

## 2023 Undergraduate Programs

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Clinical Exercise Physiology  
Dental Science  
Exercise and Nutrition Sciences  
Exercise and Sport Sciences  
Health Sciences  
Health, Sport and Physical Education  
Medicine

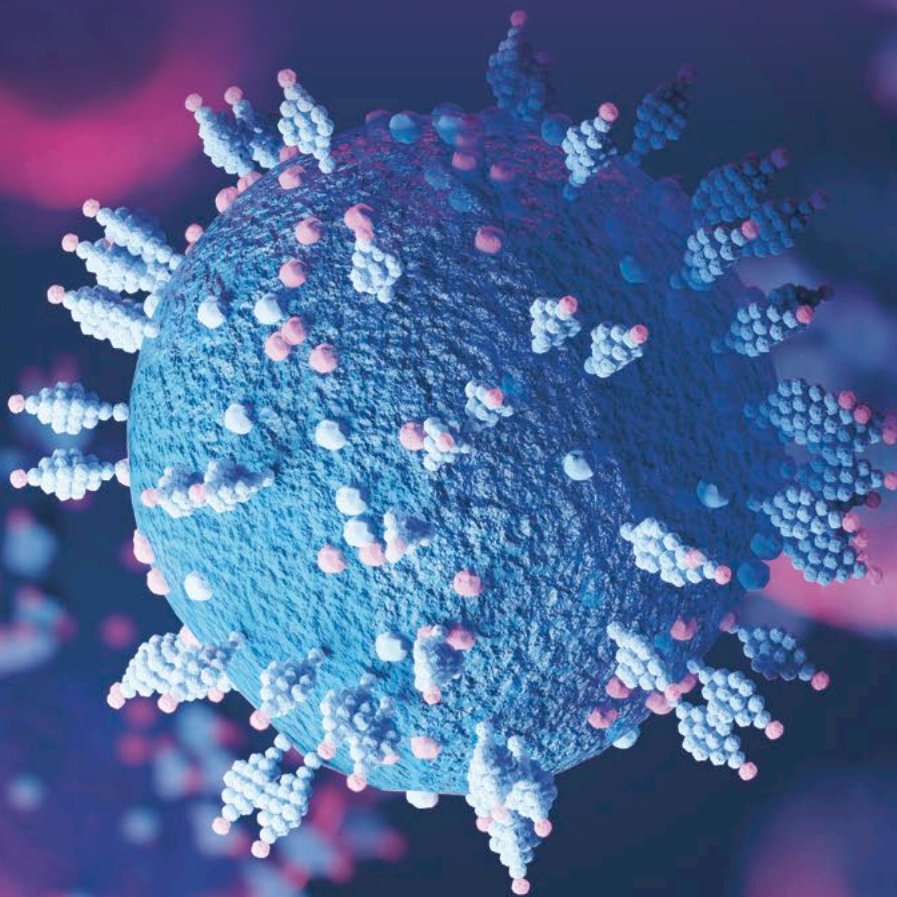
Midwifery  
Nursing  
Occupational Therapy  
Pharmacy  
Physiotherapy  
Psychological Science  
Social Work  
Speech Pathology



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countries

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employability

QS Graduate Employability Rankings 2022



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*Nature* index



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# Health at UQ

The health industry employs the highest number of people of any industry in Australia. Careers in health continue to evolve with new technologies and discoveries, ensuring there is a constant demand for health graduates.



*"I chose UQ because I knew that it had great facilities and great international connections. It had everything I needed to get a head start and use as a stepping stone towards my future goals. My cohort for physiotherapy has been absolutely amazing and so supportive. We're here to look after each other, to learn from each other and to guide each other. The best part of my studies are the placements and learning under the guidance of my tutors. I love taking everything I've learnt in the classroom and applying it in practical settings."*

## **Christopher Cheung**

Bachelor of Physiotherapy  
(Honours) student

### **Important for everybody**

As individuals, good health is our greatest asset. As members of a global community, access to the best possible health advice and care is fundamental to our quality of life.

At UQ, we are committed to teaching the healthcare leaders of the future, and advancing understanding of:

- how to promote and sustain good health
- how to detect, prevent and manage the chronic diseases that cause premature death and disability, and
- how to build better healthcare services and systems.

This knowledge is coupled with the best learning methods and support to educate the next generation of leaders in healthcare provision and innovation.

### **Learning**

UQ offers one of the widest ranges of health study areas of any Australian university. Our academic staff include award-winning lecturers who combine teaching with internationally recognised research to create an exceptional learning experience.

Our students undertake clinical or industry placements in a variety of healthcare settings, including major hospitals and UQ's own dentistry, healthy ageing, nutrition, rehabilitation, audiology and psychology clinics, as well as multidisciplinary primary care centres. Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples' perspectives are embedded into the curriculum and our students have opportunities to have meaningful learning experiences in Indigenous-focused placements during their program. Placement opportunities are also offered with partner healthcare organisations internationally.

At UQ:

- many of our health educators are leading practitioners who choose to combine teaching with professional practice and important research

- our health educators have received prestigious Australian teaching awards every year for the past 10 years, and
- many of our researchers have made internationally recognised discoveries in their fields of expertise.

### **Learn with the best**

UQ is praised for its excellence, diversity and inclusivity. You will study alongside Queensland's top students and other high-achieving students from around Australia and the world. Many UQ graduates go on to become leaders in their field.

### **Practical experience**

We focus on interprofessional education to make our graduates workplace-ready as team members who improve health outcomes. Our students undertake clinical (working with clients) or industry placements with our network of local, national and international hospitals and healthcare partners. These include major hospitals and private practices throughout Queensland, Australia and overseas. You will graduate confident and ready to commence a dynamic career in your chosen field.

### **At the forefront of discovery**

Our researchers translate discovery, innovation and interaction into health and medical care best practices that lead to life-changing benefits for both individuals and whole populations. Our research is intensive, world-leading and covers the full spectrum, from the molecular to the macro, and from the lab bench to the bedside and beyond. UQ sets national benchmarks for integrated health research by investing heavily in health and medical research, and produces graduates who are ready to lead the healthcare of the future.



## Excellent job prospects

The health industry employs the highest number of people of any Australian industry



## Global leaders

Our medical graduates are improving the quality of patient care and public health globally



## Top 2

in the world for sports-related subjects 2021\*



## 2nd

in Australia for Public Health\*\*



## Job-ready graduates

Most of our students undertake clinical or industry placements with our network of local, national and international hospitals and healthcare partners

\* Ranked first in Australia and second in the world for sports-related subjects – QS World University Rankings by Subject 2021

\*\* Ranked equal 1st in Australia for Public Health – ARWU World University Rankings 2021

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# Practical learning experiences

With the extensive range of clinical and professional placements offered as part of UQ's health degrees, you have the opportunity to take the theory learnt during your studies and practise it in a real-life setting. Our clinical and professional placements will give you specialised knowledge, understanding and practical skills so you can graduate ready for an exciting career in the health industry.

## Placement opportunities

Most of our students undertake either clinical or industry placements in a variety of settings including public and private hospitals, private clinics, professional organisations and community centres. Through our strong relationships with major healthcare and industry partners, including Queensland Health, placements can be undertaken in your local community, in rural and remote areas and, at times, overseas. We have staff in placement units who are dedicated to securing quality, placement opportunities for our students.

UQ has a University Department of Rural Health that has clinical training centres in Toowoomba and Charleville, and supports sites across the Darling Downs and South West Queensland regions. Southern Queensland Rural Health (SQRH) has strong relationships with local communities and health providers to ensure highly innovative and flexible rural clinical placement experiences, and delivers enhanced clinical learning opportunities for nursing, midwifery and allied health students. SQRH provides a range of direct supports, including clinical education support, accommodation and financial support for eligible students undertaking clinical placements in rural communities across Southern Queensland.

You may be exposed to different placement environments, some of which will be multidisciplinary in nature and promote interprofessional practice, where you will collaborate with students from other health programs at UQ. Many of our graduates are successful in finding employment as a direct result of their placement, with some securing jobs at the same organisation at which they undertook their placement.

## UQ Health Clinics

Depending on your program, you may complete a placement at one of UQ's Health Clinics, which provide healthcare and rehabilitation services to UQ students, staff and the public. Our clinics specialise in:

- audiology (hearing)
- dentistry
- healthy ageing
- nutrition and dietetics
- occupational therapy
- physiotherapy
- psychology
- speech pathology, and
- telerehabilitation.

Based at UQ St Lucia, the UQ Health and Rehabilitation Clinics provide healthcare and rehabilitation to the public through their audiology, occupational therapy, physiotherapy, speech pathology and telerehabilitation clinics. Our psychology clinic is located at St Lucia, while our nutrition clinics are located in St Lucia and Ipswich. UQ Healthy Living opened in 2018 as an interprofessional clinic promoting healthy ageing and wellbeing in adults over 50.

## International placements

Depending on your program, you can broaden your horizons and learning experiences with international placement opportunities. As well as a chance to travel overseas, these international placements will give you exposure to professional and cultural experiences not commonly found in Australia.

UQ's Faculty of Medicine offers students the opportunity to participate in observerships and placements at a range of pre-approved locations in Queensland, Ochsner Clinical School in the US, and at Queen's University in Canada.

UQ's Faculty of Health and Behavioural Sciences offers international placement opportunities across a range of programs. You can also apply for non-pre-approved locations. There are other international placement opportunities depending on your chosen health degree. In times when international travel is not possible, some programs also facilitate virtual exchanges with our international partners.





# Interprofessional education

The ageing population, rise of chronic disease and complex health conditions are all placing great demands not only on Australia's national health and social care systems, but also on services across the globe.

UQ supports the World Health Organization's finding that one way to significantly improve the delivery of healthcare is to educate health professionals on working together to communicate across professional boundaries, and to think and work as a team centred on the client.

This collaboration-based care approach is at the heart of major changes in health education and is paving the way for the future of healthcare.

This means that at UQ, we ensure your education in a health or social care discipline gives you opportunities for interdisciplinary learning, where you not only learn with students from other disciplines but collaborate to find solutions.

A UQ education gives you the skills and knowledge to become an agent of change in health or social care. UQ is committed to producing critical thinking practitioners who are future-focused leaders in their chosen profession.

## An interactive learning experience that sets you apart

Many of our students undertake the Professions, People and Healthcare (HLTH1000) course in their first year to learn how to navigate the complexity of the health and social care systems in Australia and around the world. In HLTH1000, you will join students from other health faculty degrees in an interprofessional course where you will learn about the range of roles and responsibilities within healthcare teams, and the importance of person-centred care. With a range of interactive, online study materials and weekly interprofessional workshops, you will gain the understanding and practical skills for working alongside other health and social care professionals.

Our focus is to make you not only individually competent but also collectively

competent. We will equip you with the theoretical knowledge, practical skills and understanding to work with and alongside all health professions to achieve the best outcomes for each individual patient. Throughout your degree, you'll also have other opportunities to build upon your interprofessional education via unique learning experiences including interprofessional practical opportunities.

You will benefit from learning and collaborating with students from other health degrees at UQ, and participate in team activities and complex case scenarios. You will graduate knowing how to communicate with other health and social care professionals and understand how these professions can work together to provide effective management plans for individual patients.

These innovative teaching and practical interprofessional learning experiences will set you apart from other health graduates and prepare you for a future in a range of clinical and community care situations.



*"Studying the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) helped me to not only establish strong foundational knowledge of my discipline, but also connect with students from other allied health professions. During first-year courses, I made friends with students from programs such as occupational therapy and social work. It was really beneficial to discuss similarities and differences between our studies. Even if you don't pursue a career within psychology itself, the skills you acquire in this degree are highly transferable to a range of professions, both within the allied health sector and outside it."*

## Elise Rienecker

Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) graduate  
2020 Valedictorian



**UQ has more than  
20,000 international  
students from  
142 countries**

# Are you an international student?

While a lot of information in this guide is relevant to you, certain key information may be different for international students.



*"I chose to pursue my psychology degree at UQ because of its global reputation, academic excellence in psychology and a variety of hands-on and practical experiences. UQ offers a comprehensive range of courses that suit my interests, and I have relished studying diverse courses both from my area of expertise and in other areas. I definitely recommend this program as it offers a meticulous and high-quality education, and it helps to build excellent skills in critical and analytical thinking and communication that are applicable to real life."*

## **Yulim Ji**

Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) student, South Korea

### **You are an international student if you are:**

- not a citizen of Australia or New Zealand, or
- not an Australian permanent resident, or
- a temporary resident (visa status) of Australia.

### **Eligibility for UQ study**

For admission into undergraduate programs at UQ, you must have:

- completed secondary studies equivalent to Queensland Year 12 with a score comparable to the ATAR or Queensland Year 12 Rank (prior to 2020) specified for your program
- satisfied individual program requirements (e.g. specific subject prerequisites, auditions or interviews), and
- satisfied UQ's English language proficiency requirements.

If you do not meet these criteria, you might consider taking a foundation program bridging course or English language pathway offered by UQ College.

### **Pathway options**

[future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/consider-your-pathway-options](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/consider-your-pathway-options)

### **Applying to UQ**

A UQ degree is a qualification the world will recognise. If you've got the ability, commitment and ambition to make the most of UQ, then we want to hear from you.

[future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions)

### **Study options at UQ**

If you would like to know more about your study options at UQ, enquire through our online form, and one of our UQ advisers will respond. You can also register for an advisory call with one of our student advisers. If you are in Brisbane, sign up for a campus tour.

We also have a range of publications to help you, including international undergraduate and postgraduate student guides.

### **Contact us**

[future-students.uq.edu.au/contact-us](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/contact-us)

### **Advisory calls**

[future-students.uq.edu.au/contact-us/book-call-back](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/contact-us/book-call-back)

### **Campus tours**

[future-students.uq.edu.au/university-life/campus-tours](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/university-life/campus-tours)

### **Program guides**

[future-students.uq.edu.au/teachers-guidance-counsellors](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/teachers-guidance-counsellors)

### **Fees**

As an international student, you will pay tuition fees, and potentially other non-tuition fees. UQ has program-based tuition fees for coursework award programs, meaning that all courses within a program are charged at the same tuition fee rate per unit for a given academic year. Some programs also have additional costs.

Non-tuition fees paid to the University may include the Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF), books and equipment, health insurance, administration, accommodation and assistance to apply for or hold a student visa.

[future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/review-fees-and-financial-support](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/admissions/undergraduate/review-fees-and-financial-support)

### **Other expenses**

International students applying to study in Australia must have a student visa or an alternative visa that enables them to study full-time on campus. Please consider expenses such as visa and medical (pre-departure) fees, general living expenses, establishment costs such as buying furniture, paying a rental bond and setting up electricity, gas and mobile phone accounts, as well as return airfares, and Overseas Student Health Cover (OSHC) when you plan your budget.

[future-students.uq.edu.au/university-life/living-in-brisbane/cost-living](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/university-life/living-in-brisbane/cost-living)





**Studying a health degree at UQ is closer than you think**

# Rural Access Scheme

The University of Queensland's Rural Access Scheme supports applicants from Australian rural and regional areas by boosting their entry score for a number of undergraduate health programs.

## How does it work?

Rural and regional areas of Australia often have restricted or limited access to educational opportunities, resources and health services compared with those available in cities or larger towns.

To help address these challenges, and if eligible, two adjustments will be added onto your entry rank for the following programs:

- Doctor of Medicine (Provisional Entry)
- Bachelor of Clinical Exercise Physiology (Honours)
- Bachelor of Dental Science (Honours)
- Bachelor of Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours)

- Bachelor of Midwifery
- Bachelor of Nursing
- Bachelors of Nursing / Midwifery
- Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours)
- Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours)
- Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours)
- Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours)
- Bachelor of Social Work (Honours)
- Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours).

## Visit

[future-students.uq.edu.au/rural-access-scheme](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/rural-access-scheme)



*"The Rural Access Scheme definitely made it more accessible for me to apply to study midwifery at UQ. I didn't quite get the grades I ideally wanted at high school, so the additional adjustment factors to my entry score made a difference. It made me feel more secure in applying to UQ."*

**Laura Grant-Haddock**

Bachelor of Midwifery graduate







**Biomedical scientists  
are at the forefront of  
modern healthcare**

Bachelor of

# Biomedical Science

Study the latest in globally relevant biomedical practices, and gain the theoretical and hands-on skills to prepare yourself for a dynamic career in an industry that's making incredible advances in modern medical science.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 <sup>a</sup> ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022 <sup>c</sup>		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	DUAL PROGRAM AVAILABLE	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
731201	2415	85.00 / 31	85.00	82.15	3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1, 2	St Lucia	Additional year of study	Science	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); Mathematical Methods (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 092440C) <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 6.5, writing 6, reading 6, speaking 6, and listening 6

See 'Program table explained' on page 47

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## Why Biomedical Science at UQ?

Biomedical scientists provide the foundation of modern healthcare and assist in developing treatments for diseases.

Through the creation of new techniques for cancer screening or diagnosing HIV, the design of new drugs, and the management of food poisoning and infection control, biomedical scientists are contributing to incredible advances in modern medical science. Working in partnership with doctors, nurses and other healthcare professionals, they carry out clinical tests, evaluate the effectiveness of treatment, and research the causes and cures for disease. By understanding how the human body works and what goes wrong in disease, biomedical scientists apply their knowledge to develop new treatments.

In this program you will learn from UQ researchers who are leaders in this field, and benefit from their collaboration on the latest biomedical science developments internationally. Integrate your biomedical studies across a range of discipline areas to graduate with solid foundational knowledge and gain industry-relevant skills through access to state-of-the-art laboratories and supervised research experiences. You can also use this program as a pathway to study medicine or allied health programs.

## What you will study

Your courses will cover the broad areas of molecular and cellular biology through to body systems. Take the opportunity to specialise in one or more of these areas in your third year. You will learn the scientific process through activities ranging from experimental design and hands-on experiments to computer modelling.

