

## Course Map

**Students who commenced in Semester 1 2027 and studying part-time**

| YEAR 1 - 2027     |                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                        |  |  |
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| <b>Semester 1</b> | <b>MIDW112</b><br>Foundations in Midwifery<br>10cp                                          | <b>MIDW110 * / ***</b><br>Midwifery Professional Practice 1<br>10cp                                                                    |  |  |
| <b>Semester 2</b> | <b>BIOL121</b><br>Human Biological Science 1<br>10cp                                        | <b>MIDW113</b><br>Midwifery Care of the Pregnant Woman<br>10cp<br>(Pre: HLSC122 & MIDW112)                                             |  |  |
| YEAR 2 - 2028     |                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                        |  |  |
| <b>Semester 1</b> | <b>MIDW246</b><br>Midwifery Care of the Postnatal Woman and Family<br>10cp                  | <b>BIOL122</b><br>Human Biological Science 2<br>(Pre: BIOL121)<br>10cp                                                                 |  |  |
| <b>Semester 2</b> | <b>MIDW104 **</b><br>Evidenced based Midwifery Care During Labour and Birth<br>10cp         | <b>MIDW122 ***</b><br>Midwifery Professional Practice 2: Care Beyond Birth<br>10cp<br>(Pre: BIOL121 & MIDW110)                         |  |  |
| YEAR 3 - 2029     |                                                                                             |                                                                                                                                        |  |  |
| <b>Semester 1</b> | <b>NMPU100 **</b><br>Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander Health<br>10cp                   | <b>MIDW213 ***</b><br>Midwifery Professional Practice 3: Supporting the Birth Journey<br>10cp<br>(Pre: MIDW104 or MIDW216 and MIDW122) |  |  |
| <b>Semester 2</b> | <b>Core Curriculum Unit</b><br>See the <a href="#">ACU Core Curriculum</a> page for details | <b>MIDW215</b><br>Perinatal Mental Health<br>10cp<br>(Pre: MIDW122 & MIDW113 & MIDW246)                                                |  |  |

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## YEAR 4 - 2030

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| <b>Semester 1</b> | <b>BIOL236 **</b><br>Pathophysiology and Pharmacotherapeutics Across the Childbearing Continuum<br>10cp<br>(Pre: BIOL132 or BIOL122) | <b>MIDW207 **</b><br>Complex Care and Collaboration in Midwifery Practice<br>10cp<br>(Pre: MIDW104 or MIDW216)                     |  |  |
| <b>Semester 2</b> | <b>MIDW225 **</b><br>Babies Needing Extra Care<br>10cp                                                                               | <b>MIDW224 ***</b><br>Midwifery Professional Practice 4: Responding to complexity<br>10cp<br>(Pre: MIDW207 or MIDW217 and MIDW213) |  |  |

## YEAR 5 - 2031

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| <b>Semester 1</b> | <b>MIDW316 **</b><br>Midwifery Professional Practice 5: Consolidating Midwifery Practice<br>10cp<br>(Pre: MIDW225 and MIDW224) |                                                                                                                   |  |
| <b>Semester 2</b> | <b>MIDW305 **</b><br>Transition to Professional Midwife<br>10cp<br>(Pre: MIDW224)                                              | <b>MIDW304 **</b><br>The Autonomous Midwife: Consultation and Accountability<br>10cp<br>(Pre: MIDW315 or MIDW316) |  |

## YEAR 6 - 2032

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| <b>Semester 1</b> | <b>MIDW353</b><br>The Inquiring Midwife<br>10cp<br>(Pre: MIDW104)                        | <b>MIDW303 **</b><br>Global Perspectives on Maternal and Reproductive Health<br>10cp |  |  |
| <b>Semester 2</b> | <b>MIDW326</b><br>Midwifery Professional Practice 6<br>20cp<br>(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.

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### \*\* Unit Replacements:

NMPU100 has replaced HLSC120

MIDW104 has replaced MIDW216

MIDW303 has replaced MIDW351

MIDW225 has replaced MIDW335

MIDW305 has replaced MIDW350

MIDW304 has replaced Core Curriculum Unit 2

MIDW316 has replaced MIDW315

MIDW207 has replaced MIDW217

BIOL236 has replaced HLSC220

### \*\*\* 2027 RESIDENTIAL DATES

| Residential   | Unit                            | Start Date              | End Date                |
|---------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Residential 1 | MIDW110 and MIDW213 and BIOL121 | Sunday 21 February 2027 | Friday 26 February 2027 |
| Residential 2 | MIDW110 and MIDW213 and BIOL121 | Monday 17 May 2027      | Friday 21 May 2027      |
| Residential 3 | MIDW122 and MIDW224 and BIOL122 | Monday 26 July 2027     | Friday 30 July 2027     |
| Residential 4 | MIDW122 and MIDW224 and BIOL122 | Monday 18 October 2027  | Friday 22 October 2027  |

### AWAY-FROM-BASE (AFB) FIRST YEAR SEMESTER 1 ORIENTATION

Commencing students are required to attend a compulsory face-to-face on-campus Orientation. This Orientation is scheduled the day prior to commencing the Week One Residential.

### 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.