



NURSING

A career in nursing can truly make a difference to the lives of people and communities. As the health sector expands, Nursing is becoming increasingly complex and important. TAFE NSW maintains up-to-date and expert training for roles within, and related to, nursing, including enrolled nursing. If you have a positive outlook, patience and a desire to care for others, graduate with a TAFE NSW qualification and make a real difference.



Job opportunities

Enrolled nurses provide nursing care to patients in a variety of health, aged care, welfare and community settings under the supervision of registered nurses.



Industry partnerships

The health care and social assistance industries is expected to continue to provide a significant share of new jobs (NSC 2020).



Annual growth

Between 2016 and 2019, the total number of enrolled nurses with general or provisional registration increased by 4.5% (DoH 2020).

QUALIFICATIONS YOU CAN EARN AT TAFE NSW

When you're looking to pursue a career in nursing and healthcare, you'll need to make sure you have the expert skills, the professional knowledge, and the recognised qualification that gives you the employment edge. Studying a TAFE NSW qualification can ensure that you will build the industry skills and make the necessary industry connections you need, to help you kickstart and grow your career.

Course	Code	Duration
Certificate III in Health Service Assistance	HLT33115	18-36 weeks
Certificate III in Health Service Assistance (Assisting in Nursing Work in Acute Care)	HLT33115	18 weeks
Certificate III in Individual Support	CHC33015	18 weeks
Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing)	CHC33015	18 weeks

Course	Code	Duration
Certificate III in Individual Support (Home and Community)	CHC43015	18 weeks
Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance	HLT33015	18-36 weeks
Diploma of Nursing	HLT54115*	18 months
Diploma of Practice Management	HLT57715	2 years

FEES FOR YOUR COURSE

A range of criteria apply for course fees, access to government subsidised training, student loans, payment by instalment, fee concessions, and fee exemptions that are available to eligible students. The training for all or some of the courses listed is subsidised by the NSW Government under Smart and Skilled funding. Visit [tafensw.edu.au/enrol/fees](https://www.tafensw.edu.au/enrol/fees).

^Source: Factsheet, Nursing and Midwifery 2019, Department of Health [https://hwd.health.gov.au/resources/publications/factsheet-nrmw-2019.html] dated 16/11/2020.

^^Source: National Skills Commission, Part 2 Resilient Occupations Ellie Yates, 12/04/2020 [https://www.nationalskillscommission.gov.au/book/export/html/227]

* This course is superseded. You can still enrol in this course, and you will be contacted if you need to transition into the next version when it is available.

Disclaimer: Please check to ensure that courses are currently being offered at your preferred TAFE NSW location. Course delivery and duration may also vary between TAFE NSW locations, so please confirm before enrolling. Fee free eligibility may apply. Correct at time of publication (June 2021). RTO 90003 | CRICOS 00591E | HEP PRV12049

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SHORT COURSES YOU CAN STUDY AT TAFE NSW