## Your areas of study

### Courses focusing on molecular and cellular biology

#### Biochemistry and Molecular Biology

Examine the molecules made by living organisms in a cellular context, and apply this knowledge in all areas of biomedical science. You will gain the research tools to address questions on how cells divide, grow, communicate and die, and understand the structure, function and interactions of nucleic acids, proteins, carbohydrates and lipids, and their contribution to cellular activities and processes.

#### Developmental Biology

Learn how organisms and cells grow and develop according to their genetic blueprint, and understand how genes contribute to the development of organs and tissues. This is central to understanding the basis of human health and disease. It also provides essential knowledge needed for bioengineering and nanotechnology.

## Human Genetics

Study the human genome and its significance as the instruction book of life. Contribute to the ethical debate on the use of genetic information and be a part of future discoveries identifying the genetic mechanisms that define what it is to be human. Human Genetics will allow you to employ the statistical and mathematical skills needed to analyse large biological data sets generated from sequencing the human genome.

## Immunology and Infectious Diseases

You will examine the principles of immunological responses in the body. The biology of microbes, such as bacteria, fungi and viruses, will lead to examining examples of infectious diseases, including HIV, malaria, tuberculosis, SARS and exotic influenzas. These are all a threat to global health, and your study of molecular diagnostics will allow you to understand how new vaccines and therapeutic treatments are developed.

## Courses focusing on body systems

### Anatomy

Understand human anatomy and anatomical data analysis. Perform tissue dissection and learn about the macroscopic structure of human organ systems including the musculoskeletal, nervous and visceral systems. You will collect and evaluate anatomical data, gaining insights into human variation in health and disease.





### Neuroscience

This is a rapidly growing field studying the nervous system, a complex array of billions of interconnected cells responsible for integrating, processing and coordinating sensory information and motor commands. Examine how neuroscience and neural stem cells are being used in new therapeutic strategies to treat neurological and mental illnesses.

### Pharmacology

Learn the principles that underpin how drugs impact on the functioning of the human body and are useful in the prevention and treatment of disease. You will also discover how pharmacologists are significantly improving therapies for diseases through advances in drug design and development, leading to new drugs or better use of existing drugs.

### Physiology

Investigate how the body works, applying your knowledge at the molecular and cellular levels to understand integrative control of tissues, organs and systems. Explore the normal processes in the body and the changes that occur in disease to gain a unique insight into physiology from many different perspectives.

### Practical experience

For more than half of your program, you will benefit from applying theory to practice through practical laboratory-based experiments.

### Career opportunities

The Bachelor of Biomedical Science will help you to embark on a biomedical science career, including in:

- hospital and diagnostic clinical laboratories
- biotechnology and pharmaceutical companies
- laboratory work in molecular and cellular biology
- health policy and communication, or
- secondary schools or other educational institutions, when combined with a teaching qualification.

This program also provides an excellent pathway to study medicine or allied health programs.

### Postgraduate options

Higher degrees by research (MPhil and PhD) in your area of interest are available.

*“The desire to learn more about my brother’s rare condition inspired me to study biomedical science. I wanted to find out everything I could about the physiology and genetics of muscular dystrophy. At school, I found my biology and chemistry classes really interesting and I did an assignment on my brother’s condition in Year 11. That year, my mother and I went to a muscular dystrophy conference and it was there that I really thought about combining these significant interests of mine. My honours year was an unbelievable experience. I was in awe of the technology and resources available at UQ. Being immersed and working with lecturers, tutors and lab staff who were so passionate about their work was wonderful.”*

### Zoe Macourt

Bachelor of Biomedical Science  
(Honours) graduate

### For more information

[future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)  
[uq.edu.au/sbms](http://uq.edu.au/sbms)  
[science.uq.edu.au/planner](http://science.uq.edu.au/planner)



See information on the Biomedical Science major in the Bachelor of Science on page 26 of the *Science, Mathematics, Agriculture and Environment* guide.



Watch a video about Zoe's experience in the Bachelor of Biomedical Science.  
[vimeo.com/256014507](https://vimeo.com/256014507)





**Students are  
guaranteed to  
graduate with  
honours**

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# Clinical Exercise Physiology (Honours)

Sometimes exercise really is the best medicine. Study Clinical Exercise Physiology at UQ and become a qualified Accredited Exercise Physiologist, a recognised allied health professional who specialises in the delivery of exercise to help prevent and manage a range of chronic health conditions.

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729801	2413	93.00 / 36	93.00	90.65	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 092443M)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-clinical-exercise-physiology-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-clinical-exercise-physiology-placement</a>

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## Why study the Bachelor of Clinical Exercise Physiology (Honours) at UQ?

The Bachelor of Clinical Exercise Physiology (Honours) will prepare you for an exciting career as an Accredited Exercise Physiologist (AEP). AEPs design and deliver exercise interventions that prevent and manage a range of musculoskeletal, cardiovascular, metabolic, neurologic, cancer and mental health conditions.

They also provide advanced health and physical activity education, advice and support to help people lead a healthy and active lifestyle. Medicare and most private health insurers recognise and cover services supplied by AEPs. As a Clinical Exercise Physiology (Honours) student, you will:

- study at the university ranked first in Australia and second in the world for sports-related subjects (QS World University Rankings by Subject, 2021)

- undertake more than 600 hours of practical experience designed to optimise your exposure to a wide range of clients and practitioners
- benefit from our on-campus specialised exercise clinics, where you will develop clinical skills under the supervision of our highly experienced educators
- study a program where our staff and graduates have received numerous Exercise & Sports Science Australia (ESSA) national awards, including Accredited Exercise Physiologist of the Year, Graduate of the Year, Exercise Physiologist Practice of the Year, and ESSA President's Award
- learn in state-of-the-art exercise science and physiology facilities including specialised biomechanics, motor control, exercise physiology, and strength and conditioning laboratories, and
- gain accreditation with ESSA as an Accredited Exercise Physiologist and Accredited Exercise Scientist.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake more than 600 hours of practical placements through our on-campus specialised exercise clinics and external industry placements including private practices, home health services, hospitals or clinical services, research centres, or community health and fitness centres. Practical placements provide a structured and engaging experience where you will develop your clinical skills. From Year 2, a variety of sessional practical experiences are undertaken before commencing block placements in Years 3 and 4 of the program.

Students may have the opportunity to undertake a placement outside of the Brisbane metropolitan area. In these cases, students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses.





*“I believe a career as an exercise physiologist provides me with an opportunity to make a difference in the lives of older adults. Being able to partake in a number of practical courses along with a range of different placements provided me with the confidence and skill set to be job ready upon graduation. This early exposure to practical experience helped me realise I’ve chosen the right degree for a job I’ll love.”*

### **Benjamin Noon**

Clinical Exercise Physiology graduate

### **Career outcomes**

Accredited Exercise Physiologists and Accredited Exercise Scientists work in a variety of settings including private practice, academies and institutes of sport, hospitals and clinical services, home health services, research centres, and community health and fitness centres. Careers include:

- Accredited Exercise Physiologist
- Accredited Exercise Scientist
- biomechanist
- cardiac scientist
- community recreation officer
- corporate health and fitness adviser
- exercise science researcher
- health promotion officer
- rehabilitation professional
- respiratory technician
- strength and conditioning specialist.

### **Professional memberships**

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Exercise & Sports Science Australia.

### **Accreditation body**

- Exercise & Sports Science Australia.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic accreditation. Please contact the registration body for details of any conditions for registration.

### **Additional costs**

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60) and First Aid Certificate (including CPR) (approx. \$155). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

### **Your postgraduate options**

Coursework degrees are available in:

- Master of Audiology Studies
- Master of Physiotherapy Studies
- Master of Sports Coaching
- Master of Education Studies
- Doctor of Medicine

Research degrees (MPhil and PhD) are also available in your area of interest.

### **SAMPLE COURSES**

Advanced Exercise Physiology  
Biomechanics

Exercise Prescription and Programming for:

- Ageing, Metabolic Disease and Cancer
- Cardiorespiratory Disease
- Musculoskeletal Conditions
- Metabolic and Kidney Disease

Exercise Science Technical Skills

Sports Medicine of Physical Activity

**For more information**  
[future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)



**What it’s really like to be an Accredited Exercise Physiologist**

**Read now on the Health Hub**  
[bit.ly/what-its-like-aep](http://bit.ly/what-its-like-aep)





**Learn at Australia's  
largest and most  
advanced tertiary  
oral health facility**

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# Dental Science (Honours)

Delivered at the UQ Oral Health Centre, Australia's largest and most advanced tertiary oral health facility, this program provides the knowledge and skills to prevent, diagnose, and treat oral diseases and abnormalities, preparing you for an exciting career as a qualified dentist.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
712002	2367	99.00 <sup>a</sup> / 42 <sup>a</sup>	99.20	97.10	5 years full-time	1	Herston, St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Minimum 99.00 ATAR; Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); Chemistry (Units 3 & 4, C) (Biology also recommended); and UCAT <sup>b</sup> : See <a href="https://ucat.edu.au">ucat.edu.au</a>  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 082620D) <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-dentistry-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-dentistry-placement</a>  <b>Application closing date for international students:</b> Applications close 30 September 2022.

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<sup>c</sup> Note for B Dental Science (Hons): not all applicants on ATAR 99.95 or equivalent gained entry. See footnote on page 52 for more information.

\* Applicants who apply via the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander alternative entry scheme are not required to sit UCAT.

## Why study the Bachelor of Dental Science (Honours) at UQ?

The Bachelor of Dental Science (Honours) educates the next generation of dental professionals at the most advanced tertiary oral health facility in Australia, the UQ Oral Health Centre. You will:

- enjoy the benefits of smaller cohorts with dedicated and specialist teachers
- learn the science and acquire the technical skills to care for patients, and prevent, diagnose and treat oral diseases and abnormalities
- commence pre-clinical (simulated) placements from your first semester, and develop knowledge in the basic sciences, which provide the clinical and biomedical foundations relevant to dentistry

- continue with clinical training in your second year as part of our Oral Health Alliance with the Metro North Hospital and Health Service, including patient contact. This experience is broadened in your third and fourth years with the commencement of patient treatment
- undertake an extensive final year placement (across 39–40 weeks)
- develop in-depth knowledge of general practice dentistry, periodontics, endodontics, prosthodontics, oral medicine, orthodontics, oral surgery and public health, and
- master the technical skills and knowledge needed to provide quality oral healthcare and make a genuine difference to the lives of others.

UQ's School of Dentistry is one of the most respected dental schools in Australia, and has been educating students since 1937.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake supervised clinical placements in a range of clinical settings including the UQ Oral Health Centre, as well as other government and Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander health service clinics throughout Queensland.

During your placements, you will have the opportunity to apply the theoretical knowledge learnt in class and develop your clinical skills in real-life settings. Students may have the opportunity to undertake a placement outside of the Brisbane metropolitan area. In such cases, students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses.

## What you need to apply

You must sit the University Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT) unless you are applying via the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander alternative entry scheme. Registrations open from March in the year of application. [ucat.edu.au](https://ucat.edu.au)

## Career outcomes

Once registered with the Dental Board of Australia, you can establish your own private practice, work within an established practice, or join a partnership. Within the public sector, there are opportunities to work within hospitals, community health services, or school-based dental clinics across Australia. The Australian Defence Force also accepts dental officers on either a short service or permanent basis (subject to citizenship/permanent residency).

## Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following organisations:

- Australian Dental Association
- Royal Australasian College of Dental Surgeons.

## Accreditation body

- Australian Dental Council.

While this program is accredited by an official industry body in Australia, completing this degree may not result in automatic registration for graduates. Please contact the relevant registration body for details.

### SAMPLE COURSES

Dental Disciplines  
Dental Practice  
Dental Science  
Head and Neck Anatomy for Dentistry  
Immunology and Microbiology for Dentistry  
Population Oral Health and Professional Practice  
Professions, People and Healthcare  
Research Informed Practice

## Additional costs

First Aid Certificate including CPR (approx. \$155), annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60), loupes (\$60–\$1000), dental instruments and equipment (approx. \$1500), lab coat (approx. \$50), laptop computer (at the student's discretion), safety glasses (approx. \$25), annual purchase of minimum number of teeth for compulsory preclinical learning activities (\$50–\$400 per year). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements. Phantom head masks will be provided; however, a charge of approx. \$200 will be incurred if not returned in working condition. Students are expected to fund travel and living expenses associated with placements, some of which may be outside the Brisbane metropolitan area. Any additional practice teeth that students choose to purchase will be at the student's discretion and costs will need to be met by the student.

## Your postgraduate options

The Doctor of Clinical Dentistry provides a recognised pathway for specialist training in:

- dento-maxillofacial radiology
- endodontics
- oral medicine
- orthodontics
- periodontics
- prosthodontics
- special needs dentistry.

Higher Degrees by Research (MPhil and PhD) in your area of interest are also available.



*"I had several reasons to choose UQ over others. For a start, their School of Dentistry is one of the largest and most well-equipped globally. The Bachelor of Dental Science (Honours) degree from UQ is also one of the few programs to be registered in many countries around the world. One of the best things about studying at UQ are the lecturers and supervisors. They are all very supportive and willing to go the extra mile to assist us. I would definitely recommend UQ to others as it is a very well-rounded university. The facilities the campuses provide are amazing and students receive plenty of support from their lecturers."*

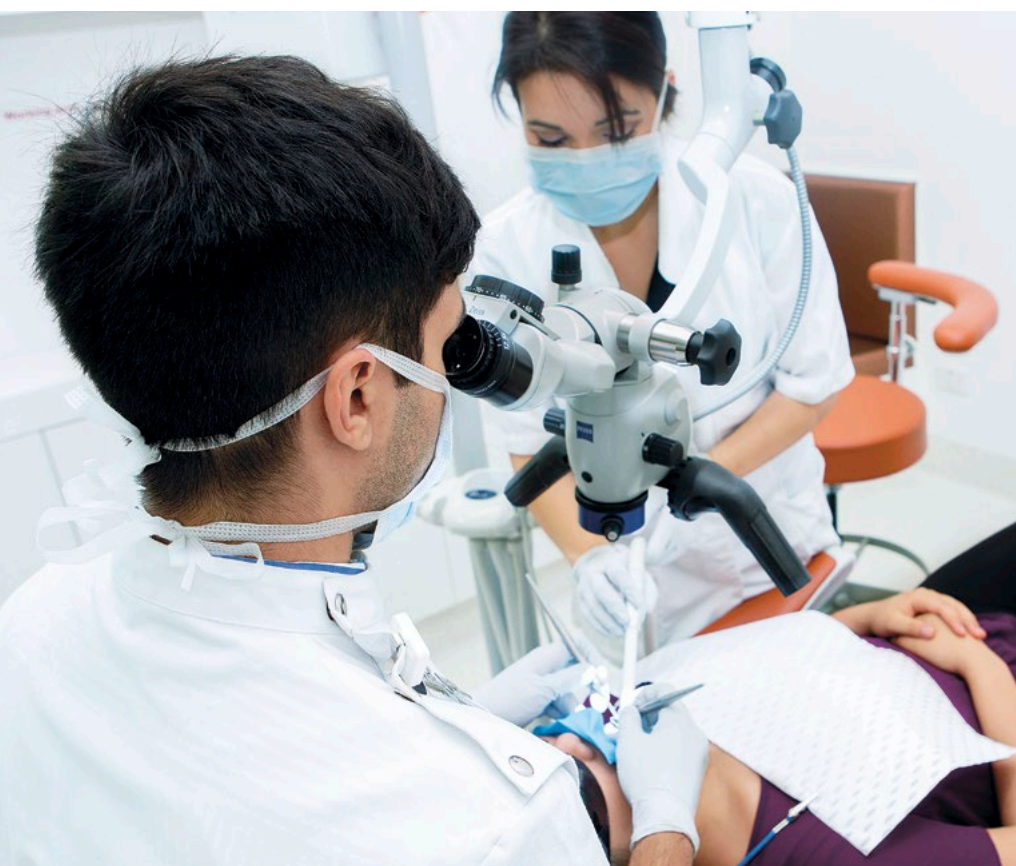
### Bill Guido

Bachelor of Dental Sciences (Honours) student, Indonesia



Learn more about simulated learning within the Bachelor of Dental Science (Honours).  
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**A flexible degree you  
can tailor towards your  
future career path**

Bachelor of

# Exercise and Nutrition Sciences

Through the study of exercise, nutrition and applied sciences, this program is a springboard to a range of exciting health careers in areas including dietetics, medicine, physiotherapy, occupational therapy and more.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
720102	2325	76.00 / 27	76.05	74.40	3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1, 2	St Lucia	Additional year of study	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 073759D) – please note the stream with provisional entry to Master of Dietetics Studies (729602) is only available to domestic students. <b>English proficiency:</b> Standard UQ English language proficiency requirements apply
or 729602 (provisional entry to Master of Dietetics Studies) (domestic students only)		96.00 / 38	96.25	94.70	3 years full-time	1			

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## Why study the Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences at UQ?

How is the human body and its health influenced by diet and exercise? What drives people to consume high levels of fats, salts and sugars, and what are the impacts? The Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences provides a framework and way of thinking to answer questions like these. Whether you're interested in exercise and nutrition, or a broader career in health, this program recognises the strong link between good nutrition, regular exercise and optimum health, so you can make a meaningful difference to the wellbeing of others. You will:

- learn in world-class facilities, which include the latest industry equipment in specialist biomechanics and motor control, as well as exercise physiology and strength-conditioning laboratories
- learn about the human body across a broad range of study areas, including the science of exercise, nutrition and food, physical activity and preventative health, and the psychology of sport and exercise

- study a flexible program, which can lead to clinical or non-clinical careers such as medicine, dietetics, audiology, speech pathology, physiology, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, occupational health and safety, public health, or sports coaching, and
- learn from health educators and industry experts who are international leaders in their field.

For students with provisional entry to the Master of Dietetics Studies, the Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences is a preferred pathway, providing future dietitians with a solid grounding of nutrition and food sciences. With appropriate study plans, this program also covers the minimum recommended courses prior to entry into UQ's Doctor of Medicine.

