

COURSE DELIVERY PLAN 2025

Master of Dietetics

COURSE CODE: HMDT

Mid-Year Entry

CAMPUS	VU Sunshine Clinical School (SCL)
COLLEGE	College of Sport, Health and Engineering
STUDY MODE	Full Time
DURATION	2 years Full Time equivalent
FEE TYPE	For information on course fees, refer to http://vu.edu.au/fees
APPLICATION METHOD	Direct Application - https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing
TIMETABLE	vu.edu.au/timetables
COURSE REQUIREMENTS	To attain the Master of Dietetics, students are required to complete: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• 192 credit points of Core studies.
FURTHER INFORMATION	Unit and course information is available from the University course search site at http://vu.edu.au/course-search or go to https://askvu.vu.edu.au or Phone VUHQ on 03 9919 6100
COURSE CHAIR	Helen McCarthy Anna Vassallo
COURSE ADVICE	AskCUA https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua

Note: Students are required to enrol in all units for semester 1 and 2, and are not permitted to enrol in more than 48 credit points per semester as a full-time load.

Core/Elective Core (a unit that must be completed) & **Elective** (you have some choice in what you select).

Prerequisites A number of units within the degree have 'prerequisites'. These prerequisites must be met before enrolment in the unit is permitted. Generally these prerequisites require the successful completion of a unit or units taken at an earlier stage in the course. Students should pay particular attention to these prerequisite requirements as failure to meet these can seriously hinder progression through the course.

Date of Publication: This information is accurate as of October 24, 2024, and applies to students beginning during the specified intake period. It is provided for informational purposes only and does not constitute a contract between any individual and Victoria University. Students starting in a different intake or unable to follow the plan due to credit or other factors should consult their [Course and Unit Advisor](#) for enrolment assistance.

Work Integrated Learning (WIL):

To meet accreditation requirements all students must complete a minimum of 100 days (based on a 7.5 hour day) clinical placement with approved partner organisations. Students completing this course will complete 110 days of professional practice placement to ensure that the minimum requirements for placement is clearly met. This is completed in the following units: HHN7001 Medical Nutrition Therapy Placement (min. 50 days); HHN7002 Food Service Systems for Dietitians Placement (min. 20 days); HHN7003 Community and Public Health Nutrition Placement (min. 40 days). Students will also complete HHN7901 Research Placement (min. 40 days). Students will be required to demonstrate that they meet the National Competency Standards for Dietetics on completion of these placements to pass the course. These placements will be in the final year of the course.



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YEAR 1

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
HHN4001	Professional Communication and Behaviour Change Skill	Core	2B1	12	SCL	
HHN4002	Medical Nutritional Therapy 1	Core	2B2	12	SCL	
HHN4003	Public Health Nutrition	Core	2B3	12	ORT	HHN4001
HHN4004	Food Service Systems and Management	Core	2B4	12	W	HHN4002
HHN6003	Professional and Leadership Skills in Nutrition and Dietetics	Core	1B1	12	SCL	HHN4001
HHN6001	Medical Nutritional Therapy 2	Core	1B2	12	SCL	HHN4002
HHN6901	Research Planning and Statistics	Core	1B3	12	SCL	
HHN6002	Medical Nutritional Therapy 3	Core	1B4	12	SCL	HHN6001

YEAR 2

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
HHN7001	Medical Nutritional Therapy Placement	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	36	FP	96 credits of study within the Master of Dietetics
HHN7002	Food Service Systems for Dietitians Placement	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	12	FP	96 credits of study within the Master of Dietetics
HHN7003	Community and Public Health Nutrition Placement	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	24	FP	96 credits of study within the Master of Dietetics
HHN7901	Research Project	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4, 2B1, 2B2, 2B3, 2B4	24	FP	96 credits of study within the Master of Dietetics



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