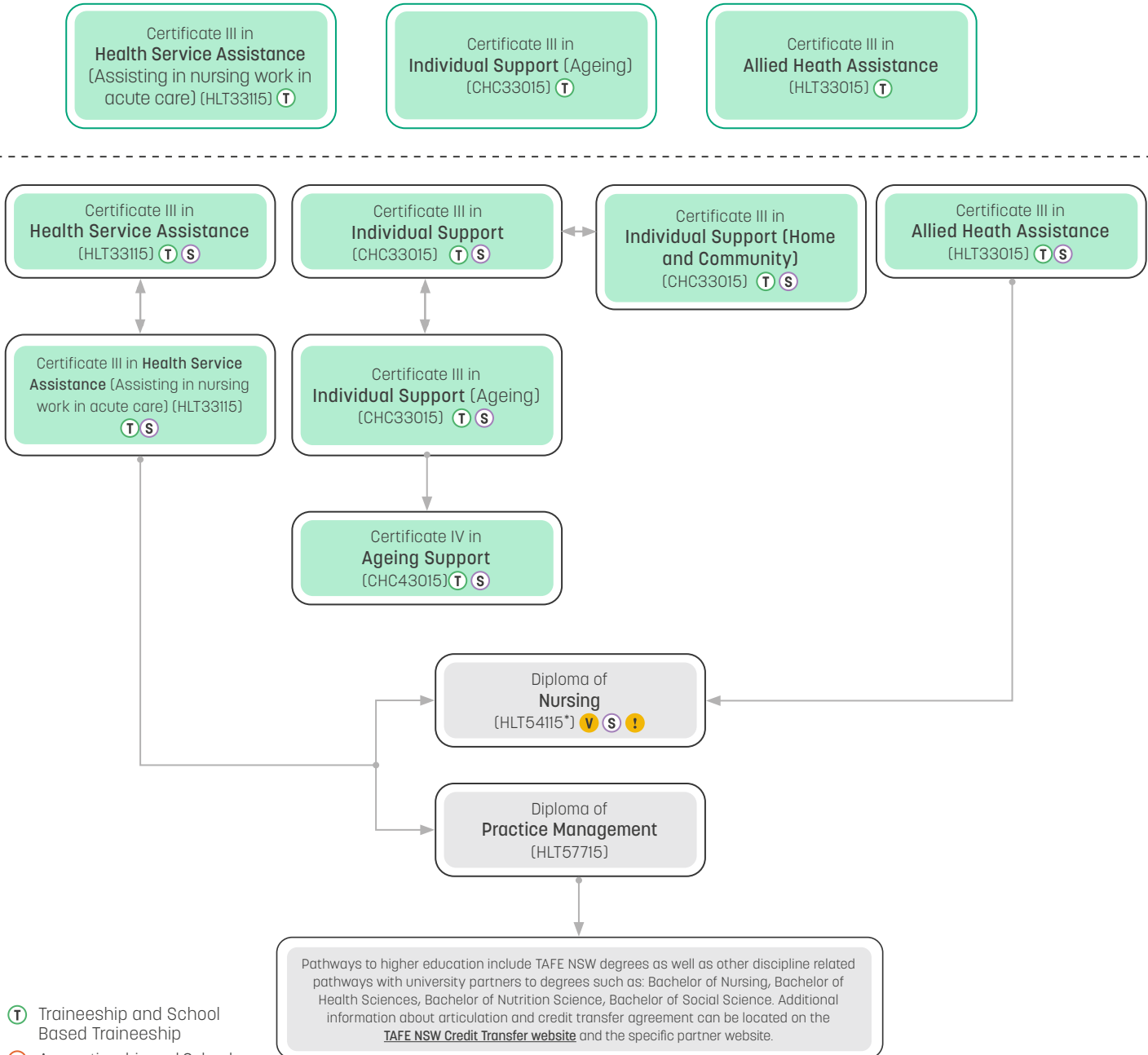
TAFE NSW has a selection of short courses available to study, that can help you build the essential nursing and health care skills needed to kickstart and grow your career, or to help you round out your résumé.

Short Course	Code	Duration	Included Units of Study
Statement of Attainment in Mental Health	SG00001254	8 to 12 weeks	CHCMHS001 Work with people with mental health issues.
Statement of Attainment in Introduction to Working in the Health Industry	SG00006955	12 weeks	CHCCOM005 Communicate and work in health or community services CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people HLTWHS001 Participate in workplace health and safety.
TAFE Statement in Accidental Counselling	800-000408	1 day	Non-Nationally Recognised Training; 800-000408A Accidental Counselling.
Statement of Attainment in First Aid	900-81000	1 day	HLTAID003* Provide first aid.
Statement of Attainment in Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation	900-80389	1 day	HLTAID001* Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation.
Statement of Attainment in Palliative Approach Skill Set	CHCSS00105	3 weeks	CHCCCS017 Provide loss and grief support CHCPAL001 Deliver care services using a palliative approach.

[Visit our website for more short courses.](#)

HOW YOU CAN GROW YOUR CAREER

When you study with TAFE NSW, there are any number of courses that lead to an even greater number of career opportunities. However, before you can earn certain qualifications, you may have to complete some pre-requisite courses. Below are some examples of career progression pathways you could follow.



- T** Traineeship and School Based Traineeship
- A** Apprenticeship and School Based Apprenticeship
- T** Trade Related Pathway
- V** VET Student Loan Approved
- S** Smart and Skilled
- !** Entry Requirement

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