## Career outcomes

Graduates use their skills to work in roles such as nutrition assistant, fitness or weight loss consultant, health and wellbeing consultant, or research assistant. Many graduates combine a Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences with a postgraduate qualification to specialise in a variety of clinical and non-clinical careers.

Clinical careers (after further study) include:

- audiologist
- dietitian – this program is a preferred pathway to study dietetics at UQ
- doctor
- occupational health and safety officer
- occupational therapist
- physiotherapist
- speech pathologist.

Non-clinical careers after postgraduate study include:

- health promotion officer or community health officer
- public health manager
- sport and recreation manager
- sports coach
- sports scientist.





*"The degree provided me with an excellent understanding of the chemical, biological, anatomical and physiological processes that all contribute to nutritional requirements. Without this base knowledge, I would not be able to grow as a health professional in the dietetics space. I consistently tapped into information I learned in my undergraduate degree and I still constantly use this content in practice and in my day-to-day life. Being required to complete certain subjects made the master's more achievable and with the chance to follow personal interests with pre-requisites in areas that I'm working in now."*

### Quinton Ullrich

Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences graduate / Master of Dietetics Studies graduate



### Your postgraduate options

The Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences gives you the foundation to apply for entry into a range of postgraduate degrees such as:

- Doctor of Medicine
- Master of Audiology Studies
- Master of Dietetics Studies
- Master of Health Economics
- Master of Occupational Therapy Studies
- Master of Physiotherapy Studies
- Master of Speech Pathology Studies
- Master of Sports Coaching
- Master of Teaching.

### Honours

Honours is available as an additional year of study should you wish to pursue research in an area of interest.

### Master of Dietetics Studies

You can become a fully accredited dietitian in four-and-a-half years by gaining a place in the Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences / Master of Dietetics Studies provisional pathway program. We will guarantee you a place in the Master of Dietetics Studies when you graduate from the Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition

Sciences, providing you complete the program in the minimum time specified, achieve an annual Grade Point Average of 5.0 (on a 7-point scale) and undertake the necessary prerequisite subjects. The provisional pathway is only available to domestic students. If you don't receive a provisional place in the Master of Dietetics Studies, you can complete the Bachelor of Exercise and Nutrition Sciences and apply for direct entry to the Master of Dietetics Studies.

### SAMPLE COURSES

Advanced Nutrition Sciences  
Biochemistry of Metabolism in Health and Disease  
Health and Fitness Through Diet and Exercise  
Professions, People and Healthcare  
Promoting Health through Physical Activity, Exercise and Diet  
Sports Nutrition  
Understanding Population Nutrition

For more information  
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**UQ is ranked 1st in Australia  
and 2nd in the world for  
sports-related subjects**

QS World University Rankings by Subject 2021

Bachelor of

# Exercise and Sport Sciences (Honours)

Study exercise and sport sciences at UQ and discover how to improve performance, health and participation in exercise and physical activity. As an Accredited Exercise Scientist, you will help build healthier communities and stronger athletes through training, coaching, advice and research.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
729302	2371	88.00 / 33	88.00	85.50	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)*	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 082624M)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-exercise-and-sport-sciences-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-exercise-and-sport-sciences-placement</a>

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- \* The degree can be undertaken part-time; however, semesters that include a placement must be undertaken full-time.

## Why study the Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Sciences (Honours) at UQ?

Would you like to help elite athletes be the best they can be, get your community fit and healthy, or rehabilitate injury in healthy people wanting to be more physically active? Study the Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Sciences (Honours) at UQ and you'll develop the expertise to become a professional leader in the field. Accredited Exercise Scientists (AES) help people recover from injury, maximise the performance of elite athletes, promote healthy ageing and generally improve people's health and wellbeing.

UQ's Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Sciences (Honours) explores the complex nature of human movement and how the body reacts to acute and chronic physical activity pursuits such as general fitness regimens, recreational activities and elite sports. You will have the opportunity to study the biology, technology, behaviour and best practices that underpin exercise and sport sciences, as well as:

- graduate with a highly respected honours qualification
- focus your study on a specialisation of your choice such as elite athlete development, sports conditioning and performance, clinical measurements, or corporate and community health and fitness
- gain 500 hours of practical placements that provide hands-on experience with real clients in a supervised environment, and
- benefit from the latest industry equipment in the school's own specialist biomechanics, motor control, exercise physiology and strength conditioning laboratories and health clinics.

As a graduate, you will be eligible to apply for membership with the peak national accrediting body, Exercise & Sports Science Australia (ESSA) as an Accredited Exercise Scientist (AES) and an Accredited Sport Scientist (ASpS).<sup>+</sup>

<sup>+</sup> Students who complete practicum under approved supervision will meet all requirements for accreditation as a Level 1 Sport Scientist (ASpS). Graduates will also be required to address the Level 1 ASpS Professional Standards (Standards 1 to 6) to fulfil accreditation requirements.

## Practicals, placements and internships

Your practical placements will take place in a range of settings including sporting academies and institutes, professional sporting teams (e.g. Brisbane Broncos, Queensland Firebirds and Brisbane Roar), hospitals and local government, and a variety of healthcare organisations and fitness facilities. You will apply your theoretical knowledge to practise and develop your skills in real-life settings. A variety of sessional practical experiences are available from your second year and before commencing your full-time block placements in Year 3 and Year 4.

Students may receive the opportunity to undertake a practical placement outside the Brisbane metropolitan area. In these cases, students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses.

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## Career outcomes

Career opportunities are varied and may include developing strength and conditioning programs to assist elite athletes and sporting teams, prescribing and delivering exercise and physical activity programs in the fitness industry, delivering workplace health promotion and executive health management programs, or conducting diagnostic measurements (cardiac, sleep, respiratory or neurophysiology) in hospitals or other clinical services.

Career options include:

- Accredited Exercise Scientist
- Accredited Sport Scientist\*
- biomechanist
- cardiac scientist
- community recreation and fitness officer
- corporate health and fitness adviser
- health promotion officer
- researcher/academic
- respiratory technician
- strength and conditioning specialist.

## Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Exercise & Sports Science Australia.

## Accreditation body

- Exercise & Sports Science Australia.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic accreditation. Please contact the registration body for details of any conditions for registration.

## Additional costs

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60); First Aid Certificate (including CPR) (approx. \$155); costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

## Your postgraduate options

Coursework degrees are available in:

- Master of Audiology Studies
- Master of Physiotherapy Studies
- Master of Public Health
- Master of Sports Coaching
- Doctor of Medicine.

Higher degrees by research (MPhil and PhD) are also available in your area of interest.



UQ Bachelor of Exercise and Sports Sciences (Honours) students share their experiences of being on placement at the Brisbane Broncos.  
[vimeo.com/255842097](https://vimeo.com/255842097)

## SAMPLE COURSES

Biomechanics  
Developing the Elite Athlete  
Exercise Physiology  
Exercise Science Professional Skills  
Motor Control and Learning  
Sports Medicine of Physical Activity



*“The University of Queensland was the one to catch my eye. Not only does the University stand out in its majestic appearance and array of school facilities, it places a lot of emphasis on student welfare. Prior to joining the university, I had heard that UQ provides state-of-the-art study amenities and great support from its teachers. With its diversity in students and clubs, UQ promotes diversification in one’s social circle and activities. The school has excellent staff members who strive to bring out the best in their students, are open to any difficult problems posed and are also happy to have a chat with you.”*

## Hui Min Fung

Bachelor of Exercise and Sport Sciences (Honours) graduate, Singapore





Bachelor of

# Health Sciences

This flexible program sets you up for a successful career in health because it provides students with a foundational perspective on human health from the cell to public policy. It is also a pathway to a number of postgraduate programs, including medicine.

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			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
729002	2252	80.00 / 29	80.10	75.50	3 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1, 2	St Lucia, Herston	Additional year of study	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C). It is highly recommended that students undertake one of Year 12 (or equivalent) Biology, Chemistry, Physics, and/or Science21.  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 055897K; Honours CRICOS 058542B) International students must study on a full-time basis  <b>English proficiency:</b> Standard UQ English language proficiency requirements apply for this degree
or 729702 (provisional entry to Master of Dietetics Studies)		96.00 / 38	96.10	96.10	3 years full-time				

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## Why study the Bachelor of Health Sciences at UQ?

Health Sciences opens the door to a world of career opportunities in health where you can make a difference to the lives of many. This program has been created in consultation with the health industry, which means you will learn the most relevant, up-to-date theory and gain hands-on experience to help you graduate job-ready. You will learn from some of the country's leading experts in health, and the placement program in your third year means you graduate with the practical skills and knowledge to pursue a rewarding career in health.

The degree incorporates study in areas including biomedical sciences (e.g. anatomy, physiology and biochemistry), public health (e.g. policy and disease control), preventative health (e.g. health promotion, physical activity and nutrition), the business of health (e.g. health systems) and professional practice (e.g. law and ethics). It is a flexible health degree designed to prepare you for a clinical or non-clinical career. In your third year you will undertake 90 hours of practical (non-clinical) placement to gain hands-on industry experience.

For non-clinical students, it provides access to careers in the planning and delivery of efficient public health programs and

policies, and enrolment in postgraduate degrees such as the Master of Public Health.

Students seeking a clinical career, working one-on-one with patients, may complete this program and then, subject to meeting entry requirements, enrol in a clinical postgraduate degree such as the Doctor of Medicine, Master of Occupational Therapy Studies or Master of Dietetics Studies.

For those with Provisional Entry to the Doctor of Medicine, the Bachelor of Health Sciences is a recognised pathway, providing future medical practitioners with a solid grounding in biomedical sciences, public health, healthcare ethics, behavioural sciences and the healthcare system.

## Specialisations

Studies may be undertaken in the following specialisations:

### Clinical Health

The clinical health specialisation is an excellent choice if you are keen to pursue a career in areas like medicine or allied health. This specialisation will equip you with all the prerequisites that will enable you to be ready for a clinical career, along with an in-depth understanding of health systems and services, health policy, and working effectively with communities.

## Nutrition

Human nutrition is a global term that is concerned with the way foods and nutrients are acquired and used. It includes studies in biomedical science, biochemistry, nutrition science, behavioural sciences and food sciences, and the political, environmental, commercial and social factors affecting food supply, choices and health. The Nutrition specialisation also includes supporting studies in health systems, public health and Indigenous health. This specialisation will enable graduates to work as community nutritionists, which requires an understanding of nutrition sciences, as well as the determinants of poor nutrition, to work with populations and communities to achieve healthy eating and reduce the burden of diet-related disease.

## Public Health

Public Health focuses on preventing disease, prolonging life and promoting health and wellbeing. Learn how health services and programs are designed and delivered to promote positive community health and prevent disease and disability. You will learn how to work with communities to promote health and understand the role of health services, health policy and healthcare decision making, while examining the role of human behaviour in the incidence, prevention and progression of illness.





## Career outcomes

Whether you want a clinical career to treat and prevent illness in the community, or to work behind the scenes in the business of health, this degree is your pathway to a rewarding career. Non-clinical careers that focus on preventing illness and disease, and where you can use your skills in the assessment, management, planning and delivery of efficient, quality healthcare, may include:

- community health clinic manager
- health promotion officer, community health officer, project officer
- health service manager or health information officer in hospitals and other healthcare facilities
- public health researcher.

## Clinical careers

- Doctor of Medicine – the Bachelor of Health Sciences is a pathway to study medicine at UQ and is open to students who receive a provisional place in the Doctor of Medicine. Students who don't receive a provisional place can complete the Health Sciences degree and sit the GAMSAT exam to apply for graduate entry into medicine.
- Other clinical options – if you don't receive the OP required for direct entry into your chosen clinical degree, you can study the Bachelor of Health Sciences first and then undertake postgraduate study to complete your clinical degree. Alternatively, you can study Health Sciences for one year and then reapply via QTAC for entry into your chosen program.

Clinical careers (after further study) include:

- audiologist
- doctor
- nurse
- occupational therapist
- physiotherapist
- social worker
- speech pathologist.

## Practicals, placements and internships

Our Practicum in Health Sciences course provides final-year Health Science students with hands-on experience in a non-clinical, health-related work environment. The placement uses the student's accumulated knowledge and skill set and prepares them for future employment within the healthcare industry. The placement delivers important vocational skills and provides students with complementary workplace-based experience.

You are required to hold a current Blue Card (Working with Children Check) and further pre-placement requirements may be necessary depending on the host organisation.

## Honours

The one-year honours program is designed to provide graduates with the fundamental skills in the development, application and knowledge translation of a health-related research project. The program is intended for high-performing undergraduate students who want to pursue a research career or gain more skills in research. The program is self-directed with students receiving guided one-on-one supervision to pursue a topic of their choice.

### SAMPLE COURSES

Biology for Health Sciences  
Environmental Health  
Global Health and Infectious Disease  
Health Ethics and the Law  
Major Diseases and Their Control  
Understanding Health Behaviours

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*"I'd always been interested in health and medicine, but never wanted to be a doctor. Health Sciences was the best way to contribute and help large groups of people stay healthy. During my degree I worked with Dance for Parkinson's, a community organisation that enables people with Parkinson's disease to express themselves in a way they may not be able to normally."*

### Alexa Sheppard

Bachelor of Health Sciences graduate



Watch a video about Alexa's passion of bringing music to those who need it most.  
[vimeo.com/314138190](https://vimeo.com/314138190)



**Participate in more than  
100 days of professional  
teaching experience  
including a full school term  
placement in your final year**

Bachelor of

# Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours)

Teachers play a vital role in encouraging healthy habits and motivating younger generations to be active. When you help young people to discover the fun of physical activity and the importance of being healthy, you'll be influencing their attitudes for life.

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729402	2372	76.00 / 27	76.20	71.20	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)*	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C). Satisfy non-academic entry requirements <sup>d</sup>  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 082625K)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.5; 7.0 reading and writing, 8.0 speaking and listening	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-health-sport-and-physical-education-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-health-sport-and-physical-education-placement</a>

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<sup>d</sup> The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

<sup>e</sup> The degree can be undertaken part-time. Semesters that include a placement must be undertaken full-time. The major practicum completed in fourth year, is only one semester in length. Second semester for fourth year consists of four #2 unit courses.

<sup>f</sup> The process for assessing an applicant's non-academic capabilities is available on QTAC's website for Initial Teacher Education programs.

## Why study the Bachelor of Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours) at UQ?

UQ's Bachelor of Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours) educates the next generation of specialist health, sport and physical education teachers, and senior biology teachers. It's the longest-running university-based physical education program in Australia, with more than 70 years of teaching, research and graduate excellence. Learn how to help young people explore a range of sport and physical activities confidently and competently, and develop a lifelong love of being healthy and active. You will engage in extensive practical learning experiences, as well as develop a solid understanding of the sciences behind human movement including biomechanics, motor development, sport psychology, skill acquisition and exercise physiology. You will also:

- join a well-respected program that boasts an exceptionally high graduate employment rate

- put theory into practice with more than 100 days of professional teaching experience, including a full school term placement in your final year
- graduate with a highly respected honours qualification, with advanced knowledge and skills that will set you apart in the job market
- be taught by leading academics who are also active researchers in areas such as health and physical education (HPE) curriculum, young people and physical activity, digital technology in health and physical education, and school-based health education
- learn and train in Olympic-standard recreational and sporting facilities
- study at the university ranked first in Australia and second in the world for sports-related subjects (QS World University Rankings by Subject, 2021)
- enjoy the benefits of smaller cohorts and interactive student-centred learning experiences
- have fun – learning experiences in this program have been purposely designed to be fun, involve physical activity and encourage teamwork.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake more than 100 days of supervised teaching experience in a range of settings including primary, secondary and schools for children with special needs. Apply your theoretical knowledge to practise and develop your teaching skills in a real-life setting.

Practical teaching experiences commence in your second year including in-class peer-teaching, teaching children with special needs (UQ Motor Active Program), and primary school HPE teaching and observation. In your third year you will participate as a staff member at a secondary school for at least 25 days planning and implementing lessons. In your final year you will be immersed in the life of a school for a 60-day block and, in particular, the HPE Department. By week five of this placement, you will be teaching a full load in HPE and junior science.

Students may receive the opportunity to undertake a practical placement outside the Brisbane metropolitan area. In such cases, students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses.





### Career outcomes

Our graduates pursue a broad range of careers as confident and capable educators in schools and community environments. You will qualify as a specialist teacher of Senior Physical Education, Senior Health, Senior Biology, Junior Health and Physical Education, and Junior Science that is recognised worldwide.

Other career opportunities include:

- corporate health officer
- director of physical performance
- health promotion officer
- outdoor education coordinator
- recreation manager
- research and academia
- sports academy, charity and institute roles
- sports administrative officer
- sports coach.

### Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional bodies:

- Australian Council for Health, Physical Education and Recreation
- Queensland College of Teachers.

### Accreditation body

- Queensland College of Teachers.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic registration. Please contact the registration body for details of any conditions for registration.

### Additional costs

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60); First Aid Certificate (approx. \$155). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements. Students in an education/teaching degree need to satisfactorily complete the Literacy and Numeracy Test for Initial Teacher Education Students prior to graduation (to be eligible for teacher registration in Australia), which involves additional costs.

### Your postgraduate options

Coursework degrees are available in:

- Master of Educational Studies
- Master of Sports Coaching.

Higher degrees by research (MPhil and PhD) are also available in your area of interest.



