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Modification History

Release	Comments
6	Minor change to replace superseded units of competency in the general elective bank.
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1	This qualification was first released in HLT Health Release 6.0.

Qualification Description

This qualification reflects the role of enrolled nurses with advanced skills who work in a specialised area of nursing practice under the direct or indirect supervision of a registered nurse.

Enrolled nurses integrate and adapt specialised, technical and theoretical knowledge to address a diverse range of clinical situations and challenges in their area of specialisation. They contribute to the continuous improvement of clinical practice using research and participation in broader organisational quality processes. Enrolled nurses retain responsibility for their own actions while remaining accountable to the registered nurse for all delegated functions.

To be eligible to apply for registration as an enrolled nurse and to practice in Australia, individuals must complete a Diploma of Nursing program accredited by the Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council (ANMAC) and approved as 'an approved program of study' by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) in accordance with the Enrolled Nurse Accreditation Standards. To confirm the education provider holds the

necessary accreditation check the Australian Health Practitioner Regulation Agency (AHPRA) at www.ahpra.gov.au.

Licensing/Regulatory Information

The scope of practice for enrolled nurses is determined by legislative requirements and the policies and procedures of the employing organisation.

No other licensing, legislative, regulatory or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication.

Entry Requirements

Entry to this qualification is open to individuals who are currently working in Australia as an enrolled nurse and hold current registration as an enrolled nurse without notation with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) www.nursingmidwiferyboard.gov.au.

Packaging Rules

10 units must be completed:

- 3 core units
- 7 elective units, consisting of:
    - units required for 1 specialisation as detailed below.
    - remaining units from the electives listed below, elsewhere in the HLT Health Training Package, or any current Training Package or accredited course.

The selection of electives must be guided by the job outcome sought, local industry requirements and the complexity of skills appropriate to the AQF level of this qualification.

Packaging for each specialisation:

- 5 Group A electives, including HLTENN040, HLTENN055 and HLTENN056, must be selected for award of the *Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Acute care)*.

- All Group B electives must be selected for award of the *Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Aged care and individual support work)*.

- All Group C electives must be selected for award of the *Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Critical care)*.

- 5 Group D electives, including CHCMHS005, CHCMHS006 and HLTENN063, must be selected for award of the *Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Mental health)*.

- All Group E electives must be selected for award of the *Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Perioperative)*.

- All Group F electives must be selected for award of the *Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Renal care)*.

- 5 Group G electives, including HLTENN040, HLTENN048 and HLTENN064, must be selected for award of the *Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Rural and remote).*

- 5 Group H electives, including CHCCSM002, CHCDIS003, and HLTENN047, must be selected for award of the *Advanced Diploma of Nursing (Community and primary health care).*

All electives chosen must contribute to a valid, industry-supported vocational outcome.

Core units	
HLTENN0 52	Provide advanced clinical assessment
HLTENN0 65	Research and report on nursing trends and practice
HLTENN0 66	Contribute to improvement for advancement of clinical practice
Elective units	
Group A electives – ACUTE CARE specialisation	
HLTENN04 0	Administer and monitor medicines and intravenous therapy
HLTENN04 9	Apply nursing practice in the orthopaedic care setting
HLTENN05 0	Apply nursing practice in the rehabilitation care setting
HLTENN05 5	Apply nursing practice in the respiratory care setting
HLTENN05 6	Apply nursing practice in the cardiovascular care setting
HLTENN05 7	Contribute to the nursing care of a person with diabetes
HLTENN06 0	Apply nursing practice in the paediatric care setting
HLTENN06 7	Apply, implement and monitor nursing care in a contemporary paediatric setting
HLTENN06 8	Provide end of life care and a palliative approach in nursing practice

Group B electives – AGED CARE AND INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT specialisation	
CHCAGE005	Provide support to people living with dementia
CHCCSM002	Implement case management practice
CHCDIS010	Provide person-centred services to people with disability with complex needs
HLTENN061	Apply nursing practice in the contemporary aged care setting
Group C electives – CRITICAL CARE specialisation	
HLTENN040	Administer and monitor medicines and intravenous therapy
HLTENN048	Apply nursing practice in the emergency care setting
HLTENN053	Apply nursing practice in the critical care setting
HLTENN055	Apply nursing practice in the respiratory care setting
HLTENN056	Apply nursing practice in the cardiovascular care setting
Group D electives – MENTAL HEALTH specialisation	
CHCCCS003	Increase the safety of individuals at risk of suicide
CHCCCS019	Recognise and respond to crisis situations
CHCCSM002	Implement case management practice
CHCMHS005	Provide services to people with co-existing mental health and alcohol and other drugs issues
CHCMHS006	Facilitate the recovery process with the person, family and carers

