or NUPCD31	He Rangahau Tapuhi Maori  Professional Practice within an Organisational Context  Advanced assessment and clinical reasoning: Acute Care Advanced Assessment and Clinical reasoning: Primary Health Care  Advanced assessment and clinical reasoning: Children/tamariki Advanced assessment and clinical reasoning: Older Adult	NU0PG89 or NU0NMR1 Nursing/Midwifery Research or equivalent  Assessment papers – entry requirements for the Programme Practice Mentor	30	8
NUPCD5A	Special Topic		30	8
NUPCD09	Pharmacology for nursing practice	Advanced assessment and clinical reasoning (NUPCD17, NUPCD27, NUPCD30 or NUPCD31)	30	8
NUPCD06	Leadership and Management in Nursing		30	8
NUPCD10	Child Health Nursing		30	8
NUPCD12	Evidence and inquiry in Practice		30	8
NUPCD14	Teaching in Professional Practice		30	8
NUPCD19	Health Development in a Cultural Context	Evidence of cultural studies work at undergraduate level or above; and child and family nursing practice experience	30	8
NUPCD20	He Ara Whai Matauranga		30	8
NUPCD21	He Ara Rapu Waiora		30	8
NUPCD24	Advanced Diabetes Nursing Practice		30	8
NUPCD25B	Cardiac Nursing		30	8
NUPCD26	Advanced Nursing Practice in	Entry requirements	30	8

	Breast Care	for the Programme Practice Mentor		
NUPCD28	Nursing the Critically Ill Person		30	8
NUPCD29	Primary Health Care Nursing in Context		30	8
NUPCD32	Nursing practice with the older adult	Entry requirements for the Programme Practice Mentor	30	8
HSHS802	Professional Supervision 1		30	8

**or**

- a prescribing module from a Nursing Council of New Zealand approved tertiary provider;

The Nursing Council of New Zealand has approved six providers for nurse prescribing recognition:

- University of Otago
- Otago Polytechnic
- Massey University
- Auckland University of Technology
- Eastern Institute of Technology
- University of Auckland

**or**

- a level 8 module from another tertiary provider of postgraduate nursing.

**Group C – Compulsory modules for Option 2 - Dissertation**

Module Code	Module Title	Pre-requisites	Credits	Level
HLNU801	Nursing Research		30	9
HLNU903	Dissertation		90	9