

## Communiqué

(Out of Session) Meeting of the Program Approval Committee of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia held on 12 February 2019.

The Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (the National Board or NMBA) is the national regulator for the nursing and midwifery professions in Australia. It is established under the Health Practitioner Regulation National Law, as in force in each state and territory ([the National Law](#)). The NMBA approves programs of study that lead to registration and/or endorsement.

### Approved programs of study leading to registration and/or endorsement

The NMBA has considered and approved the following programs of study in February 2019

Full accreditation of nursing programs for five years:

Education provider	Program	Campus
Australian College of Nursing	Graduate Certificate in Nursing (Bridging)	Parramatta, NSW
Australian College of Nursing	Graduate Certificate in Nursing (Re-entry)	Parramatta, NSW

Moving approved nursing programs of study from the NMBA Approved Programs of Study list into 'inactive':

Education provider	Program
Australian College of Nursing	Entry Program for Internationally Qualified Nurse Registered Nurse
Australian College of Nursing	Return to Register Registered Nurse

An [online search](#) 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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