

Graduate Certificate of Indigenous Mental Health and Well-Being (GCIW) - GradCertIMHWP

This program is offered only to continuing students. No new admissions will be accepted. Students who are interested in this study area should [contact us](#).

be used to assess applicants who wish to gain entry to the program on the basis of equivalent experience or qualifications. Candidates who do not possess a Bachelor degree may apply to the Faculty of Health, Engineering and Sciences for consideration for admission on the basis of equivalent experience or qualifications.

Domestic and International Applicants from a non-English speaking background are required to satisfy [English language requirements](#).

If you do not meet the English language requirements you may apply to study a University-approved [English language program](#). On successful completion of the English language program, Applicants may be admitted to an Award Program.

Program fees

Commonwealth supported place

A Commonwealth supported place is where the Australian Government makes a contribution towards the cost of your higher education and you as a student pay a [student contribution amount](#), which varies depending on the courses undertaken. You are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#). Commonwealth Supported students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [HECS-HELP](#).

Domestic full fee paying place

Domestic full fee paying places are funded entirely through the full fees paid by the student. Full fees vary depending on the courses that are taken. You are able to calculate the fees for a particular course via the [Course Fee Finder](#).

Domestic full fee paying students may be eligible to defer their fees through a Government loan called [FEE-HELP](#) provided they meet the residency and citizenship requirements.

Australian citizens, Permanent Humanitarian Visa holders, Permanent Resident visa holders and New Zealand citizens who will be resident outside Australia for the duration of their program pay full tuition fees and are not eligible for [FEE-Help](#).

Program structure

The Graduate Certificate in Indigenous Mental Health and Well-Being contains four compulsory courses, one at level 3 and three at level 5 or higher, of one unit each.

Program completion requirements

To qualify for the award of Graduate Certificate in Indigenous Mental Health and Well-Being a candidate must normally complete the following four courses within three years of first admission to the program:

- [KNL3001 Indigenous Australian Cultures and Communities](#)
- [IMH5001 Philosophy of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health](#)
- [IMH5002 Indigenous Australian Mental Health Today](#)
- [IMH5003 Culturally Appropriate Intervention Strategies in Indigenous Mental Health](#)*

* [IMH5001 Philosophy of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health](#) is a pre-requisite for [IMH5003](#).

Required time limits

Students have a maximum of 3 years to complete this program.

IT requirements

Students should visit the USQ [minimum standards](#) to check that their computers are capable of running the appropriate software and versions of Internet web browsers and to check the minimum and recommended to satisfy

Credit

Normally, there are no credits permitted in this program.

Recommended enrolment pattern - Part-time

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, distance education or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.

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KNL3001 Indigenous Australian Cultures and Communities			1	1			
IMH5001 Philosophy of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health			1	1			
IMH5002 Indigenous Australian Mental Health Today			1	2			
IMH5003 Culturally Appropriate Intervention Strategies in Indigenous Mental Health			1	2			Pre-requisite: IMH5001