*“The recognition of the Bachelor of Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours) program among schools is second to none. I have enjoyed the interactive nature of the course, the vast practical experience the course offers and the wonderful staff. This program offers a style of teaching degree like no other, the knowledge we gain in the first three semesters from science subjects is invaluable and then we have the best lecturers when it comes to learning how to actually teach.”*

### Ryan Thomas

Bachelor of Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours) graduate

### SAMPLE COURSES

Teaching Games and Sport  
Leadership and Research in Health and Physical Education  
Youth, Sport and Physical Culture  
Senior Health Curriculum Studies  
Sport and Health in Society and Culture

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Doctor of

# Medicine

When you study medicine with UQ, you become part of an outstanding medical community. You will gain a world-class, hands-on education that enables you to become an exceptional doctor, capable of working in any global setting. Our program allows you to tailor your learning and develop the skills you need to advance the health and wellbeing of all.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 <sup>a</sup> ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022 <sup>c</sup>		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
721302 (provisional entry for school leavers)	5578	99.85** / 45**	99.85	95.45	4 years full-time	1	Herston, Clinical Units, Teaching Hospitals, St Lucia	Adjusted ATAR 95 (or equivalent) or higher, Year 12 English (or equivalent), and UCAT ANZ/ISAT*** (international applicants). UCAT ANZ/ISAT*** are used to rank for invite to interview. Entry is competitive based on ATAR, UCAT ANZ/ISAT and interview score. To progress to the MD, students must complete their first degree at UQ within the minimum time specified for the program, GPA of 5 and complete two subject prerequisites.	Inherent Requirements for Studying Medicine, Blue Card, first aid, CPR, criminal check, screening for blood-borne viruses, immunisation**  For GAMSAT information, see <a href="https://gamsat.acer.edu.au">gamsat.acer.edu.au</a>  For UCAT ANZ information, see <a href="https://ucat.edu.au">ucat.edu.au</a>
721402 (bonded medical program for provisional entry for school leavers)		96.20** / 38**	96.20	95.65	4 years full-time				
Graduate entry applicants apply through GEMSAS <a href="https://gemsas.edu.au">gemsas.edu.au</a>								GPA of 5 in a key degree, completion of tertiary level subject prerequisites in cell biology and systems physiology, GAMSAT/MCAT (international applicants) and interview. GAMSAT must be completed within 2 years prior to the year of commencement and MCAT 4 years. Applicants must achieve a minimum score in the GAMSAT (50 per section) or MCAT (504). GAMSAT/MCAT and GPA are used to rank for invite to interview. Entry is competitive based on GPA, GAMSAT/MCAT and interview score. The key degree and subject prerequisites must be completed within 10 years prior to commencing.	
<b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 080921G) See <a href="https://uq.edu.au/international-students">uq.edu.au/international-students</a> for entry requirements and application details									
See 'Program table explained' on page 47									

<sup>†</sup> Minimum (adjusted) selection threshold 2022 is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.

<sup>‡</sup> Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

\*\* Note for Doctor of Medicine: not all applicants with the published selection rank / ATAR gained entry. See footnote on page 52 for more information.

\*\*\* The acceptance of ISAT is currently under review.

\*\* You must provide proof of immunisation against certain diseases, including COVID 19 and Hepatitis B. Visit [medicine-program.uq.edu.au/current-students/annual-program-requirements](https://medicine-program.uq.edu.au/current-students/annual-program-requirements) for further details.

## Why study the Doctor of Medicine at UQ?

From 2023, we will be offering our new Doctor of Medicine (MD) program. You can apply for this exciting four-year, full-time graduate program, either through the provisional entry pathway or as a graduate entrant.

Our vision is to nurture and educate future medical graduates who are clinically excellent, team players, kind and compassionate, serve responsibly and are dedicated to the continual improvement of the health of people and communities in Queensland, Australia and across the globe.

The program has been designed to capture and build on the enthusiasm, maturity and diversity of our graduate entrants. It features a streamlined, cohesive structure that takes an integrated approach to active learning. The MD program is built

around six key themes: Safe and Effective Clinician; Critical Thinker, Scientist and Scholar; Advocate for Health Improvement; Dynamic Learner and Educator; Kind and Compassionate Professional; Partner and Team Player.

As a student you will join a 'learning community' during your first year. Each 'learning community' brings together different clinical partners and provides a clinical home for early, meaningful clinical experiences as well as your ongoing learning through the program.

You will be able to build your own unique medical degree through a range of student choice and exciting enrichment opportunities. During your final semester of study, you will also benefit from a dedicated transition to practice term – this will help you make the safe and effective transition to internship/residency and to your ongoing successful medical career.

## How you will study

Your four-year medical journey will begin in Year 1 with the foundations of medicine, learning fundamental concepts of medical sciences, clinical and professional skills and the role of the doctor and the health system. Year 2 will concentrate on developing the knowledge and skills required for medical practice, with a focus on the pathophysiology of common conditions. Importantly, almost half of your learning opportunities will be in clinical settings in Year 2. From Year 3 onwards, you will be immersed in various clinical environments – both in hospital and the community. Your learning will be grounded in the clinical 'workplace' setting, supported by structured teaching and learning activities. This clinical immersion will culminate in a 'transition to practice semester' in Year 4 which will be focused on providing you with the opportunity to be an active pre-intern member of a clinical team.



## Career opportunities

A UQ medical degree is primarily designed to enable graduates to work as registered doctors and to undertake further training in any specialty of clinical practice. Our graduates make a difference to patients' lives in a wide variety of specialties. For example, general practice, internal medicine, surgery, paediatrics, psychiatry, obstetrics and gynaecology, emergency medicine and critical care, across the geographic continuum from urban to remote communities. There are many other career opportunities open to doctors too. These include careers in public health, medical administration, Defence Force medicine or surgery, clinical research, international aid, medical education, medical insurance, journalism and many more.

## Who will recognise your qualifications?

- Accredited by the Australian Medical Council and recognised by the Medical Board of Australia.
- Internationally recognised, enabling graduates to practise in many countries around the world.

## Application requirements

You can apply for a place in the UQ MD program at two points:

### Doctor of Medicine Provisional Entry:

- Students in their final year of high school can apply for the UQ MD program if they expect to attain a minimum adjusted ATAR of 95 (or equivalent) and have met an English subject prerequisite. In addition, applicants need to sit the University Clinical Aptitude Test Australia and New Zealand (UCAT ANZ) or International Student Admissions Test (ISAT)\* in the year of application.

*\*The acceptance of ISAT is currently under review.*

[ucat.edu.au/isat.acer.org](http://ucat.edu.au/isat.acer.org)

- Eligible applicants will be invited to participate in a multiple mini interview (MMI) based on the ranking of their aggregate score from the first four sections of UCAT ANZ and places available. Following the completion of an MMI, applicants will be selected for an offer to enrol in the UQ MD program based on the following criteria:
  - number of places available that year
  - applicant's final ranking, based on the combined score of ATAR, MMI and aggregate UCAT ANZ score.
- School leavers may also consider our Central Queensland – Wide Bay Regional Medical Pathway (RMP). Applicants can apply to the Bachelor of Medical Sciences (Pathway to Medicine) offered at CQUniversity (Rockhampton and Bundaberg campuses). Upon completion

of CQUniversity's bachelor degree, they will enter the UQ MD program spending all four years at our Rural Clinical School sites in Bundaberg, Hervey Bay and Rockhampton.

[cqu.edu.au](http://cqu.edu.au)

- Entry to the UQ MD program, for both pathways, is confirmed once applicants have satisfactorily completed their bachelor's degree within the minimum time permitted with an overall Grade Point Average (GPA) of 5.0 and have completed two subject prerequisites.

### Doctor of Medicine Graduate Entry:

- Applicants applying to enter the UQ MD program directly as a graduate must have achieved a GPA of 5.0 in their key degree (minimum three-year bachelor's degree), completion of tertiary level subject prerequisites in cell biology and systems physiology, and achieve a minimum of 50 in each section of the Graduate Medical School Admissions Test (GAMSAT) or a minimum score of 504 in the Medical College Admission Test (MCAT).

[gamsat.acer.edu.au](http://gamsat.acer.edu.au)

- Eligible applicants will be invited to participate in a MMI based on the ranking of their overall unweighted average GAMSAT score, GPA and places available. Following the completion of an MMI, applicants will be selected for an offer to enrol in the UQ MD program based on the following criteria:
  - number of places available that year
  - applicant's final ranking, based on the combined score of MMI, unweighted average GAMSAT score and GPA.
- Graduate applicants may also consider our Central Queensland – Wide Bay Regional Medical Pathway (RMP). Students will spend their first year in Brisbane before continuing from Year 2 onwards at our Rural Clinical School sites in CQ-WB. From 2025, graduate entry students will be able to complete all four years of the UQ MD in the CQ-WB regions.

## Supplementary information

- **Subject prerequisites:** All applicants need to have successfully completed two subject prerequisites or equivalent prior studies in cell biology and systems physiology. Suitable UQ prerequisite courses are:
  - Integrative Cell and Tissue Biology\*
  - System Physiology\*.

\*or equivalent courses or coursework in your major. When selecting an undergraduate degree at UQ or elsewhere that does not include these two subject prerequisites as a core requirement, applicants will need to check that their chosen undergraduate program covers



*"I wanted to study medicine so I could apply my love of science to helping people. Every year I travel to the Northern Territory for a few weeks to complete an elective placement in the remote Aboriginal community of Elliott, as part of the John Flynn Placement Program. This has been an invaluable experience and has taught me so much about Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples, their cultures and their health. To study medicine is an absolute privilege, so enjoy your time and make the most of every opportunity!"*

### Dr Laura Frederiksen

UQ Bachelor of Science and UQ Medicine graduate



Watch a video about Laura and her fellow student Arsalan's experiences in outback Queensland.  
[vimeo.com/256020686](https://vimeo.com/256020686)

the required physiology and cell biology to meet the MD subject prerequisite requirements. If not, they should plan to complete the two subject prerequisites (or equivalent) as an elective. As a supportive measure for all future medical students, it is also recommended that applicants aim to undertake courses in biostatistics, anatomy and a humanities subject during their undergraduate degree.

[medicine.uq.edu.au/prerequisites](http://medicine.uq.edu.au/prerequisites)

- **Multiple mini interviews (MMI):** MMIs are a values-based recruitment method. Applicants are presented with a variety of scenarios in a timed circuit. At each station the applicant will be asked to consider and discuss a scenario with a different interviewer.

[medicine.uq.edu.au/mmi](http://medicine.uq.edu.au/mmi)

- **Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Admissions Pathway:** The UQ MD program is committed to increasing the diversity of the medical workforce. Three pathways are available to applicants who identify as an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander person:

- admission pathway for undergraduate programs
- admission pathway for the Doctor of Medicine (Provisional Entry)
- admission pathway for the Doctor of Medicine (Graduate Entry).

Specific requirements apply to the MD admission pathways – see

[bit.ly/atsis-admissions-pathway](http://bit.ly/atsis-admissions-pathway)

- **Bonded Medical Program:** This is an Australian Government initiative that aims to proactively improve the provision of healthcare and reduce the doctor shortage outside metropolitan areas across Australia. You must be an Australian citizen or permanent resident of Australia to be eligible for a bonded offer. In 2023, 28.5 per cent of all Commonwealth supported places will be allocated to this program. If you accept an offer under this program, you will commit to working in an area of workplace shortage for a set service period after completing your medical degree. Bonded provisional pathway students do not commence their bonded period of study until Year 1 of the MD program. The return of service period can change while you're studying your first degree.

[bit.ly/bonded-medical-program](http://bit.ly/bonded-medical-program)

- **Rural Background Students (RBS) Scheme:** This is an Australian Government initiative that aims to proactively widen access to the UQ MD program to applicants from rural and remote backgrounds. This initiative is designed to improve the provision of healthcare and reduce the doctor shortage in rural and remote areas of Australia. In 2023, 28 per cent of places will be designated to applicants who have lived for a minimum length of time in a rural area in Australia. Specific requirements apply to this UQ MD program scheme.

[uq.edu.au/study/admissions](http://uq.edu.au/study/admissions)

- **Central Queensland – Wide Bay Regional Medical Pathway (RMP):**

The Central Queensland – Wide Bay Regional Medical Pathway (RMP) is a partnership between UQ, CQUniversity and the Central Queensland and Wide Bay Hospital and Health Services and aims to 'home grow' the regions medical workforce and to boost doctor numbers in regional and rural Queensland.

### Inherent requirements for studying medicine

The UQ Medical School is committed to supporting the physical and mental health of all applicants. We encourage you to familiarise yourself with the Medical Deans of Australia and New Zealand publication *Inclusive Medical Education - Guidance on medical program applicants and students with a disability*, before applying.

[bit.ly/3xB7xe5](http://bit.ly/3xB7xe5)

Feel free to contact Student Services for a confidential discussion before you apply. Email [med.mss@uq.edu.au](mailto:med.mss@uq.edu.au) for more information.

### Other requirements and additional costs

There are other costs associated with enrolling in the MD program. Students are expected to pay for their own First Aid Certificate (including CPR); criminal history checks; testing and immunisations (see notes page 22), and travel and living expenses associated with placements (see page 22). Enrolled students are expected to provide proof of having undergone screening for blood-borne viruses and immunisation against certain diseases, including Hepatitis B. Students are also required to apply for a Blue Card to work with children and young people. Details about the Blue Card are included in the medicine requirements link below.

[medicine-program.uq.edu.au/requirements](http://medicine-program.uq.edu.au/requirements)



*"I was born with a congenital heart defect so I was interested in medicine from a very young age. The most enlightening experience of my degree to date has been my first-year medical elective, which I completed in Hue, Vietnam. For me, this elective reinforced the need for doctors from developed countries to visit hospitals in lesser-developed regions to assist with new surgical techniques and better diagnostic abilities. In Hue, I observed a skin graft procedure on an 11-year-old girl who had suffered burns to 80 per cent of her body. It was very confronting, but the opportunity to help her and the ability to scrub in on a surgery for the first time and witness the anatomy of skin grafting was outstanding."*

### Dr Andrew Sax

UQ Bachelor of Exercise and Sports Science and UQ Medicine graduate



Watch a video about Andrew's experience as a Doctor of Medicine student.  
[vimeo.com/256014533](https://vimeo.com/256014533)

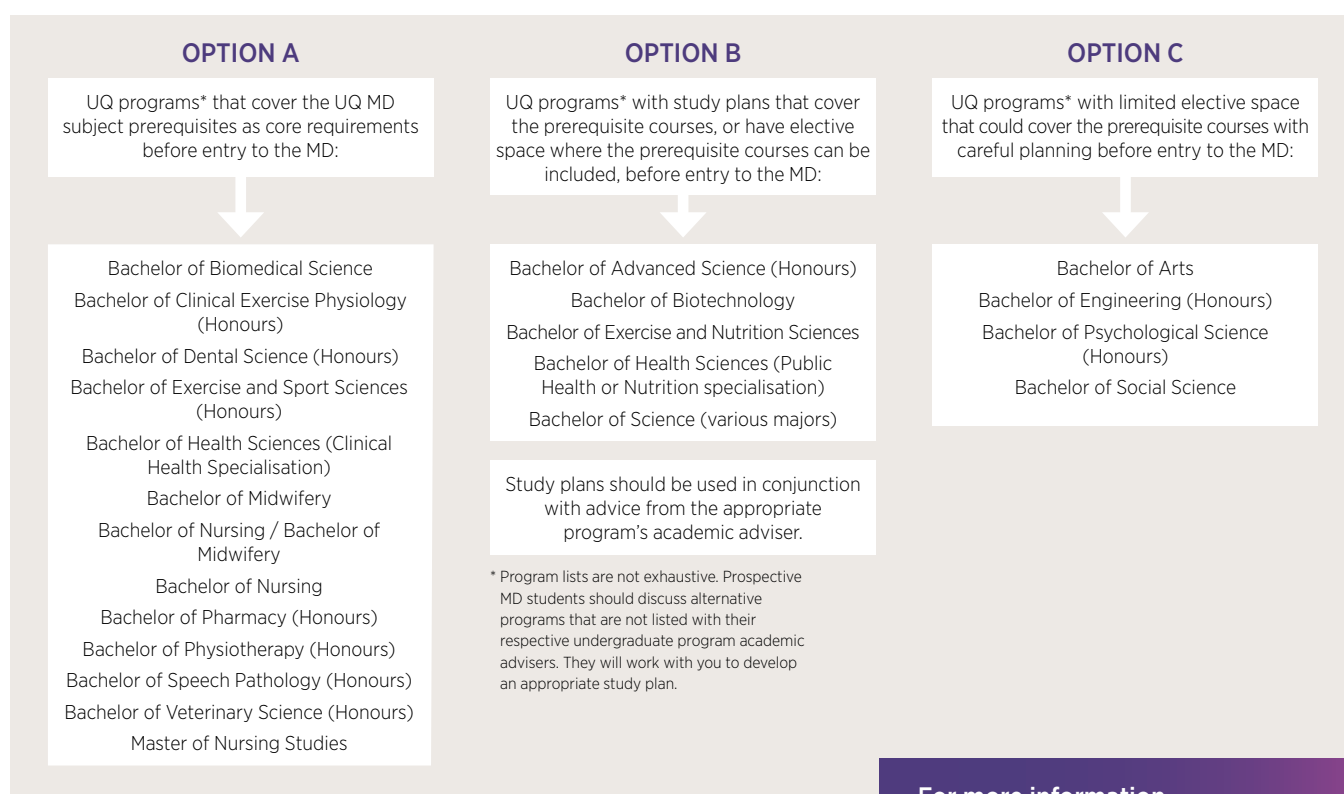
For more information  
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# Your journey to medicine

Every journey to medicine is different. To help tailor your voyage, we have outlined three options. No one option is correct or preferred – make sure you choose an undergraduate degree that interests you.



