

## Communiqué

Meeting of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia held on 6 July 2017 at the AHPRA National Office, Melbourne.

The Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (the National Board or NMBA) is the national regulator for nursing and midwifery in Australia. It is established under the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law, as in force in each state and territory (the National Law).

Approved programs of study leading to registration and endorsement

The NMBA has considered the following programs of study in June 2017					
Full accreditation of nursing and midwifery programs for five years:					
Education provider	Program	Campus			
Curtin University	Graduate Diploma of Midwifery	Bentley – WA			
EQUALS International	Diploma of Nursing	Adelaide – SA			
Marr Mooditj Training Inc	Diploma of Nursing	Waterford – WA			
Full accreditation of a nursing program for two years:					
Education provider	Program	Campus			
Think: Education	Diploma of Nursing	Adelaide – SA Brisbane – QLD Melbourne – VIC Sydney – NSW			
Major modifications to accredited nursing and midwifery programs:					
Education provider	Program	Modification			
Gordon Institute of TAFE	Diploma of Nursing	Addition of campus site: Werribee – VIC			
Central Queensland University	Diploma of Nursing	Addition of campus site: Residential schools Townsville – QLD			
Charles Darwin University	Bachelor of Midwifery	Addition of campus site: Sydney – NSW and removal of campus site: Melbourne CBD – VIC			
Other amendments and matters for consideration for nursing programs:					
Education provider	Program	Details			
Box Hill Institute of TAFE	Diploma of Nursing	Update of incorrect expiry date for course code HLT54115 to			

		11 May 2020			
Moving approved nursing and midwifery programs of study from the NMBA Approved Programs of Study list into 'inactive':					
Education provider	Program	Program			
Curtin University	Graduate Diploma	Graduate Diploma of Midwifery			
YourLife Health & Learn Inc	ing Diploma of Nursin	Diploma of Nursing			
EQUALS International	Diploma of Nursin	g – HLT51612			
EQUALS International	Diploma of Nursin	– HLT54115			
Marr Mooditj Training Ind	c Diploma of Nursin	Diploma of Nursing			
Prolongation of accreditation for currently accredited nursing programs					
Education provider	Program	Expiry date	Revised expiry date		
Kangan Institute	Diploma of Nursing	31/12/2017	31/12/2018		
TAFE QLD – Gold Coast	Diploma of Nursing – HLT54115	03/09/2017	30/07/2018		
North Metropolitan TAFE (previously Central Institute of Technology)	Diploma of Nursing – HTL54115	01/08/2017	31/07/2018		
North Metropolitan TAFE (previously West Coast Institute of Technology)	Diploma of Nursing – HLT54115	30/11/2017	31/07/2018		
North Regional TAFE (previously Pilbara Institute of TAFE)	Diploma of Nursing – HLT54115	28/03/2018	28/09/2018		
TAFE QLD – North (previously Tropical North QLD Institute of TAFE)	Diploma of Nursing – HLT54115 & HLT51612	01/05/2018	30/07/2018		
TAFE QLD – North (previously Barrier Reef Institute of TAFE)	Diploma of Nursing – HLT54115 & HLT51612	09/03/2018	30/07/2018		
TAFE QLD – South West (previously Southern QLD Institute of TAFE)	Diploma of Nursing – HLT54115 & HLT51612	15/03/2018	30/07/2018		
TAFE QLD – South (previously The Bremer Institute)	Diploma of Nursing – HTL54115 & HLT51612	28/03/2018	30/07/2018		

An <u>online search</u> is available for all approved programs of study leading to registration and endorsement as an enrolled nurse (EN), registered nurse (RN) and/or midwife. You can also search for approved programs of study leading to endorsements for RNs and midwives.

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## For more information

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