Communiqué

Meeting of the Program Approval Committee of the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia held on 22 January 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](http://www.ahpra.gov.au/Search.aspx?q=national%20law)). The NMBA approves programs of study that lead to registration and/or endorsement.

Approved programs of study leading to registration and/or endorsement

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| The NMBA has considered and approved the following programs of study in January 2019 | | | |
| Other amendments and matters for consideration to accredited nursing programs: | | | |
| **Education provider** | | Program | Campus |
| University of Adelaide | | Master of Clinical Nursing | Change of program length to include 48 months part time option. |
| Box Hill Institute | | Diploma of Nursing | Change of program length from 18 months FT to 24 months FT. |
| Sunraysia Institute of TAFE | | Diploma of Nursing | Removal of ANMAC conditions from program of study. |
| Moving an approved nursing program of study from the NMBA Approved Programs of Study list into ‘inactive’: | | | |
| **Education provider** | Program | | |
| Deakin University | Master of Nursing Practice (Nurse Practitioner) | | |

An [online search](http://www.nursingmidwiferyboard.gov.au/Accreditation/Approved-programs-of-study.aspx) 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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Chair, Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia

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