For more information  
[medicine.uq.edu.au/pathways-medicine](http://medicine.uq.edu.au/pathways-medicine)





**Start your practical learning in a hospital in your first year**

Bachelor of

# Midwifery

Enjoy an innovative midwifery program providing practical skills in supporting mothers, babies and families that you can complete within three years to become a qualified midwife. The Bachelor of Midwifery can also be undertaken as a dual degree with a Bachelor of Nursing.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022* ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022*		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	DUAL	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED							
728402	2261	95.50* / 38*	95.65	90.85	3 years full-time	1	St Lucia, clinical schools	Additional year of study	Nursing	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 058541C)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening**	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-nursing-and-midwifery-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-nursing-and-midwifery-placement</a>

See 'Program table explained' on page 47

- \* Minimum (adjusted) selection threshold 2022 is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.
- \* Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.
- \* Not all applicants on this ATAR/IB gained entry; finer discrimination within the ATAR/IB was used.
- \*\* For further requirements please refer to [qtac.edu.au/nursing-and-midwifery-courses-entry](https://qtac.edu.au/nursing-and-midwifery-courses-entry)

## Why study the Bachelor of Midwifery at UQ?

Safely guiding expectant women and parents through pregnancy, birth and the weeks that follow might be one of the most challenging and rewarding careers there is. The Bachelor of Midwifery is a respected and innovative program, developed in consultation with patients, students, midwifery associations and industry partners. The Bachelor of Midwifery adopts an approach to learning that includes lectures, inquiry-based workshops and clinical skills, integrating clinical placements in a range of midwifery settings. You will:

- start your practical-based experience in your first year of study, where you will undertake rostered clinical placement shifts, as well as clinic-skills simulation sessions.
- start to make the transition from student to midwife during extended placements in your final year. This extended clinical experience will help to consolidate the skills and knowledge to meet the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia National Competency Standards for the Midwife.

- benefit from a program that links theory and practice through a variety of teaching methods including narrative workshops, online learning and clinical simulation.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake supervised clinical placements in a range of clinical settings that include hospitals and a variety of other healthcare organisations. This includes 'continuity of care' experiences, which are completed over the duration of the program. This involves accompanying a woman and her family through the pregnancy, birth and postpartum experience. In your final year, the Placement Education Team will arrange your clinical placement, where you will apply your theoretical knowledge to practise and develop clinical skills in real-life settings.

Students may have the opportunity to undertake a placement outside of the Brisbane metropolitan area. In such cases students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses. Subsidised international placement opportunities may be available subject to funding.

## Location

Placements in the midwifery program are located at a number of hospitals. In your first year you will be allocated to a placement hospital close to your residential address. This means that you will predominantly undertake your clinical placements within this group of hospitals and their associated health services. Placement hospitals include:

- Mater South Brisbane Hospital (some students may be asked to complete some placement at Mater Redland)
- Caboolture Hospital
- Redland Hospital
- Logan Hospital
- Regional and rural health settings.

However, to ensure you receive a broad range of experience, you may be required to undertake placement activities at other clinical partner sites.

Each hospital offers a range of services including primary, secondary or tertiary healthcare.

See [nmsw.uq.edu.au/practice-placements/nursing-and-midwifery-placements](https://nmsw.uq.edu.au/practice-placements/nursing-and-midwifery-placements)





*“Placement was hands-down the most valuable experience I’ve had while studying the Bachelor of Midwifery at UQ. I completed all three years of my placement at Redland Public Hospital in women and birthing. This was an excellent experience in which I felt completely supported and welcome. I was also able to practise to my full scope of practice as a student and easily completed my requirements for the degree.”*

### **Cassandra Hockley**

Bachelor of Midwifery graduate



### **Career outcomes**

Our graduates work in a variety of maternity and neonatal settings, including:

- academia/clinical teaching
- aid organisations
- clinical practice in metropolitan, regional, rural or remote settings in both Australia and overseas
- health research
- health service management
- public, private or community healthcare.

### **Professional memberships**

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Australian College of Midwives.

### **Accreditation body**

- Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic registration. Contact the registration body for details.

### **Additional costs**

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60); First Aid Certificate (including CPR) (approx. \$155); clinical uniform shirt and badge (purchased from the University, \$30), criminal history check (\$45). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

### **Your postgraduate options**

Higher degrees by research (MPhil and PhD) are also available in your area of interest.

### **SAMPLE COURSES**

Critical Illness in the Mother and Neonate  
Evidence-Based Practice  
Health Complexities in Pregnancy  
Integrated Biomedical Sciences for Midwifery  
Woman-Centred Care towards a Philosophy of Practice  
Working with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People

**For more information**  
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**Hands-on experience  
right from the start**

Bachelor of

# Nursing

Practise person-centred care across diverse, complex and dynamic healthcare environments in a program that you complete within three years to become a fully qualified nurse. The Bachelor of Nursing can also be undertaken as a dual degree with a Bachelor of Midwifery.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 <sup>a</sup> ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022 <sup>c</sup>		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	DUAL PROGRAM AVAILABLE	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED							
728502	2241	84.80* / 31*	84.80	80.80	3 years full-time	1	St Lucia	Additional year of study	Midwifery	<p>Old Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 &amp; 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 &amp; 4, C)</p> <p><b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 050456J)</p> <p><b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening **</p>	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-nursing-and-midwifery-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-nursing-and-midwifery-placement</a>

See 'Program table explained' on page 47

<sup>a</sup> Minimum (adjusted) selection threshold 2022 is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.

<sup>c</sup> Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

<sup>\*</sup> You must obtain a Blue Card (Working with Children Check). [bluecard.qld.gov.au](https://bluecard.qld.gov.au)

<sup>\*</sup> Not all applicants on this ATAR/Rank gained entry; finer discrimination within the ATAR/Rank was used.

<sup>\*\*</sup> For further requirements please refer to [qtac.edu.au/nursing-and-midwifery-courses-entry/](https://qtac.edu.au/nursing-and-midwifery-courses-entry/)

## Why study the Bachelor of Nursing at UQ?

If you're looking for an important and in-demand career where you make a difference to the lives of others, choose UQ's Bachelor of Nursing. This innovative program was developed in consultation with consumers, students, professional associations and industry partners. It adopts a narrative and inquiry-based approach to learning, integrating clinical placements in major teaching hospitals, community and other healthcare settings. You will:

- become a competent, capable and caring professional registered nurse who works in partnership with healthcare consumers and patients
- start your practical-based healthcare experience in your first year of study, where you will undertake rostered clinical placement shifts, as well as clinical skills simulation sessions
- consolidate your knowledge and skills and develop your confidence through extended clinical placements in your final year to streamline your transition from student to registered nurse, and
- benefit from a program that prepares you to be a nursing leader of the future.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake up to 880 hours of supervised clinical placements in a range of clinical settings that include hospitals and a variety of other healthcare organisations. The Placement Education Team will arrange your placement, where you will apply your theoretical knowledge to practice and develop clinical skills in real-life settings.

Clinical placement opportunities in your final year include fields such as critical care, emergency medicine, paediatrics, aged care, rural, and mental health.

Students may have the opportunity to undertake a placement outside the Brisbane metropolitan or surrounding areas. In such cases students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses, but funding towards travel and living expenses may be available for some rural placements. Subsidised international placement opportunities may be available subject to funding.

## Location

Placements in the nursing program are located at a number of hospitals. In your first year you will be allocated to a placement hospital close to your residential address. This means that you will predominantly undertake your clinical placements within this hospital and their associated health services. However, to ensure you receive a broad range of experience, you may be required to undertake placement activities at other clinical partner sites, which include:

- Ipswich Hospital
- Logan Hospital
- Mater South Brisbane
- Aged care nursing homes (various sites)
- Queen Elizabeth II Jubilee Hospital
- Redland Hospital
- St Vincent's Private Hospital Northside
- Surgical, Treatment and Rehabilitation Service, and
- regional and rural health settings.

Each of the hospitals offers a range of services including primary, secondary or tertiary healthcare. See [nmsw.uq.edu.au/practice-placements/nursing-and-midwifery-placements](https://nmsw.uq.edu.au/practice-placements/nursing-and-midwifery-placements)





### Career outcomes

Our graduates work in various healthcare and practice settings, which include:

- major public and private tertiary hospitals and rural and remote healthcare settings including:
  - child health
  - critical care areas, e.g. emergency
  - medical surgical areas
  - mental health
  - paediatrics
- drug and alcohol units, including:
  - child health
  - community and primary care
  - mental health
- aged care areas
- research, academia and clinical teaching.

### Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Australian College of Nursing.

### Accreditation body

- Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic registration. Contact the accreditation body for details of conditions of registration.

### Additional costs

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60); First Aid Certificate (including CPR) (approx. \$155); clinical uniform shirt and badge (purchased from the University, \$30), criminal history check (\$45). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

### Your postgraduate options

Postgraduate coursework study is available in:

- Master of Nurse Practitioner (domestic students only).

Research higher degrees (MPhil and PhD) are also available in your area of interest.



*“In the Bachelor of Nursing I completed a placement which was integrated into my studies rather than being an intensive block. You might learn how to administer injections to patients and the next day you could have a hospital placement shift and are able to apply that skill. I have predominantly remained at the same hospital throughout my degree, which has allowed me to foster critical relationships with members of the healthcare team. Furthermore, you follow the shifts of registered nurses, meaning you may have a morning, afternoon or night shift. This definitely prepares you for when you graduate.”*

### Zoe Sever

Bachelor of Nursing graduate

### SAMPLE COURSES

Acute Care Nursing  
Child and Family Nursing  
Evidence-Based Practice  
Integrated Biomedical Sciences for Nursing  
Older Adults' Health  
Pharmacology and Therapeutics for Nursing and Midwifery  
Working with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People

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Bachelors of

# Nursing / Midwifery

Gain extensive practical experience from one of Australia's leading nursing and midwifery schools, and graduate with two degrees in four years. Gain hands-on, real-life experience from the earliest stages of the program and complete more than 1000 hours of clinical placements to ensure you are job-ready on graduation.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022* ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022*		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	DUAL PROGRAM AVAILABLE	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED							
728602	2290	97.00 / 39	97.00	93.45	4 years full-time	1	St Lucia	Additional year of study	Midwifery	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C).  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 0062637E)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening **	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-nursing-and-midwifery-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-nursing-and-midwifery-placement</a>

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\* Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

\*\* For further requirements please refer to [qtac.edu.au/nursing-and-midwifery-courses-entry](https://qtac.edu.au/nursing-and-midwifery-courses-entry)

## Why study the Bachelors of Nursing / Midwifery at UQ?

Nursing and midwifery are exciting, diverse and rewarding careers where you can make a true difference to the lives of others. UQ's innovative Bachelors of Nursing / Midwifery dual degree program takes a narrative and patient/woman-focused approach to learning, integrating practice across diverse, complex and dynamic healthcare environments. You will:

- gain specific knowledge and professional recognition across two programs
- become a competent, capable and caring professional who works in partnership with women, healthcare consumers, and patients and their families
- start your practical-based healthcare experience in your first year of study, where you will undertake rostered clinical placement shifts, as well as clinical skills simulation sessions
- benefit from a program that links theory and practice through a variety of teaching methods including narrative workshops, online learning and clinical simulation
- integrate theory with practice across a range of healthcare settings, and

- consolidate your knowledge and develop your confidence through extended clinical placements in your final year to streamline your transition from student to registered nurse and midwife.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake more than 1000 hours of supervised clinical placement in a range of clinical settings that include hospitals and a variety of other healthcare organisations. This includes 'continuity of care' experiences, which are completed over the duration of the program. Providing continuity of care involves accompanying a woman and her family through the pregnancy, labour, birth and postpartum experience. The Placement Education Team will arrange your placement, where you will apply your theoretical knowledge to practise and develop clinical skills in real-life settings. You will also have opportunities to engage with innovative models of healthcare such as telehealth.

Students may receive the opportunity to undertake a placement outside the Brisbane metropolitan area. In such cases, students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses. Additionally, subject to funding, subsidised international placement opportunities may be available.

## Location

Placements in the nursing/midwifery program are located at a number of hospitals. In your first year you will be allocated to a placement hospital close to your residential address. This means that you will predominantly undertake your clinical placements within this hospital and their associated health services. However, to ensure you receive a broad range of experience you may be required to undertake placement activities at other clinical partner sites, which include:

- Mater South Brisbane Hospital
- Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital
- Redcliffe Hospital
- Springfield Hospital
- Redland Hospital
- The Wesley Hospital
- aged care facilities
- regional and rural health settings.

Each hospital offers a range of services including primary, secondary and tertiary healthcare.

See [nmsw.uq.edu.au/practice-placements/nursing-and-midwifery-placements](https://nmsw.uq.edu.au/practice-placements/nursing-and-midwifery-placements).





### Career outcomes

Our graduates work in various healthcare and practice settings, including:

- major public and private tertiary hospitals
  - antenatal, birth suite and postnatal areas
  - critical care areas (e.g. emergency)
  - medical surgical areas
  - mental health
  - paediatrics and child health
- rural, remote and community healthcare settings
  - community and primary care nursing
  - drug and alcohol units
  - mental health
  - midwifery group practice
- aged care areas
- research, academia and clinical teaching.

### Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional bodies:

- Australian College of Midwives
- Australian College of Nursing.

### Accreditation body

- Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic registration. Contact the registration body for details of conditions for registration.

### Additional costs

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60); First Aid Certificate (including CPR) (approx. \$155); clinical uniform shirt and badge (purchased from the University, \$30), criminal history check (\$45). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

### Your postgraduate options

Postgraduate coursework study is available in:

- Master of Nurse Practitioner (domestic students only).

Research higher degrees (MPhil and PhD) are also available in your area of interest.



*"I have a passion for working with people and love the idea of being able to support others at a vulnerable time in their lives. I have been lucky to do my placements at the Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital and Ipswich Hospital. In my final semester I travelled to Rockhampton to work with the Royal Flying Doctor Service. This opportunity allowed me to fly to multiple towns across Queensland to help those who were sick or injured. This experience has inspired my desire to be a flight nurse for RFDS in the future."*

### Emma Shayler

Bachelors of Nursing / Midwifery graduate

### SAMPLE COURSES

Acute Care Nursing  
Evidence Based Practice  
Health Complexities in Pregnancy  
Integrated Biomedical Sciences  
Older Adults' Health  
Pharmacology and Therapeutics for Nursing and Midwifery

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Learn about Maddy's experience studying the Bachelors of Nursing/Midwifery at UQ.  
[vimeo.com/255827724](https://vimeo.com/255827724)



Learn from leaders in the profession including national teaching award winners

Bachelor of

# Occupational Therapy (Honours)

Combining theory and clinical practice, this program covers occupational therapy practice across a range of clinical and community contexts, enabling people to overcome barriers and engage in everyday activities that are meaningful and important to them.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 <sup>2</sup> ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022 <sup>2</sup>		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
724002	2368	95.75 / 38	95.80	93.80	4 years full-time	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 082621C) <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening**	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-occupational-therapy-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-occupational-therapy-placement</a>

See 'Program table explained' on page 47

<sup>2</sup> Minimum (adjusted) selection threshold 2022 is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.

<sup>2</sup> Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The lowest ATAR (unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

\*\* For further information, refer to the English Language Proficiency Procedure at [ppl.app.uq.edu.au/content/3.40.14-english-language-proficiency-admission](https://ppl.app.uq.edu.au/content/3.40.14-english-language-proficiency-admission)

## Why study the Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours) at UQ?

Occupational therapists help people of all ages overcome barriers that affect their ability to engage in the everyday activities that are meaningful and important to them. These everyday activities can range from tying shoelaces, writing or cooking, through to going to work and driving a car. They use a range of approaches to develop, recover or maintain the person's engagement in these important everyday activities despite challenges from injury or illness, psychological or emotional difficulties, developmental delays or ageing.

Occupational therapists work collaboratively with their clients to identify what is required to support their engagement in these activities, such as modifying tasks or the environment, skill development and education. Occupational therapists often work closely with professionals in physiotherapy, speech pathology, education, nursing and social work.

Study the Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours) at UQ and you will join one of the

leading schools for health and rehabilitation sciences in Australia with a long tradition of teaching, research and graduate excellence. You will:

- develop a thorough understanding of the theory and practice of occupational therapy, as well as knowledge of the medical, social, behavioural, psychological and psychosocial sciences
- gain practical experience from Year 1 in a variety of community and healthcare settings, in onsite clinics and external partners throughout Queensland
- undertake simulated learning activities in the school's six-bed simulation ward and simulation house
- be a leader in your field, gain internationally renowned qualifications and become a skilled healthcare professional who helps people improve their participation in meaningful occupations, and
- graduate with a highly respected honours qualification, with advanced knowledge and skills that will set you apart in a competitive job market and provide a pathway to future research or learning.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake 1000 hours\* of supervised clinical practice in a range of clinical settings including hospitals, educational facilities, other healthcare organisations, private practice and UQ's Occupational Therapy clinics. During your placements, you will have the opportunity to apply your theoretical knowledge to practise and develop your clinical skills in real-life settings. You will undertake a variety of sessional practical experiences from Year 1 before commencing full-time block placements during Years 3 and 4.

Students may receive the opportunity to undertake a clinical placement outside the Brisbane metropolitan area. In such cases students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses.

\* Hours can vary depending on elective course chosen and whether a student elects to undertake the research stream.





### Career opportunities

Our graduates find employment in settings such as:

- community health centres and agencies
- industry and government institutions
- injury prevention and injury rehabilitation for workers
- primary, secondary schools and schools for children with special needs
- private practice
- public and private hospitals (including paediatric, adult and psychiatric centres)
- research institutions
- residential centres.

Our graduates are equipped with sharp critical thinking and problem-solving skills, and highly developed communication skills, which, with further study, can be used to pursue a career in professional research or academia.

### Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Occupational Therapy Australia.

### Accreditation body

- Occupational Therapy Council.

This program is recognised by the World Federation of Occupational Therapy.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic registration. Contact the registration body for details of conditions for registration.

### Additional costs

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60); First Aid Certificate (including CPR) (approx. \$155); clinical uniform shirt (approx. \$30); black trousers (either your own or can be purchased for approx. \$60). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

### Your postgraduate options

- Master of Audiology Studies
- Master of Physiotherapy Studies
- Master of Speech Pathology Studies.

Research higher degrees (MPhil and PhD) in your area of interest are available.