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HLTENN063	Apply nursing practice in the contemporary mental health care setting
Group E electives – PERIOPERATIVE specialisation	
HLTENN040	Administer and monitor medicines and intravenous therapy
HLTENN055	Apply nursing practice in the respiratory care setting
HLTENN056	Apply nursing practice in the cardiovascular care setting
HLTENN058	Apply nursing practice in the perioperative setting
HLTINF007	Implement and monitor infection prevention and control standards, policies and procedures
Group F electives – RENAL CARE specialisation	
CHCCSM002	Implement case management practice
HLTENN040	Administer and monitor medicines and intravenous therapy
HLTINF007	Implement and monitor infection prevention and control standards, policies and procedures
HLTRNL003	Contribute to the nursing care of a person with renal impairment
HLTRNL004	Apply renal replacement therapy
Group G electives – RURAL AND REMOTE specialisation	
CHCMHS005	Provide services to people with co-existing mental health and alcohol and other drugs issues
HLTENN040	Administer and monitor medicines and intravenous therapy
HLTENN046	Contribute to maternal and infant health care

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HLTENN047	Apply nursing practice in the primary health care setting
HLTENN048	Apply nursing practice in the emergency care setting
HLTENN064	Apply nursing practice in the rural and remote setting
Group H electives – COMMUNITY AND PRIMARY HEALTH CARE specialisation	
CHCCSM002	Implement case management practice
CHCDIS003	Support community participation and social inclusion
CHCMHS005	Provide services to people with co-existing mental health and alcohol and other drugs issues
HLTENN039	Apply principles of wound management
HLTENN040	Administer and monitor medicines and intravenous therapy
HLTENN047	Apply nursing practice in the primary health care setting
HLTENN068	Provide end of life care and a palliative approach in nursing practice
Other electives	
CHCAOD004	Assess needs of clients with alcohol and other drugs issues
CHCAOD005	Provide alcohol and other drugs withdrawal services
CHCAOD008	Provide advanced interventions to meet the needs of clients with alcohol and other drugs issues
CHCCCS014	Provide brief interventions
CHCCCS038	Facilitate the empowerment of people receiving support

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CHCCSM017	Facilitate and review case management
CHCDIS016	Develop and promote positive person-centred behaviour supports
CHCDIS018	Facilitate ongoing skills development using a person-centred approach
CHCMGT003	Lead the work team
HLTADM008	Administer and coordinate Telehealth services
HLTAID011	Provide First Aid
HLTAID013	Provide first aid in remote or isolated site
HLTAID015	*Provide advanced resuscitation and oxygen therapy*
HLTENN051	Apply nursing practice in sexual and reproductive health care
HLTENN054	Contribute to the registration eligibility and assessment of donors
HLTENN059	Apply nursing practice in the hyperbaric environment
HLTENN062	Implement and monitor care for a person with a stoma
HLTHPS008	Provide clinical mentoring in the work environment
HLTHPS009	Perform peripheral intravenous cannulation
HLTWHS004	Manage work health and safety
HLTWHS006	Manage personal stressors in the work environment

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Units listed in italics have prerequisite units of competency, which are also included in the appropriate group.

Pre-requisite Requirements

Unit of competency	Prerequisite requirement
HLTAID015 Provide advanced resuscitation and oxygen therapy	HLTAID011 Provide First Aid

Qualification Mapping Information

Current Code and Title	Previous Code and Title	Comments	Equivalence
HLT64121 Advanced Diploma of Nursing	HLT64115 Advanced Diploma of Nursing	This version was released in HLT Health Training Package Release 6.0 and meets the requirements of the 2015 Standards for Training Packages. Updated to reflect current industry practices and terminology.	Not-Equivalent

Links

Companion volumes, including implementation guides, are found on the national training register - https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=ced1390f-48d9-4ab0-bd50-b015e5485705.

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