



Southbank
Institute of Technology

Education for aspiring minds

HLT51607

Diploma of Nursing (Enrolled/Division 2 Nursing) – for School Students



Do you enjoy dealing with all kinds of people? Can you follow directions precisely? Are you happy to take responsibility?



You might enjoy a career as an Endorsed Enrolled Nurse. You will learn advanced techniques in a simulated clinical ward and maximise your skills during clinical placements at local hospitals and aged care facilities. With employment opportunities ranging from public and private hospitals, to nursing homes and medical surgeries, it's the perfect program to make a start in the health industry.

Southbank Tertiary Entrance Program

Southbank Institute of Technology (SBIT) offers units within selected diploma programs to school students in Years 11 and 12.

This program is known as STEP – Southbank Tertiary Entrance Program.

STEP students will be offered an on-campus experience at SBIT. STEP students will be required on campus at SBIT for up to 8 hours on their allocated day. Following Year 12, STEP students will have the opportunity to complete the entire diploma program at SBIT with confirmed entry and credit into the diploma they have been studying.

The majority of these diplomas will provide pathways and credit towards university programs.

Benefits

- Upon completion of Year 12, STEP students will be offered a confirmed entry with credit towards the diploma they have been studying at school. STEP students will therefore know in Year 11

they have a guaranteed place at SBIT, post senior schooling and have the ability to bypass the QTAC process at the end of Year 12.

- Since STEP forms part of a student's high school curriculum, students will be accumulating credit towards their Queensland Certificate of Education (QCE) as well as undertaking a diploma qualification.
- STEP offers students a more affordable option; students pay no tuition fees, only material fees.
- If a STEP student transitions to university after completing their diploma of choice
 - it is likely to diminish their HECS fees due to reduced time at university
 - students will graduate with both a diploma and university qualification in near to the equivalent time it takes to complete a university award.
- The pathways developed by SBIT and university partners provide a quality, highly focused learning experience for STEP students. These pathways combine the complementary strengths of both institutions.

Entry requirements

To be considered as a STEP student, Principal and parent/guardian consent is mandatory.

- ACU** Australian Catholic University
- GU** Griffith University
- QUT** Queensland University of Technology
- UQ** The University of Queensland
- USC** University of the Sunshine Coast
- B** Bachelor

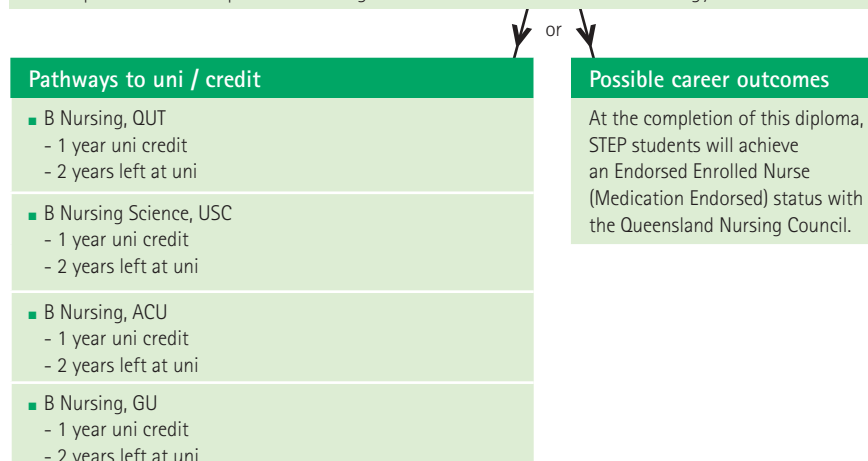
Program outline

School			
Semester one	HLTEN502A	Apply effective communication skills in nursing practice	
	HLTEN401A	Work in the nursing profession	
Semester two	Year 11	HLTEN515A	Implement & monitor nursing care for older clients
		HLTEN516A	Apply understanding of the Australian Health Care System
	Year 12	HLTHIR403B	Work effectively with culturally diverse clients and co-workers
		HLTHIR404B	Work effectively with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people
Semester three	Year 11	HLTAP401A	Confirm physical health status
		HLTAN510A	Medical Terminology
	Year 12	HLTOHS300A	Contribute to OHS processes
		HLTIN301A	Comply with infection control policies and procedures in health work
Semester four	Year 11	HLTEN503A	Contribute to client assessment & developing nursing care plans
		Clinical labs includes manual handling & clinical assessment to ensure readiness for vocational placement	
	Year 12	Vocational placement 8 hour shift for 3 weeks / full time over December/January	
		HLTFA301B	Apply first aid – Completed in own time during the program

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If a STEP student completes all of these units over Years 11 and 12, they will only have 1 year remaining to complete the entire Diploma of Nursing Care at Southbank Institute of Technology.



How to apply

From 31 August 2009, please visit SBIT's homepage www.southbank.edu.au and click on the **STEP Hub** icon on the right side of the page for more information.

Applications

To be considered as a STEP student, you must firstly register and submit an *Expression of Interest* in STEP. You are able to complete this process online from 31 August 2009.

To submit an *Expression of Interest*, please visit our website for more information: www.southbank.edu.au and click on the **STEP Hub** icon.

Once your *Expression of Interest* in STEP Hub has been logged with SBIT and approved by your STEP coordinator and Principal, SBIT will send you an enrolment pack. To be formally accepted as a STEP student, you must enrol and pay online. Online enrolments open on 21 October 2009.

Cost

STEP students will only be required to pay the material fees associated with the units over Years 11 and 12. The material fees for the Diploma of Nursing are:

Material fees*

Semester one	\$ 240.00
Semester two	\$ 240.00
Semester three	\$ 245.00
Semester four	\$ 240.00

*Please note - program information and prices are correct at time of printing and are subject to change at any time without notice. For up to date information call 13 72 48.