*"I would definitely recommend my degree at UQ to others who are considering studying occupational therapy because you'll be able to study at such a beautiful campus with abundant learning resources. You'll be taught by friendly lecturers who are always there to help you. The practicals of the anatomy course were definitely one of the highlights of my studies in first semester."*

### Beatrice Lau

Bachelor of Occupational Therapy (Honours) student, Hong Kong

### SAMPLE COURSES

Chronic Physical and Mental Health Conditions and Occupational Performance

Occupational Performance and Participation for Adults with Acute and Chronic Medical Conditions

Occupational Therapy for Children and Youth II

Occupational Therapy Practice: Academic Analysis and Study

Promoting Occupational Performance and Participation for Individuals with Complex Issues and Life Situations

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QS World University Rankings by Subject 2021

Bachelor of

# Pharmacy (Honours)

With pharmacy boasting one of the highest graduate employment rates of any bachelor's degree in Australia\*, study pharmacy at UQ for a rewarding career where you will make a difference to the lives of others. Learn at the world-class UQ Pharmacy Australia Centre of Excellence from recognised leaders in the field.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022* ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022*		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
725002	2373	84.00 / 30	84.10	80.20	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent). Students commencing in Semester 2 will take 4.5 years to complete program.	1, 2	St Lucia, PACE Woolloongabba	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics (Units 3 & 4, C); and Chemistry (Units 3 & 4, C); (Biology also recommended)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 082626J)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 6.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-pharmacy-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-pharmacy-placement</a>

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\* 2020 Graduate Outcomes Survey.

## Why study the Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) at UQ?

With a UQ Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours), you'll be at the forefront of the pharmacy profession, enjoying one of the highest graduate employment rates of any bachelor degree in Australia, with 96.4 per cent of graduates in full-time employment in 2020\*. The Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) prepares you for a rewarding career in many different domains including industry, community, hospital pharmacy or government. You will:

- learn at the state-of-the-art Pharmacy Australia Centre of Excellence (PACE), a world-class, \$100 million teaching and research facility including simulated dispensaries and pharmacies, wet laboratories, and the Health Sciences library, all specifically designed with pharmacy students in mind
- develop a strong understanding of pharmaceutical sciences, as well as the skills necessary to be an effective provider of person-centred care

- learn collaboratively with students from other health science disciplines, preparing you to be a valuable part of a high-functioning healthcare team
- be prepared for the ever-changing future of healthcare, with high-level critical thinking and problem-solving skills to prepare you for the expanding scope of pharmacy, with simulated on-campus training and clinical placement opportunities in rural or metropolitan Australia or overseas and across different areas of pharmacy.

## Major in Clinical and Experimental Therapeutics

In your final year you have the opportunity to complete a year-long research project while working as a part of a research team, with possible research areas including drug discovery, diabetes education, indigenous healthcare, pain management, cancer treatment and palliative care. You will graduate with a major in Clinical and Experimental Therapeutics (entry based on GPA).

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake more than 350 hours of supervised clinical placement in a range of settings that include hospital and community pharmacies. The School has partnerships with more than 500 pharmacies throughout rural and metropolitan Australia and overseas.

During your program, you will undertake a variety of sessional practical experiences before starting eight weeks of placement in your final year. Students may have the opportunity to undertake a placement outside of the Brisbane metropolitan area, with some funding available to help cover travel and accommodation costs for eligible students.

## Career outcomes

UQ's Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) leads to careers:

**Community pharmacy**, where you:

- provide primary healthcare by identifying and treating common ailments
- dispense prescriptions and give specialist medication advice
- promote community health, illness prevention and healthy lifestyle choices.





*"I chose UQ because it has a remarkable reputation. The lecturers are very knowledgeable, experienced and helpful. You can get plenty of practise during practicals and tutorials to improve your communication skills with patients. During placements, you will apply your knowledge gained in lectures and have real-life experience in counselling patients, which will be beneficial in your future career."*

### **Shook Ling Kueh (Fion)**

Bachelor of Pharmacy (Honours) student, Malaysia

#### **Hospital pharmacy, where you:**

- prepare and supply medicines
- provide drug information to healthcare professionals
- contribute to an interprofessional healthcare team
- educate and advise patients, doctors and nurses on the appropriate and safe use of medicines.

As well as careers in government, pharmaceutical industry and research.

#### **Professional memberships**

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Pharmaceutical Society of Australia.

#### **Accreditation body**

- Australian Pharmacy Council.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic registration. Please contact the registration body for details of any conditions for registration.

#### **Additional costs**

Clinical uniform shirt (may be purchased from the School). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

#### **Your postgraduate options**

Postgraduate coursework options include:

- Postgraduate coursework study (Graduate Certificate and Master) is available in Clinical Pharmacy
- Master of Pharmaceutical Industry Practice
- Graduate Certificate in Pharmacy Practice (incorporating the Intern Training Program).

Postgraduate research degrees (MPhil and PhD) are also available in your area of interest.

#### **SAMPLE COURSES**

Pharmacy Practice and Medicines Management  
Professions, People and Healthcare  
Pharmaceutical Sciences  
Social Pharmacy and the Health System  
Pharmacokinetics and Medicines Management

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Learn more about studying pharmacy at UQ.  
[future-students.uq.edu.au/stories/study-pharmacy-uq](http://future-students.uq.edu.au/stories/study-pharmacy-uq)



**Learn from  
internationally  
renowned  
physiotherapy  
educators and  
researchers**

Bachelor of

# Physiotherapy (Honours)

In the Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours) you develop diagnostic and treatment skills through hands-on, small group learning and supervised clinical practice to help individuals manage pain and help them participate in daily activities, mobility, fitness and sport.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022* ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022*		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
726002	2369	99.50 / 44	99.50	95.55	4 years full-time	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Queensland Year 12 (or equivalent) Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 082622B)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 in reading, writing, speaking and listening	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-physiotherapy-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-physiotherapy-placement</a>

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\* Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

## Why study the Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours) at UQ?

Physiotherapists assist people with a range of injuries and ailments, from office workers with stiff necks and sore backs, to elite athletes with injuries, older adults with chronic health issues, children with developmental delays, and people requiring rehabilitation after life-changing events such as a stroke. Whatever the cause of pain or impairment, physiotherapists help people to get moving.

Study the Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours) at UQ and you will join a long tradition of international leaders in physiotherapy teaching, research and graduate excellence, at one of the largest schools for health and rehabilitation sciences in Australia. You will:

- build a strong knowledge foundation of applied study in medical science, physiotherapy science, anatomy, professional ethics, psychology and therapeutic exercise, from your first year
- prepare for a career caring for people with musculoskeletal, neurological, respiratory and other conditions, using techniques to reduce pain, improve movement and restore muscle control for better mobility and function
- benefit from a diverse range of learning approaches, including lectures, seminars, skill-teaching sessions, practical classes, tutor and peer feedback sessions, supervised clinical practice and assignment work
- study the theory and practice behind physiotherapy, including injury prevention, health promotion, clinical reasoning and diagnosis, therapeutic interventions, movement retraining, exercise prescription and optimising function to enhance the health of individuals
- participate in an extensive, award-winning simulated patient program in the School's hospital simulation ward and the UQ Physiotherapy Clinics to prepare you for full-time supervised clinical practice
- learn from internationally renowned physiotherapy educators and researchers
- graduate with a highly respected honours qualification, with advanced knowledge and skills that will set you apart in a competitive job market and provide a pathway to future research and learning, and
- be a leader in your field, gain internationally renowned qualifications and become a skilled healthcare professional who helps people improve their health and function.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake supervised clinical practice in a range of clinical settings that include hospitals, educational facilities, healthcare organisations, aged and community care, private practice and UQ's Physiotherapy Clinics.

From Year 1, you will undertake a variety of sessional practical experiences before starting full-time block placements during your fourth year. Students may receive the opportunity to undertake a placement outside the Brisbane metropolitan area. In such cases students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses.





### Career outcomes

Career opportunities for physiotherapists are extensive and include:

- aged care and community healthcare services
- educational facilities
- private practice, offering treatments to a range of clients or specialising in areas like sports or musculoskeletal physiotherapy, paediatrics, obstetrics and rehabilitation
- public or private hospitals
- rehabilitation units
- research or advising roles in educational and government institutions.

### Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Australian Physiotherapy Association.

### Accreditation body

Graduates are recognised by the Physiotherapy Board of Australia (PBA) and will be eligible to apply for registration through the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) to practise physiotherapy within Australia. To obtain further information relating to registration standards for Physiotherapy, visit the AHPRA website.

[ahpra.gov.au](http://ahpra.gov.au)

### Additional costs

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60); First Aid Certificate (including CPR) (approx. \$155); clinical uniform shirt (approx. \$30). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

### Your postgraduate options

- Master of Physiotherapy – specialty coursework in Musculoskeletal Physiotherapy and Sports Physiotherapy.

Research higher degrees (MPhil and PhD) in your area of interest are also available.



*“I enjoy the structure in the Physiotherapy program and appreciate how evidence-based it is. I really like the practical sessions, because you get hands-on practice and can apply the theoretical knowledge learned in lectures. There is also a heavy emphasis on clinical reasoning which helps you to understand what you’re looking for and the expected response. I also like the welcoming nature of the student population – it is very diverse, with students from all over the globe, which is reflective of the multicultural Australian population.”*

### Jessica Koh Yue Ern

Bachelor of Physiotherapy (Honours) graduate, Singapore

### SAMPLE COURSES

Foundations of Physiotherapy Practice  
Physiotherapy Across the Lifespan  
Physiotherapy Specialties: Cardiothoracics  
Physiotherapy Specialties: Neurology  
Principles of Exercise in Physiotherapy Practice  
Professions, People and Healthcare

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QS World University Rankings by Subject 2021

Bachelor of

# Psychological Science (Honours)

Explore the fascinating world of the mind and take the first step towards a professional career as a psychologist with this foundation program focusing on the complete spectrum of developmental, social, cognitive, biological, physiological and abnormal psychology.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022* ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022*		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED					
757001	2379	93.00 / 36	93.00	89.40	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent)	1, 2*	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 084715C)  <b>English proficiency:</b> Standard UQ English language proficiency requirements apply for this degree

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- \* Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.
- \* Semester 2 intake only available to eligible international students with advanced standing of 8 units (4 course) or more.

## Why study the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) at UQ?

Have you ever remembered an event differently to someone else who was there? Do you ever wonder if listening to angry music just makes people angrier? These kinds of questions are explored in the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours), which examines the complexity, intricacy and wonder of the human mind.

This program is designed for students looking to undertake comprehensive studies in psychology, including the study of neurodevelopmental, social, cognitive, biological, physiological and abnormal psychology. You will:

- complete foundation studies in psychological theory, research and practice. Courses examine areas such as child development, neuroscience, learning and cognition, social and organisational psychology, psychological assessment, psychological research methods and evaluation of research, and

- push the boundaries of knowledge and develop high-level skills in communication, research design, critical and analytical thinking, and project management when you complete an honours-level research project in your final year.

The Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) teaches you how to understand the ways people behave, think and feel, and provides important skills so you can progress to further study, or enter the workforce with confidence.

## Career outcomes

Psychology prepares you for a range of exciting careers that require superior problem-solving, critical thinking and understanding of human behaviour. For example, you may be interested in working in areas such as human resource management, mental health services, youth work, residential care work, family and social services, public service management, private sector administration and management, market research, disabilities services, juvenile justice and corrective services, advertising or statistical research.

Your psychology degree will also prepare you for further study leading to a career in areas such as occupational therapy, speech pathology, audiology, public health, counselling, social work, communication, development practice, environmental management, sports coaching or health economics.

If you're contemplating a career as a psychologist, you should undertake a four-year degree – either the four-year Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours), or the three-year Extended Major in the Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science – followed by an honours year. All are accredited with the Australian Psychology Accreditation Council. To gain full registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia, you will need to complete postgraduate studies in psychology.

Professional careers in psychology include:

- **clinical psychology:** specialising in the assessment, treatment and prevention of a wide range of emotional and behavioural problems





- **clinical neuropsychology:** specialising in the assessment and treatment of emotional and behavioural disorders associated with dysfunctional brain processes or head injury
- **counselling psychology:** helping individuals, families and other groups with issues related to personal wellbeing, interpersonal relationships, work, recreation, health and crisis management
- **organisational psychology:** applying knowledge of human behaviour to the enhancement of organisational effectiveness, productivity and individual wellbeing
- **sport and exercise psychology:** helping individuals and teams develop the skills needed to enhance performance and enjoyment in physical activity
- **geropsychology:** applying practical knowledge of primary prevention strategies, clinical intervention and rehabilitation for older people
- **health psychology:** learning skills in illness prevention and treatment in public health settings
- **research/academic psychology:** applying skills to the advancement and communication of knowledge relating to psychology.

#### SAMPLE COURSES

Applied Sport and Exercise Psychology  
Communication Skills: Spoken Language and Interpersonal  
The Brain and Behavioural Sciences  
Neuroscience for Psychologists  
Psychology of Criminal Justice  
Social and Organisational Psychology

#### Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Australian Psychological Society.

#### Accreditation body

- Australian Psychology Accreditation Council.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic registration. Please contact the registration body for details of any conditions for registration.

#### Your postgraduate options

To gain full registration as a psychologist with the Psychology Board of Australia, you must complete further studies. Postgraduate degrees include:

- Master of Clinical Psychology
- Master of Organisational Psychology
- Master of Psychology, with the option of specialising in Counselling, Health, or Sport and Exercise Psychology
- Master of Business Psychology (this program does not lead to registration)
- Doctor of Psychology.

Research higher degrees in your area of interest are also available.

*"I would definitely recommend the Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) at UQ to others who are interested in psychology. It is a great start for those who want to pursue their dream in this discipline. The School of Psychology provides great support to students, the lecturers and tutors are very knowledgeable and the program is well designed. Even if you are not planning to pursue further studies in psychology, the skills you learn through this degree are transferable and helpful for whatever you do in the future."*

#### Yu Yang

Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) graduate, China



For more information  
[future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)





**Australian Government  
projects job growth of  
29.3 per cent until 2024**

Employment Outlook to May 2024, Department  
of Employment, Skills, Small and Family  
Business, 2019 employment projections

Bachelor of

# Social Work (Honours)

With its emphasis on simulation and industry-focused placements, the Bachelor of Social Work (Honours) will prepare you for a rewarding career working with people, as well as addressing social and community issues and problems. Social workers play a key role in developing a society based on social justice, and in alleviating disadvantage.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 <sup>a</sup> ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022 <sup>c</sup>		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
734001	2382	76.00 / 27	76.05	75.50	4 years full-time (or part-time equivalent). Students commencing in Semester 2 will take 4.5 years to complete program.	1, 2*	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (CRICOS 085539F)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 reading, writing, speaking and listening	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-social-work-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/ prepare-your-social- work-placement</a>

See 'Program table explained' on page 47

<sup>a</sup> Minimum (adjusted) selection threshold 2022 is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.

<sup>c</sup> Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.

\* Mid-year intake available to domestic students only. Mid-year entry will take 4.5 years to complete program.

## Why study the Bachelor of Social Work (Honours) at UQ?

Social work is an exciting and rewarding career if you are interested in working with people and addressing social and community issues and problems. As a social worker, you will have a commitment to the wellbeing of society and be highly skilled to intervene with and support individuals, families, groups and communities to achieve equitable access to opportunities and resources. Social workers stimulate action to change the social circumstances of individuals and groups who are socially excluded. They also work to reduce personal pain and distress and provide direction for individual development and control over life situations.

UQ's Bachelor of Social Work (Honours) allows graduates to forge their own path in social work, with all students undergoing foundation and advanced practice in the areas of Health and Ageing; Child, Youth and Families; and Mental Health. Your focused learning, research and placement

opportunities will be combined with core knowledge and skills in social work, social policy and research. You will:

- learn about social work and the law, human development, professional ethics, and the principles and ideas that guide social workers from award-winning educators who are among the best in Australia
- engage in simulated activities that demonstrate the challenging scenarios you are likely to encounter in practice
- build on common social work education foundations and develop your understanding and skills as you progress through the program, undertaking increasingly complex social work tasks
- benefit from innovative learning methods that simulate real client encounters and learn appropriate responses to any situation
- acquire research skills to inform policy and practice decision-making, and

- work with families and communities to address social issues and problems through interpersonal, community and policy solutions.

Employment opportunities in social work are on the rise, with the Australian Government projecting job growth of 29.3 per cent from 2019 to 2024\*\*.

\*\* 2019 Australian Government Employment Projections, Australian Department of Employment, Skills, Small and Family Business.

## Practicals, placements and internships

You will undertake 1000 hours of supervised clinical placement in a range of clinical settings that include hospitals and a variety of public and private agencies. You may also complete a rural, interstate or international placement in your final year.

Students may receive the opportunity to undertake a placement outside the Brisbane metropolitan area. In such cases, students must fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses.



## Career outcomes

Many social workers practise in a variety of areas including government agencies, child protection, drug and alcohol support clinics, Indigenous health and welfare agencies, residential care, community organisations, private practice, and other organisations, in roles such as:

- advocate or negotiator acting for people facing discrimination or unable to act for themselves
- community worker in local government or community organisations
- planning and management of social and welfare services, helping individuals and families facing personal distress or crisis associated with family and personal relationships
- in hospitals, helping patients and their families cope with and adjust to their health conditions, or helping those experiencing the loss of health or employment due to disability
- family therapist.

## SAMPLE COURSES

Australian Social Policy  
Community Development  
Human Development and Social Work  
Working with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander People  
Moral and Ethical Foundations of Social Work  
Professions, People and Healthcare  
Social Work and the Legal Context

Some of our more experienced graduates are CEOs of government and non-government organisations, policy officers, community development workers, international aid workers, family therapists, probation officers and juvenile justice workers.

This program is an entry qualification into the social work profession and has been determined to meet the Australian Social Work Education and Accreditation Standards.

## Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Australian Association of Social Workers.

## Accreditation body

- Australian Association of Social Workers.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic registration. Please contact the registration body for details of any conditions for registration.

## Your postgraduate options

- Master of Counselling.

Higher degree by research (MPhil and PhD) in your area of interest are also available.



Hear about Heidi's experience studying social work at UQ.

