

# COURSE DELIVERY PLAN 2025

## Master of Physiotherapy

COURSE CODE: HMPS

### Mid-Year Entry

<b>CAMPUS</b>	Footscray Park (FP)
<b>COLLEGE</b>	College of Sport, Health and Engineering
<b>STUDY MODE</b>	Full Time
<b>DURATION</b>	2 years Full Time equivalent
<b>FEE TYPE</b>	For information on course fees, refer to <a href="http://vu.edu.au/fees">http://vu.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>APPLICATION METHOD</b>	Direct Application - <a href="https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing">https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing</a>
<b>TIMETABLE</b>	<a href="http://vu.edu.au/timetables">vu.edu.au/timetables</a>
<b>COURSE REQUIREMENTS</b>	To attain the Master of Physiotherapy students must successfully complete: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 192 credit points of Core units.</li></ul>
<b>FURTHER INFORMATION</b>	Unit and course information is available from the University course search site at <a href="http://vu.edu.au/course-search">http://vu.edu.au/course-search</a> or go to <a href="https://askvu.vu.edu.au">https://askvu.vu.edu.au</a> or Phone VUHQ on 03 9919 6100
<b>COURSE CHAIR</b>	Clarice Tang
<b>COURSE ADVICE</b>	AskCUA <a href="https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua">https://askvu.vu.edu.au/app/askcua</a>

**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.

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## YEAR 1

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
<b>Year 1, Semester 1</b>						
HPT4001	Physiotherapy in Musculoskeletal Practice	Core	<b>2B1</b>	12	FP	
HPT4002	Physiotherapy in Cardiorespiratory Practice	Core	<b>2B2</b>	12	SCL	
HPT4003	Physiotherapy in Neurological Practice	Core	<b>2B3</b>	12	SCL	
HPT4004	Physiotherapy in Rehabilitation and Community Practice	Core	<b>2B4</b>	12	FP	
<b>Year 1, Semester 2</b>						
HPT7007	Work Ready Practice	Core	<b>SB</b>	12	FP	
HPT6001	Integrated Practice 1	Core	<b>1B1</b>	12	SCL	HPT4001; and HPT4002; and HPT4003; and HPT4004
HPT6002	Integrated Practice 2	Core	<b>1B2</b>	12	SCL	HPT4001; and HPT4002; and HPT4003; and HPT4004
HPT6003	Integrated Practice 3	Core	<b>1B3</b>	12	SCL	HPT4001; and HPT4002; and HPT4003; and HPT4004
HPT6004	Diversity in Practice	Core	<b>1B4</b>	12	SCL	HPT4001; and HPT4002; and HPT4003; and HPT4004
HPT7001	Clinical Practice 1	Core	<b>WB</b>	12	SCL	HPT6001; and HPT6002; and HPT6003; and HPT6004

## YEAR 2

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	SEM	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
<b>Year 2, Semester 1</b>						



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HPT7002	Clinical Practice 2	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4	12	FP	HPT7001
HPT7003	Clinical Practice 3	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4	12	FP	HPT7001
HPT7004	Clinical Practice 4	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4	12	FP	HPT7001
<b>Year 2, Semester 2</b>						
HPT7005	Clinical Practice 5	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4	12	FP	HPT7001
HPT7006	Clinical Practice 6	Core	1B1, 1B2, 1B3, 1B4	12	FP	HPT7001
HPT7008	Seminars in Health	Core	Sem 2	12	FP	

## **WORK INTEGRATED LEARNING:**

In the Master of Physiotherapy, students will engage onsite with simulated and real patients and clinicians who are invited to attend the university to participate in “Master classes” and “Inter-professional learning opportunities” within Physiotherapy units. This forms an opportunity to expose students to the profession within the teaching and learning of the program and assist students to develop an understanding of unique aspects of the profession.

Within the Master of Physiotherapy there are six (6) Physiotherapy Clinical Practice units, one (1) internal simulation-based unit (intensive 2 week block) and five (5) x 5 week units undertaken external to the university. The five (5) x 5 week (total 800 hours) external placements are undertaken in a range of health care settings, including acute, rehabilitation and community settings, with clients across the lifespan and from indigenous and culturally diverse backgrounds, with cardiorespiratory, musculoskeletal and neurological conditions. Together, these placements provide opportunities for students to acquire the clinical competence required for entry-level practice.



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