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Course Map

Students who commenced in Semester 1 2026 and study part-time

YEAR 1 - 2026				
Semester 1	**HLSC122** Evidence for Practice 10cp	**BIOL121** Human Biological Science 1 10cp *Attendance*		
Semester 2	**BIOL122** Human Biological Science 2 (Pre: BIOL121) 10cp *Attendance*	**Core Curriculum Unit 1** **TPCC100** Life and Meaning: Imagining Ourselves through Art and Cinema OR **THCC101** People Matter: Catholic Social Thought 10cp *Online Unscheduled*		
YEAR 2 - 2027				
Semester 1	**MIDW112** Foundations in Midwifery 10cp	**MIDW110** * / *** Midwifery Professional Practice 1 10cp		
Semester 2	**MIDW113** Midwifery Care of the Pregnant Woman 10cp *(Pre: HLSC122 & MIDW112)*	**MIDW122** *** Midwifery Professional Practice 2 10cp *(Pre: BIOL121 & MIDW110)*		

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YEAR 3 - 2028				
Semester 1	**MIDW216** Midwifery Care of the Birthing Woman 10cp *(Pre: MIDW122 & MIDW113)*	**MIDW213** *** Midwifery Professional Practice 3 10cp *(Pre: MIDW122)*		
Semester 2	**MIDW106** ** Culturally Responsive Midwifery Care Beyond Birth 10cp	**MIDW215** Perinatal Mental Health 10cp *(Pre: MIDW122 & MIDW113 & MIDW246)*		
YEAR 4 - 2029				
Semester 1	**BIOL236** ** Pathophysiology and Pharmacotherapeutics Across the Childbearing Continuum 10cp *(Pre: BIOL132 or BIOL122)*	**MIDW207** ** Complex Care and Collaboration in Midwifery Practice 10cp *(Pre: MIDW104 or MIDW216)*		
Semester 2	**MIDW225** ** Babies Needing Extra Care 10cp	**MIDW224** *** Midwifery Professional Practice 4: Responding to complexity 10cp *(Pre: MIDW207 or MIDW217and MIDW213)*		
YEAR 5 - 2030				
Semester 1	**NMPU100** ** Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health 10cp	**MIDW315** Midwifery Professional Practice 5 10cp *(Pre: MIDW224)*		
Semester 2	**MIDW305** ** Transition to Professional Midwife 10cp *(Pre: MIDW224)*	**MIDW304** ** The Autonomous Midwife: Consultation and Accountability 10cp *(Pre: MIDW315 or MIDW316)*		

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YEAR 6 - 2031				
Semester 1	**MIDW353** The Inquiring Midwife 10cp *(Pre: MIDW104)*	**MIDW303 **** Global Perspectives on Maternal and Reproductive Health 10cp		
Semester 2	**MIDW326** Midwifery Professional Practice 6 20cp *(Pre: MIDW315 or MIDW316)*			

* **Students can only undertake *MIDW110 Midwifery Professional Practice 1* if they are currently enrolled in *MIDW112 Foundations of Midwifery* or have successfully completed *MIDW112 Foundations of Midwifery* at an earlier date.**

** **Unit Replacements:**

NMPU100 has replaced HLSC120
MIDW106 has replaced MIDW246
MIDW207 has replaced MIDW217
BIOL236 has replaced HLSC220
MIDW225 has replaced MIDW335
MIDW305 has replaced MIDW350
MIDW304 has replaced Core Curriculum Unit 2
MIDW303 has replaced MIDW351

STUDY MODES

The study mode describes the way that a unit is taught.
All units are delivered in **multi-mode**, unless otherwise indicated in the map.

Attendance (A)

Most learning activities or classes are delivered at a scheduled time, on campus, or approved ACU delivery site, to enable in-person interactions. Activities will appear in a student's timetable.

Multi-mode (M)

Learning activities are delivered through a planned mix of online and in-person classes, which may include full-day sessions and/or placements, to enable interaction. Activities that require attendance will appear in a student's timetable.

Online Scheduled (OS)

Fully online with learning activities held at scheduled times.

Online Unscheduled (OU)

Learning activities are accessible at anytime, anywhere. These units are normally delivered fully online and will not appear in a student's timetable.

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PREREQUISITES

- Prerequisites ('*Pre:*') are added in italics.
- Prerequisites are other units that you must have passed *before* enrolling in the unit.
- You will not be able to enrol in a unit in Student Connect if you do not meet the prerequisite requirements. (This will help stop you from enrolling in units incorrectly).
- Under some circumstances, you might be eligible for a prerequisite waiver.
- You can find out more about prerequisites and how to apply for a waiver on the Student Portal.

CORE CURRICULUM

- Core Curriculum units are also available in other study periods.

PLEASE NOTE: Students who do not follow the sequence recommended in their Course Map cannot be guaranteed a clash free timetable or completion within the normal course duration period. Any student studying outside the above sequence should consult with their Course Adviser prior to enrolling.