[www.youtube.com/watch?v=aL66sd076s8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aL66sd076s8)

For more information  
[future-students.uq.edu.au](https://future-students.uq.edu.au)



*"I chose to study the Bachelor of Social Work (Honours) to gain employment in a position with greater responsibilities, more opportunity for professional growth and to work in a position where I could make a difference. The lecturers are passionate about their profession and are leaders in their fields. I've really enjoyed attending lectures by inspirational people working to make a difference in their communities. There is an abundance of support for students to succeed and heaps of extracurricular activities and groups to get involved in."*

**Toni Sumner**  
Bachelor of Social Work  
(Honours) graduate





**Work with some of the best speech pathology researchers in the world, specialising in UQ's own Speech Pathology clinic.**

Bachelor of

# Speech Pathology (Honours)

UQ's Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours) is recognised around Australia and across the world for its award-winning teachers and graduate leaders. Study Speech Pathology at UQ and get hands-on, practical experience in a range of clinical placements in metropolitan, regional and rural areas across Queensland.

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022* ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022*		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS	OTHER REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						
727002	2370	95.50* / 38*	98.85	92.60	4 years full-time	1	St Lucia	Part of standard program, awarded based on grade point average in specified courses	Qld Year 12 (or equivalent) General English subject (Units 3 & 4, C); and one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Units 3 & 4, C)  <b>International availability:</b> Yes (082623A)  <b>English proficiency:</b> IELTS overall 7.0; 7.0 reading, writing, and listening; 8.0 speaking	Prior to applying, applicants should review the pre-placement requirements outlined on the Prepare for your Placement website: <a href="https://habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-speech-pathology-placement">habs.uq.edu.au/prepare-your-speech-pathology-placement</a>

See 'Program table explained' on page 47

- > Minimum (adjusted) selection threshold 2022 is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.  
< Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2022. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors.  
The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.  
\* Not all applicants on this ATAR/Rank were offered a place.

## Why study the Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours) at UQ?

UQ's Bachelor of Speech Pathology (Honours) will prepare you for a rich and rewarding career specialising in language and communication. This program prepares you to help people of all ages with speech, language, fluency, swallowing and voice disorders. This ranges from small children who don't understand what their parents are telling them, injured adults who need to learn how to speak and swallow again, to people who want to modify their accents or voices. You will join one of the leading schools for health and rehabilitation sciences in Australia with a long tradition of teaching, research and graduate excellence. You will also:

- learn how to assess, diagnose and treat a range of clients with communication and swallowing disorders, such as children with delayed communication skills and adults with impairments as a result of disease or injury

- build a strong knowledge foundation from your first year in areas including anatomy, linguistics, physiology and psychology, swallowing and communication disorders, and language function
- integrate foundation knowledge during Years 2–4 of the program through practical case-based and simulated learning activities
- learn from our speech pathology researchers, who are some of the best in the world, specialising in areas including innovative service delivery models such as telepractice
- undertake simulated learning activities in the school's six-bed simulation ward, and
- graduate with a highly respected honours qualification, with knowledge and skills that will set you apart in a competitive job market and provide a pathway to future research or learning.

## Practicals and placements

You will complete supervised clinical placements throughout the program to demonstrate competency for entry into the profession. These clinical placements can include hospitals, schools, disability organisations, healthcare facilities, private practices, and UQ's Speech Pathology and Telerehabilitation clinics. These clinics are open to the public and help children and adults with various communication difficulties, including delayed speech and language development, stuttering, literacy difficulties, voice disorders, and language difficulties following stroke.

From Year 1, you will undertake a variety of sessional practical experiences. Full-time block placements are also completed during Years 3 and 4.

Students may receive the opportunity to undertake a placement outside the Brisbane metropolitan area, including regional, rural and international settings. In such cases students fund all or part of their travel, accommodation and living expenses.





*“Speech Pathology at UQ offers so many opportunities that are unique to UQ, like the simulation ward and simulation clinics and being taught by some of the leaders in our profession. My favourite part of studying was definitely the block placements. It was the most amazing experience that I’ve ever had within the degree, working as a speech pathologist and applying what I’ve learnt in lectures into the workplace.”*

### Kerry Zhu

Bachelor of Speech Pathology  
(Honours) graduate

### Career outcomes

There are many career options in Australia and internationally for our graduates, including work in:

- aged care facilities
- community health centres
- mental health services
- preschools, schools, kindergartens and childcare settings
- private practice
- public and private hospitals
- rehabilitation units.

A speech pathologist’s day can involve:

- individual patient care
- conducting group therapy sessions
- creating classroom support programs
- home visits for clients and carers
- consultation with rehabilitation and allied health units
- implementation of preventative programs
- development of policy.

### Professional memberships

Graduates may be eligible for membership with the following professional body:

- Speech Pathology Australia.

### Accreditation body

- Speech Pathology Australia.

Completion of the degree may not result in graduates receiving automatic membership. Please contact the professional association for details on any conditions for membership.

### Additional costs

Annual CPR recertification (approx. \$60); First Aid Certificate (including CPR) (approx. \$155); clinical uniform shirt (approx. \$30). Costs for vaccinations and serology are the responsibility of the student and will vary based on individual requirements.

### Your postgraduate options

Research higher degrees (MPhil and PhD) in your area of interest are available, plus coursework masters including:

- Master of Audiology Studies
- Master of Physiotherapy Studies.

### SAMPLE COURSES

Acquired Adult Neurogenic Language Disorders: Differential Diagnosis and Clinical Management

Adult and Paediatric Dysphagia and Laryngectomy

Children with Special Needs in Communication

Disorders of Early Language Development

Paediatric and Adult Motor Speech Disorders

Professions, People and Healthcare

For more information  
[future-students.uq.edu.au](http://future-students.uq.edu.au)



Learn more about UQ’s interprofessional clinical placements at The Murri School.  
[vimeo.com/255840899](https://vimeo.com/255840899)



# A truly global network

You know the importance of thinking and acting globally. So do we.

Our worldwide partner and alumni networks give you the international opportunities and connections to enhance your learning, life skills and employment prospects from the start of your degree to long after you graduate.





### Grow your global network

As a UQ student, St Lucia, Herston or Gatton is just the first stop on your university adventure. Grow your global network through our student exchange program by studying up to two semesters of your degree at one of our 141 partner institutions in 34 countries.

You'll gain credit while expanding your world perspective, enhancing your employability, developing your network, and maybe even learning a new language. While on exchange, tuition fees at the host university are waived as you remain enrolled at and pay fees to UQ.

[employability.uq.edu.au/get-experiences](https://employability.uq.edu.au/get-experiences)

### Unlock new languages

In a global economy, the ability to communicate with a wide range of people is invaluable. Want to brush up on your language skills? Current undergraduate students can study a Diploma in Languages alongside any UQ program. Language classes are also offered to students and the public at our Institute of Modern Languages where you can choose from more than 25 different languages.

**School of Languages and Cultures**  
[languages-cultures.uq.edu.au](https://languages-cultures.uq.edu.au)  
**Institute of Modern Languages**  
[iml.uq.edu.au](https://iml.uq.edu.au)

### Take a short-term experience

While studying, you can participate in short-term global and virtual study experiences scheduled during the semester breaks, where you can immerse yourself in a new culture for two to eight weeks to enhance your academic learning and employability. If you're looking at expanding your practical skillset through short-term work experiences, opportunities for domestic, virtual and global internships are available.

[employability.uq.edu.au/get-experiences](https://employability.uq.edu.au/get-experiences)

### Make global business connections

At UQ, you'll join a global network of more than 307,000 graduates, many of whom are leaders in their fields, including more than 15,800 PhDs in 170 countries. You'll benefit from an extensive graduate network, strong industry partnerships and many notable alumni.

[alumni.uq.edu.au](https://alumni.uq.edu.au)

### Global Startup AdVentures

Learn alongside a startup in some of the world's most vibrant startup hot spots – including San Francisco, Shanghai, Shenzhen, Tel Aviv and Singapore.

[ventures.uq.edu.au/startup-adventures](https://ventures.uq.edu.au/startup-adventures)

### Partner for change

Global connectivity is at the heart of our vision to create knowledge leadership for a better world. From renewable energy technologies and sustainable mining practices, to disease control and child psychology, our international collaborations are working towards a cleaner, healthier and happier future. Explore our impact around the world.

[global-engagement.uq.edu.au](https://global-engagement.uq.edu.au)



We are a member of the prestigious Group of Eight coalition in Australia and the leading global network of research universities, Universitas 21.

# Apply for a scholarship

Make your UQ experience more affordable with the support of a scholarship. You may not think you're eligible, but you might be surprised!

## Gabi Palm

Bachelor of Psychological Science (Honours) student and UQ Sports Achievement Scholarship recipient



## University-wide scholarships

UQ has a range of scholarships designed to attract, reward and support outstanding students from all walks of life. Our scholarships develop and encourage tomorrow's leaders and offer support to students who might not otherwise be able to attend university.



### Get in early

Scholarship applications close at different times throughout 2022 – plan your applications and apply early so you don't miss out!

[scholarships.uq.edu.au](https://scholarships.uq.edu.au)

## UQ Academic Scholarships

The UQ Academic Scholarships scheme offers two flagship undergraduate scholarships: UQ Vice-Chancellor's Scholarships and UQ Excellence Scholarships.

If you're completing Year 12 in 2022, or you completed Year 12 in 2021 and are on a gap year, you may be eligible to apply for a scholarship.

## Equity scholarships

UQ strongly believes all students deserve equal access to education. Equity scholarships are designed to support students from low socio-economic, disadvantaged or under-represented backgrounds.

## Study area scholarships

UQ has a diverse range of scholarships that support and encourage commencing and continuing students in particular study areas.

[scholarships.uq.edu.au](https://scholarships.uq.edu.au)

## Employability

UQ offers a variety of grants and loans to participate in a range of enriching international and domestic experiences that will enhance your employability.

[employability.uq.edu.au/financial-support](https://employability.uq.edu.au/financial-support)

## Sporting

### Elite athlete support

UQ is an elite athlete-friendly university, which supports over 200 elite-level student-athletes to manage their sport and studies. Dedicated UQ Sport staff, in partnership with UQ, provide academic liaison support to negotiate flexible options for enrolment, assessment and course-related needs.

[uqsport.com.au/scholarships](https://uqsport.com.au/scholarships)



# Program table explained

QTAC CODE	UQ CODE	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022		DURATION	START SEMESTER	CAMPUS	HONOURS	DUAL PROGRAM AVAILABLE	ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS
			ADJUSTED	UNADJUSTED						

## QTAC CODE

A unique code number assigned by Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC) to each individual undergraduate university program. You will need to use this number on your QTAC application.

## UQ CODE

A unique identifying number assigned by UQ for each academic program.

## MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022 ATAR / IB

The minimum (adjusted) selection threshold is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.

**IB** – International Baccalaureate points.

**ATAR** – The Australian Tertiary Admission Rank (ATAR) is the standard measure of overall school achievement used in all Australian states and territories (with the exception of Queensland). It is a rank indicating a student's position overall relative to other students. The ATAR is expressed on a 2000-point scale from 99.95 (highest) down to 0, in increments of 0.05. The ATAR replaced the Overall Position (OP) as the standard pathway to tertiary study for Queensland Year 12s in 2021.

## ADJUSTMENT FACTORS

Previously referred to as 'bonus points', these are a numerical value added to or used in combination with an ATAR. Common adjustment factors may include subject adjustments, enrichment studies, or educational disadvantage.

### Adjusted

The lowest ATAR to which an offer was made to recent school leavers including any adjustment factors that may have been applied.

### Unadjusted

The lowest 'raw' ATAR to which an offer was made to recent school leavers, excluding any adjustment factors.

## DURATION

The time it takes to complete a program when it is studied full-time.

**Full time.** The standard study load is eight units per semester. Full-time study is 75 per cent or more of the standard study load (i.e. six units per semester for most programs).

**Part time.** Part-time study load is less than 75 per cent of the standard study load (i.e. less than six units per semester for most programs).

## START SEMESTER

The academic year at UQ is divided into two main semesters. Semester 1 starts at the end of February and Semester 2 starts at the end of July.

## CAMPUS

One of three UQ teaching sites where the majority of lectures are held.

## HONOURS

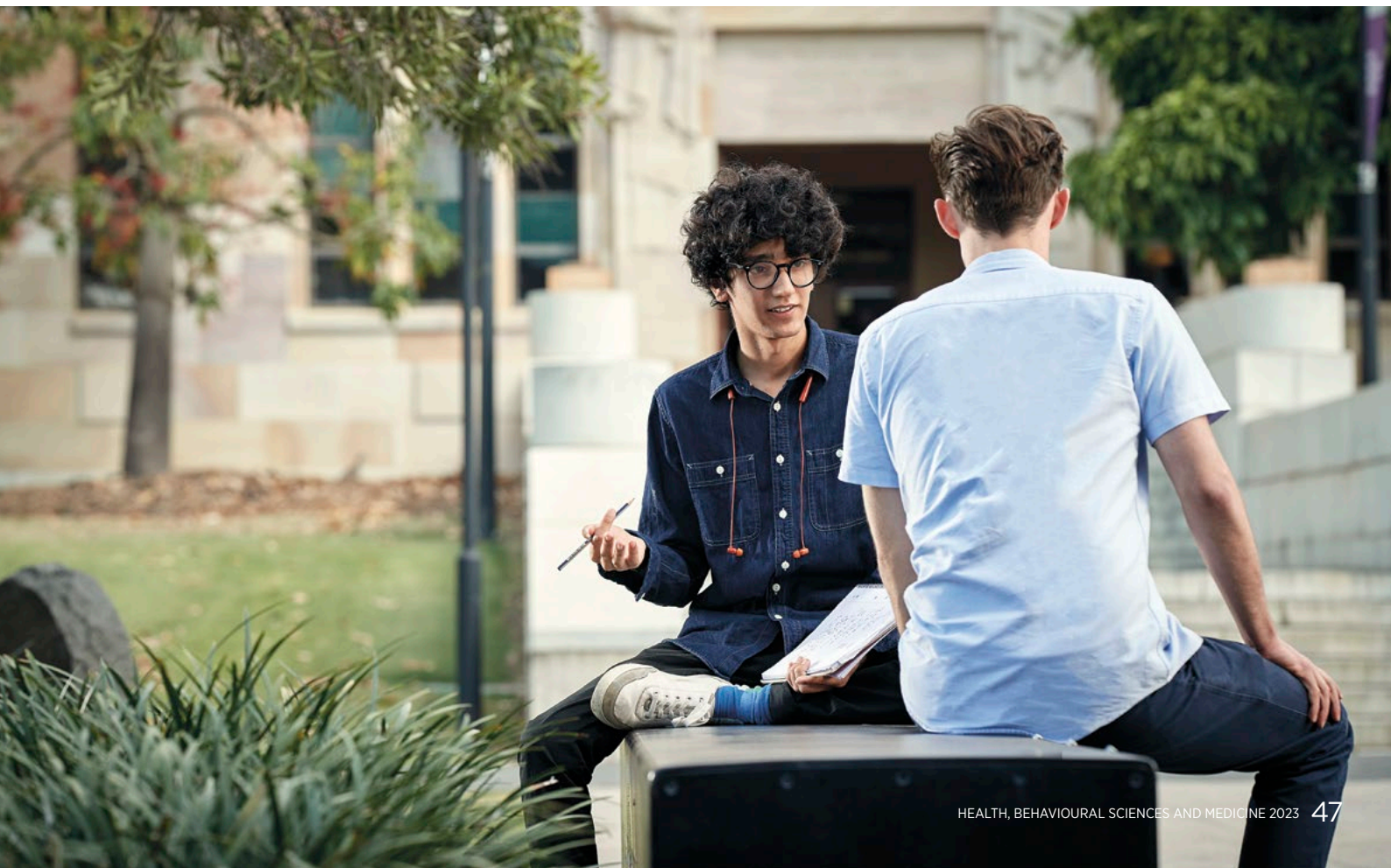
At UQ, honours may be awarded as a one-year bachelor's honours degree after you have completed a bachelor's degree, or as a single bachelor's honours degree typically taking four years of study. Some undergraduate programs allow eligible students to transfer to a bachelor's honours degree at a defined point in the bachelor's degree. This box shows whether honours is available with a program.

## DUAL PROGRAM

Two UQ degree programs undertaken at the same time (sometimes known as dual / parallel / combined / double degree). This box lists dual programs you can choose to study with a program.

## ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Some programs require you to have completed specific subjects (or their equivalent) at school. Some also have additional requirements.



# Applying to UQ

Follow these steps to apply to UQ and start on the path to your future.

## STEP

# 1

### Choose

#### Choose your program

- Read your program options (see pages 8–43)
- Visit [future-students.uq.edu.au](https://future-students.uq.edu.au).

**TIP:** Check that you meet eligibility, merit and other entry requirements and meet any specific program deadlines.

A range of study area guides and other UQ publications can help you choose the right program.

[future-students.uq.edu.au/publications-and-forms](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/publications-and-forms)

## STEP

# 2

### Apply

#### Apply via QTAC

Apply for admission to UQ undergraduate programs through the Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre (QTAC). The QTAC website explains how to apply and the entry requirements you need.

List up to six program preferences. You'll only receive one offer – for the highest preference you're eligible for. Place programs in order of preference, placing your dream program first and your back-up options next.

## STEP

# 3

### Accept

#### Accept your offer

1. Log in by clicking 'Applications' and then 'Apply or Log In' at [qtac.edu.au](https://qtac.edu.au).
2. Select 'Log In' and enter your details.
3. Select the Accept offer option.
4. Accept your offer.
5. Activate your student account.
6. Go to [my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq](https://my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq) and follow the instructions.
7. Get excited about starting at UQ.





## STEP

# 4

### Enrol

#### Enrol in courses

1. Access your program rules, course list and other helpful information by logging in to [my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq](https://my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq).
2. Choose your courses at [my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses](https://my.uq.edu.au/programs-courses).
3. Enrol online at [sinet.uq.edu.au](https://sinet.uq.edu.au).
4. Select preferred class times via My Timetable (in my.UQ portal)
5. Pay fees (see page 50).

