Intravenous (IV) Administration Course (includes medication competency course)

NOTRE DAME BROOME CAMPUS
The University of Notre Dame Australia, Broome, is a unique place to study and learn. The small and friendly campus means students benefit from personal attention, a caring learning environment and dedicated staff. Admission to The University of Notre Dame Australia, is a comprehensive process that takes into account all the characteristics, experience, knowledge and skills of a prospective student.

The township of Broome is well-known for its ideal climate, breathtaking natural beauty, historic sights and plenty of outdoor adventure. Experiencing university life in Broome is an ideal chance to study in an environment that tourists from around Australia and all over the world spend thousands of dollars to enjoy.

A key objective of the Broome Campus is to provide strong support for the process of reconciliation between Aboriginal and non-Aboriginal Australians. The Campus provides a supportive environment and offers an opportunity for non-Aboriginal and Aboriginal people to live together and to learn about Aboriginal health, history and culture.

COURSE OVERVIEW
On successful completion of the following units, students will receive a Statement of Attainment.

- HLTEN519C Administer and monitor intravenous medication in the nursing environment
- HLTAP401B Confirm physical health status
- HLTAP501C Analyse health information
- HLTWHS300A Contribute to WHS processes
- HLTIN301C Comply with infection control policies and procedures
- HLTEN502B Apply effective communication skills in nursing practice
- HLTEN509B Apply legal and ethical parameters to nursing practice
- HLTEN507C Administer and monitor medications in the work environment
- HLTEN505C Contribute to the complex nursing care of clients

For students who have completed the HLT51612 Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 Nursing) credit transfer of relevant units will occur.

Supervised clinical placement: At least 80 hours of supervised clinical placement at the completion of the theory components and skill assessment with satisfactory completion of Clinical Placement Assessment Tool (CPAT)

QUALIFICATIONS AND RECOGNITION
The two competency units, HLTAP501C Analyse health information and HLTEN507C Administer and monitor medications in the work environment, meet the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (APHRA) of Australia’s requirement for ENs to administer medications.

Upon successful completion of this course participants can apply to APHRA for removal of the notation ‘Does not hold APHRA approved qualifications in administration of medicines’.

A Statement of Attainment and results will be provided upon successful completion.

Prerequisites:
- Registered with AHPRA as a Division 2 Nurse
- Completion of an Enrolled Nursing program
- Relevant work experience
- Interview

SKILLS RECOGNITION
The Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) facilitates the progression of students through qualifications by giving credit for learning outcomes they have already achieved. Credit outcomes may allow for entry into a qualification and/or provide credit towards the qualification. Credit given may reduce the time required for a student to achieve the qualification.

RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING (RPL)
RPL involves issuing organisations undertaking an assessment of each individual who applies to determine the extent to which that individual’s previous learning is equivalent to the learning outcomes of the components of the destination qualification.

CREDIT TRANSFER
Credit Transfer is another process for establishing credit. It provides a means for students to gain credit in an AQF qualification on the basis of completed components of another AQF qualification or other formal learning.

Students can apply for RPL or Credit Transfer by providing evidence such as the results of training, certificates, employer references, client testimonials and/or work samples at application/interview or admission stage.
FEES:
All students are required to pay fees for tuition. Concession rates and payment plans are available to eligible students.

Students also need to pay for learning resources and text books as well as medical charges associated with required vaccinations and Federal Police and Criminal Record Screening if required.

ACCOMMODATION
The Broome Campus offers quality on-site accommodation in the Student Village. The Village is made up of the Student Hostel which provides short-term accommodation for students who attend ‘block study’ programs and the Student Housing which is made up of nine separate houses for students studying fulltime for at least one semester.

FURTHER INFORMATION
The information contained in this publication is designed as a basic course description. If you would like further information regarding the course, or information about admissions, fees or the University itself please contact the VET Administration Officer telephone: (08) 9192 0638 or nursing administration on telephone: (08) 9192 0630 or via email at broome.courses@nd.edu.au

Visitors to the University are welcome at any time. If you would like to look around the University and the facilities please contact the Broome Campus at the email address above or visit our web site www.broomecourses.nd.edu.au