



WESTERN CAPE COLLEGE OF NURSING



POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES AVAILABLE:

The following speciality programmes are presented by WCCN and are accredited by CHE and SANC, registered by SAQA on NQF:

- Postgraduate Diploma in Adult Critical Care Nursing
- Postgraduate Diploma in Emergency Nursing
- Postgraduate Diploma in Mental Health Nursing
- Postgraduate Diploma in Midwifery
- Postgraduate Diploma in Perioperative Nursing
- Postgraduate Diploma in Primary Care Nursing
- Orthopedic Nursing

ADDITIONAL LEARNING ASSUMED TO BE IN PLACE FOR ENTRY INTO THESE PROGRAMMES ALSO INCLUDES:

- Proven proficiency in written and spoken English.
- Computer Literacy
- Bio natural sciences
- Psycho-social sciences
- Legal, ethical, and professional practice
- Biotechnology
- Competency in BLS

In addition, students are required to register as a student with the South African Nursing Council for the duration of the study period, via WCCN.



POST GRADUATE DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES (R635)

MINIMUM ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS FOR THE POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA PROGRAMMES:

Must be a Registered Professional Nurse registered with the SANC.

Admission criteria for these prospective students can include:

- Relevant 4-year Bachelor's degree (NQF level 8,R174).

OR

- Relevant legacy Bachelor's degree (NQF level 7, R425) / 4-year Diploma in Nursing and Midwifery offered under Regulation 425 of 22 February 1985 as amended.

OR

- A Diploma in Nursing: General Nurse (R.171) with Advanced Diploma in Midwifery (R.1497) (NQF level 7).

- 2-year Diploma (Bridging course) leading to registration as General or Psychiatric Nurse offered under Regulation 683 of 14 April 1989 as amended, followed by 1-year Diploma in Midwifery offered under Regulation 254 of 14 February 1975 as amended or 4-year Diploma in Nursing and Midwifery offered under Regulation 425 of 22 February 1985 as amended.
- Minimum of two (2) years' experiences, inclusive of a year of community service, as a Professional Nurse or General Nurse and Midwife. According to SANC regulation R 635 4(3).

PROGRAMME SUBJECTS INCLUDE:

- Nursing Research and Professional Ethics
- Leadership and Management in Advanced Nursing Practice
- Programme specific specialty subjects.

PROGRAMME INFORMATION:

- Programme accredited by: SANC (South African Nursing Council, CHE (Council of Higher Education), SAQA (South African Qualifications Authority)
- One year full time programme
- Programme credits = 120
- Programme level = NQF 8
- Completion of the programme will lead to the registration as a Nurse Specialist according to South African Nursing Council training regulation 635 of 5 June 2020. CHE and SAQA accredited.

PLEASE NOTE:

Prospective students remain responsible for all fees liable for the duration of the programme.



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HOW TO APPLY:

1. Visit our website: <https://healthsciencecolleges.co.za/>
2. Browse the website for information on all programmes and to download programmes pamphlet with requirements.
3. Click on apply now and complete the online application process.

Regarding online application:

- Complete all fields.
- Attached all required documents in pdf format.
- All documents must be certified (not older than 3 months).

Documents to attached:

- Identity document
- Marriage Certificate (if applicable)
- SANC current registration
- All nursing qualifications and SANC registrations
- Academic records of previous nursing studies.
- Original National Senior Certificate or equivalent Qualification. No statement of results will be accepted.
- Proof of application fee of R250.00 payment.



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