## STEP

# 5

### Prepare

#### Prepare for Week 1

- Complete the steps on the Starting at UQ website. [my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq](https://my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq).
- Attend a Getting Started session.
- Check if you need to attend any program sessions before Orientation Week.
- Pick up your student ID card after you have enrolled.
- Get answers to any remaining questions before classes start by emailing [starting@uq.edu.au](mailto:starting@uq.edu.au)

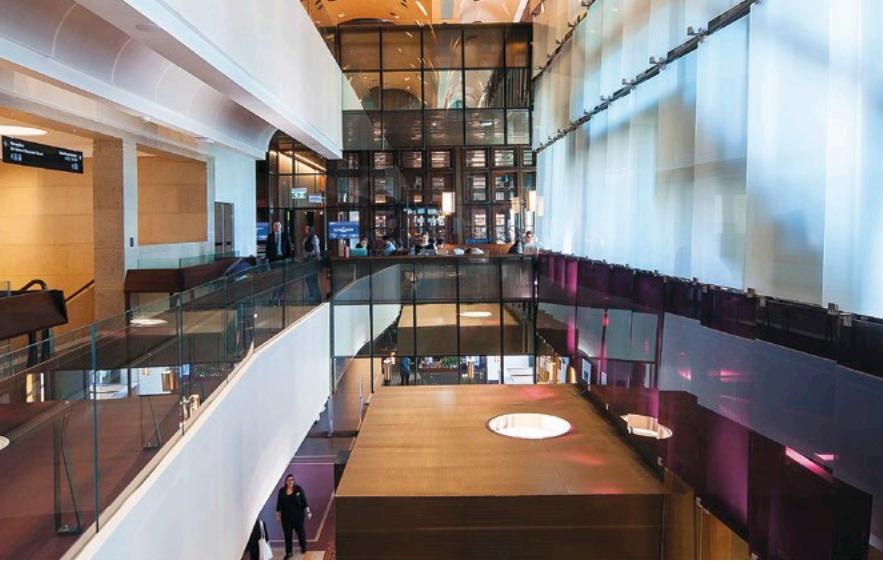
## STEP

# 6

### Let's go!

#### Get ready for the ultimate university experience

- Prep Week – jump-start your university journey.
- Orientation Week – get your first taste of #uqlife with fun-filled events
- Connect Week – join the social scene, make new friends and link in with your academic circle.
- Culture Week – experience UQ's diverse culture and global networks.
- Success Week – learn about the resources available to help you succeed at UQ.
- Instagram (@uniofqlld) or Snapchat (uniofqlld) your UQ experience to your friends.



### Fees

Fees for 2023 are expected to be available from November 2022.

[my.uq.edu.au/fee-schedules](https://my.uq.edu.au/fee-schedules)



### It all adds up!

Don't forget to budget for accommodation, books, study materials and transport.

*Insider Guides* provides a helpful online Cost of Living Calculator to estimate your weekly, monthly and yearly living costs.

[insiderguides.com.au/cost-of-living-calculator](https://insiderguides.com.au/cost-of-living-calculator)

# Plan your finances

University is a valuable investment in your future. Knowing what it costs will help you manage your money.

## Fees and costs

### Course fees and student contributions

Most undergraduate places for domestic students at UQ are funded partly by the Australian Government (Commonwealth support) and partly by you (student contribution). You need a Unique Student Identifier (USI) to obtain a Commonwealth supported place. [usi.gov.au](https://usi.gov.au)

Fees are charged according to the courses you choose, not the program you're enrolled in, so it's not possible to publish a fixed fee for a program. Because most students can choose different electives during their program, costs will vary.

However, indicative annual fees are listed with each program on our Future Students website to help you plan your budget.

If you're an Australian or New Zealand citizen, or an Australian permanent humanitarian visa holder and have a Commonwealth-supported place, you may also qualify for the Higher Education Loan Program (HELP) to defer payment of your student contribution and Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF). You will need to apply for a tax file number, if you don't already have one, in order to obtain a HELP loan.

[ato.gov.au](https://ato.gov.au)

International students pay full tuition fees.

If you have a Commonwealth-supported place, your student contribution amount depends on the fee band level of the courses you choose (see table at above right).

[future-students.uq.edu.au/study/programs](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/study/programs)

### Commonwealth-supported fee bands

BAND	AREA OF STUDY	ANNUAL STUDENT CONTRIBUTION*
4	Law, accounting, administration, economics, commerce, communications, society and culture	\$14,630
3	Dentistry, medicine, veterinary science	\$11,401
2	Other health, allied health, built environment, computing, engineering, surveying, science, environmental studies, pathology, visual and performing arts, professional pathway psychology, professional pathway social work	\$8,021
1	Agriculture, English, mathematics, education, clinical psychology, Indigenous and foreign languages, nursing, statistics	\$3,985

\*2022 figures only, based on a full-time (16 unit) workload; figures indexed annually

### Monthly cost of living

	STUDENT LIVING IN ON-CAMPUS COLLEGE	STUDENT LIVING OFF-CAMPUS / STUDENT ACCOMMODATION
Rent	\$2,000–\$2,800	\$480–\$1,760
Utilities (gas, electricity, water)	included in rent	\$150–\$175
Food	included in rent	\$320–\$600
Mobile phone / internet	\$80–\$120	\$80–\$120
Public transport	\$40	\$50–\$100
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>\$2,120–\$2,960</b>	<b>\$1,080–\$2,755</b>

\*This table should be taken as a guide only. For the most accurate costs of living, visit [my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq/student-finances/budgeting](https://my.uq.edu.au/starting-at-uq/student-finances/budgeting)

### Student Services and Amenities Fee

The Student Services and Amenities Fee (SSAF) is a compulsory fee that is used to subsidise, support or fund non-academic services for students, such as support services, advocacy, study skills, career development and employability.

UQ levies the SSAF – which is capped at a maximum of \$315 for 2022 – according to whether you're an internal or external student, and full-time or part-time.

The fee is indexed annually.

[bit.ly/uq\\_ssaf](https://bit.ly/uq_ssaf)

### Keeping your costs down

- Investigate the financial support and fee payment options offered by Centrelink. [servicesaustralia.gov.au](https://servicesaustralia.gov.au)
- Explore the scholarships on offer (see page 46).
- Enjoy UQ Union's free and low-cost entertainment and activities, such as Morning Marmalade and Kampus Kitchen. [uqu.com.au](https://uqu.com.au)
- Get concessions and student discounts at participating retailers and institutions with your UQ student card.



# UQ Health campuses and locations



## St Lucia

The University's main campus at St Lucia is set on a magnificent 114-hectare site – we even have our own postcode! Bordered by the Brisbane River, the campus has expansive landscaped grounds, three lakes, an aquatic centre, tennis courts, eight athletics ovals with a 600-seat grandstand, and teaching and learning facilities that are equipped with state-of-the-art technology.



## Pharmacy Australia Centre of Excellence (PACE)

Within walking distance of the St Lucia campus and easy access by bus and train, PACE is a purpose-built facility that is home to UQ's School of Pharmacy. Well equipped with contemporary teaching and research laboratories, mock pharmacy counselling rooms, innovative teaching dispensaries and student interaction spaces, it is the hub for all things pharmaceutical at UQ.



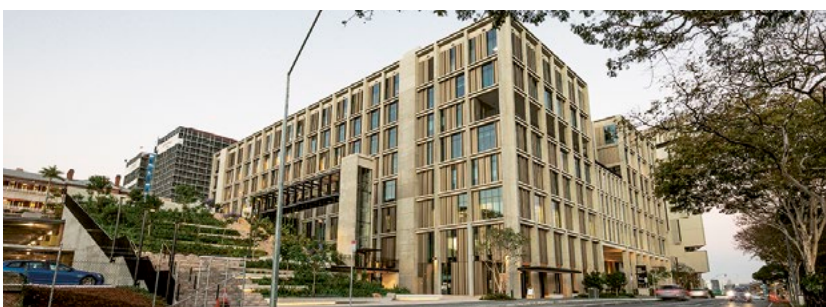
## Herston

Located only five kilometres from Brisbane's centre, Herston is UQ's core campus for clinical health teaching and research. Based alongside the Royal Brisbane and Women's Hospital, the campus adds great benefit to our students and staff by being in the heart of a fast-paced clinical academic environment.



## Oral Health Centre

The Oral Health Centre based at the Herston campus is the largest and most advanced tertiary oral health facility within Australia. It brings together renowned academics, researchers, leading practitioners and top-tier students who are united by their passion to improve the lives of everyday Australians through improved dental care.



## Surgical, Treatment and Rehabilitation Service (STARS)

STARS, a specialist public health facility in the Herston Health Precinct, is a partnership between the Metro North Health and The University of Queensland with a goal to lead innovation in interprofessional collaborative clinical care, education and research in specialist surgical and complex rehabilitation services.

# Quick reference guide

BACHELOR DEGREE IN (MAJORS LISTED UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED)	PREREQUISITES	DURATION (YEARS)	MINIMUM SELECTION THRESHOLD 2022* ATAR / IB	LOWEST ATAR TO RECEIVE AN OFFER 2022*		CAMPUS	QTAC CODE CSP <sup>1</sup>	SEE PAGE
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BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES								
Biomedical Science	English, Mathematical Methods, plus one of Chemistry or Physics	3F or P	85.00 / 31	85.00	82.15	S	731201	8
DENTISTRY								
Dental Science (Honours)	English, Chemistry (Biology recommended); international and domestic applicants must also undertake UCAT*	5F	99.00*** / 42***	99.20	97.10	H, S	712002	12
EXERCISE AND SPORT								
Clinical Exercise Physiology (Honours)	English, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	4F or pz	93.00 / 36	93.00	90.65	S	729801	10
Exercise and Nutrition Sciences	English, General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	3F or P	76.00 / 27	76.05	74.40	S	720102	14
Exercise and Sport Sciences (Honours)	English plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	4F or pz	88.00 / 33	88.00	85.50	S	729302	16
Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours)	English, General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics <sup>#</sup>	4F or P**	76.00 / 27	76.20	71.20	S	729402	20
MEDICINE								
Medicine (Direct entry for graduates)	N/A	4F	N/A	N/A	N/A	S, H, C	N/A	22
Medicine (Provisional entry for school leavers)	Adjusted ATAR 95 (or equivalent)^, English and UCAT	4F	99.85^ / 45^	99.85	95.45	S, H, C	721302	22
Medicine (Provisional entry for school leavers) – bonded medical program	Adjusted ATAR 95 (or equivalent)^, English and UCAT	4F	96.20* / 38^	96.20	95.65	S, H, C	721402	22
NUTRITION								
Exercise and Nutrition Sciences	English, General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	3F or P	76.00 / 27	76.05	74.40	S	720102	14
Exercise and Nutrition Sciences / Master of Dietetics Studies	English, General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	3F	96.00 / 38	96.25	94.70	S	729602	14
Health Sciences – Clinical Health; Nutrition; Public Health	English plus one of Chemistry, Physics, Biology or Science21 are recommended	3F or P	80.00 / 29	80.10	75.50	H, S	729002	18
Health Sciences (with provisional entry to Master of Dietetics Studies) – Nutrition	English plus one of Chemistry, Physics or Biology are recommended	3F	96.00 / 38	96.10	96.10	H, S	729702	18
NURSING, MIDWIFERY AND SOCIAL WORK								
Midwifery	English, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	3F	95.50* / 38*	95.65	90.85	C, S	728402	26
Nursing	English, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	3F	84.80* / 31*	84.80	80.80	C, S	728502	28
Nursing / Midwifery	English, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	4F	97.00 / 39	97.00	93.45	C, S	728602	30
Social Work (Honours) – Minors: Child, Youth and Family; Health and Ageing; Mental Health	English	4F or pz	76.00 / 27	76.05	75.50	S	734001	40
OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY								
Occupational Therapy (Honours)	English, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	4F	95.75 / 38	95.80	93.80	S	724002	32
PHARMACY								
Pharmacy (Honours) – Clinical and Experimental Therapeutics	English, General Mathematics, Mathematical Methods or Specialist Mathematics and Chemistry	4F or P	84.00 / 30	84.10	80.20	S, P	725002	34
PHYSIOTHERAPY								
Physiotherapy (Honours)	English, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics (Physics recommended)	4F	99.50 / 44	99.50	95.55	S	726002	36
PSYCHOLOGY								
Psychological Science (Honours)	English	4F or P	93.00 / 36	93.00	89.40	S	757001	38
PUBLIC HEALTH / HEALTH PROMOTION								
Health Sciences – Clinical Health; Nutrition; Public Health	English plus one of Chemistry, Physics, Biology and/or Science21 are recommended	3F or P	80.00 / 29	80.10	75.50	H, S	729002	18
SPEECH PATHOLOGY								
Speech Pathology (Honours)	English, plus one of Biology, Chemistry or Physics	4F	95.50 / 38	98.85	92.60	S	727002	42

**Prerequisites** All prerequisites are at Year 12 level with at least a Sound Achievement over four semesters.  
**Duration** The time normally taken to complete a program, according to the mode in which it is undertaken. F = full-time; P = part-time.  
**Location** S = UQ St Lucia, G = UQ Gatton, H = UQ Herston, C = Clinical Schools, P = Pharmacy Australia Centre of Excellence

<sup>1</sup> Note for heading QTAC Code CSP = Commonwealth-supported place  
<sup>\*</sup> Note for Doctor of Medicine: not all applicants on ATAR 95.00 or equivalent gained entry. Applicants for the provisional entry MD program must apply through QTAC (Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre). They are required to have completed year 12 in the previous year and to have sat a UCAT test (University Clinical Aptitude Test). This test includes sections on verbal reasoning; decision making; quantitative reasoning; and abstract reasoning, together with a situational judgement test component. The first 4 sections were combined to form the UCAT aggregate, which is the primary instrument for interview selection and is also used in calculating the rank order for final offers. The lowest UCAT score used for interview selection for the 2021 intake was UCAT aggregate 2550 (rural applicant); 2970 (non-rural applicant). Applicants who are interviewed are also required to achieve an ATAR ≥ 95.0. Those who meet these criteria have a combined offer rank percentile calculated (50% MMI, 25% UCAT, 25% ATAR) which is used to determine merit order for full offers.  
<sup>\*</sup> Not all the applicants on this ATAR/Rank were offered a place.  
<sup>\*\*</sup> Note for B Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours): this program can be taken on a part-time basis but the final year must be commenced in Semester 1 and taken on a full-time basis.

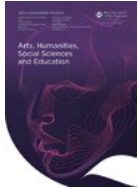
<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Note for B Dental Science: not all applicants on ATAR 99.95 or equivalent gained entry in 2021. Applicants for the Dental Science program must apply through QTAC (Queensland Tertiary Admissions Centre). They are required to have sat a UCAT test (University Clinical Aptitude Test). This test includes sections on verbal reasoning; decision making; quantitative reasoning; and abstract reasoning, together with a situational judgement test component. For 2021, the first 4 sections were combined to form the UCAT aggregate, which was a secondary differentiator in calculating the rank order for final offers. The lowest UCAT score used for offer selection for the 2021 intake was 2980. From 2022, the aggregate score from all five sections of the UCAT will be used as a primary differentiator.

- # Note for B Health, Sport and Physical Education (Honours): applicants to education programs in Australia must complete non-academic entry criteria.
- z Students may take the program on a part-time basis; however, semesters that include a placement must be studied full-time.
- + Applicants who apply via the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander alternative entry scheme are not required to sit UCAT.
- > Minimum (adjusted) selection threshold 2022 is the minimum score that was considered for an offer of a place to all applicants.
- < Lowest ATAR to receive an offer refers to all recent secondary students who were offered a place for Semester 1, 2021. The lowest ATAR (Adjusted) refers to the ATAR plus any adjustment factors. The Lowest ATAR (Unadjusted) refers to the lowest ATAR excluding any adjustment factors.
- ^ Students commencing in Semester 2 will take 4.5 years to complete program.



# Study options

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## Arts, Humanities, Social Sciences and Education

Advanced Humanities (Honours)  
Arts  
Communication  
Criminology and Criminal Justice (Honours)  
Education (Primary)  
Education (Secondary)  
International Studies  
Journalism  
Music (Honours)  
Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)  
Social Science

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## Health, Behavioural Sciences and Medicine

Biomedical Science  
Clinical Exercise Physiology  
Dental Science  
Exercise and Nutrition Sciences  
Exercise and Sport Sciences  
Health Sciences  
Health, Sport and Physical Education  
Medicine  
Midwifery  
Nursing  
Occupational Therapy  
Pharmacy  
Physiotherapy  
Psychological Science  
Social Work  
Speech Pathology

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## Business, Economics and Law

Advanced Business (Honours)  
Advanced Finance and Economics (Honours)  
Business Management  
Commerce  
Economics  
Laws (Honours)  
Politics, Philosophy and Economics (Honours)  
Tourism, Hospitality and Event Management

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## Science, Mathematics, Agriculture and Environment

Advanced Science  
Agribusiness  
Agricultural Science  
Biomedical Science  
Biotechnology  
Environmental Management  
Environmental Science  
Equine Science  
Mathematics  
Occupational Health and Safety Science  
Science  
Veterinary Science  
Veterinary Technology  
Wildlife Science

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## Engineering, Design, Computing, Architecture and Planning

Architectural Design  
Computer Science  
Design  
Engineering (Honours)  
Information Technology  
Regional and Town Planning

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## Central guides

- Australian Undergraduate (pictured left)
- International Undergraduate and Postgraduate (international students can visit [future-students.uq.edu.au/teachers-guidance-counsellors](https://future-students.uq.edu.au/teachers-guidance-counsellors) to access the latest international student guides)

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Key dates

**Tertiary Studies Expo (TSXPO)**

RNA Showgrounds  
Saturday and Sunday 16–17 July 2022

**UQ Open Day 2022**

St Lucia campus Sunday 7 August 2022  
Gatton campus Sunday 21 August 2022

**Semester 1, 2023**

Classes commence  
Monday 20 February 2023

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