

Mental Health Graduate Nurse Program 2027

Northern Health provides hospital, community, virtual and home-based services. The Northern Health Mental Health Division provides comprehensive, integrated range of services to people with a serious mental illness residing in the local government areas of Merri-bek, Hume, Darebin and Whittlesea. Our values are integral to the culture of care, team work and collaboration at **Northern Health**.

As a teaching hospital, education and training is foundational to everything we do. We facilitate your transition to practice by providing opportunities to consolidate your undergraduate skills and knowledge, integrate theory to practice and further develop your professional and clinical skills through a structured, clinically focused program.



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Structure and Content

Our 2-year Mental Health Graduate Program has an intake in January annually, with graduates working a rotating roster at 0.8 EFT. Our Graduates have the opportunity to rotate within the Adult Acute Inpatient Units, Older Adults Inpatient Units, Community Care Units, Adult Community Mental Health, Older Adults Community Mental Health and Emergency Mental Health (EMH). Thorough orientation, supernumerary time and study days strengthen the theoretical components of the program. Access to online resources, workshops, seminars and in services further builds knowledge and confidence.

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Support and Opportunity

We know from experience; support & opportunity are paramount to success. A dedicated team of Clinical Nurse Educators provide clinical support, guidance and ensure resources are easily accessible. Our preceptors are experts in their field, providing invaluable role modelling and mentorship. Education and training are delivered in an environment that is inclusive, recognises diversity, and promotes **kindness**, supporting **safe** opportunities to learn **together**.

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Join the team

We welcome your application in June, in line with the PMCV timeline.

Application is a 2-step process:

1. Rank Northern Health in your PMCV choices **and**
2. Forward your application to us via the NH Careers Portal, Success Factors

Include all documents as requested in the advertisement or visit our website for more info.

<https://www.nh.org.au/research-and-education/education/>



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