

## **COURSE DELIVERY PLAN 2026**

# Master of Mental Health (Online Delivery) COURSE CODE: HMMH

Campus	VU Online					
College	Sport, Health and Engineering					
Study Mode	Part-time					
Duration	2 years					
Fee Type	Fee information available from <a href="https://www.vu.edu.au/study-at-vu/fees-scholarships/course-tuition-fees">https://www.vu.edu.au/study-at-vu/fees-scholarships/course-tuition-fees</a>					
Application Method	Direct Application: <a href="https://www.vu.edu.au/study-at-vu/apply-to-vu">https://www.vu.edu.au/study-at-vu/apply-to-vu</a>					
Timetable	N/A					
Course Requirements	To attain the Master of Mental Health, students must successfully complete 144 credit points (equivalent to 12 units) in total, consisting of:					
	Eleven (11) Core units (equivalent to 132 credit points)					
	One (1) elective unit (equivalent to 12 credit points)					
	Students are able to graduate with a Graduate Certificate in Mental Health or a Graduate Diploma of Mental Health (Diploma exit award only) after they have completed the first four (4) and eight (8) respectively, as outlined below.					
Further Information	Unit (subject) and course information is available from the University course search site at <a href="https://online.vu.edu.au/online-courses/master-public-health">vu.edu.au/course-search</a> OR <a href="https://online.vu.edu.au/online-courses/master-public-health">https://online.vu.edu.au/online-courses/master-public-health</a>					
Course Advice	VU Online Student Success Advisor – telephone: 1300 049 053					
Course	Associate Professor Christopher Fisher					
Coordinator	Email: Christopher.Fisher@vu.edu.au					

The following course structure is designed to help students track their progress through the course. NB: This course structure is subject to change.



### **YEAR 1 (2026)**

Unit Code	Unit Title	Unit Type	Study Period	Credit Points	Campus	Prerequisites	
HNO6012	Effective Trauma-Informed Care	Core	1	12	VU Online	Nil	
HNO6009	Biopsychosocial and Cultural Perspectives in Mental Health	Core	2	12	VU Online	Nil	
HNO6010	Recovery Oriented Mental Health	Core	3	12	VU Online	Nil	
HNO6011	Biopsychosocial and Cultural Perspectives in Mental Health	Core	4	12	VU Online	Nil	
STUDENTS ARE ABLE TO GRADUATE WITH A GRADUATE CERTIFICATE IN MENTAL HEALTH AFTER HAVING COMPLETED THE ABOVE 4 UNITS							
HNO6013	Mental Health in Later Life	Core	5	12	VU Online	Nil	
HNO6004	Evidence and Research for Practice	Core	6	12	VU Online	Nil	

### **YEAR 2 (2027)**

Unit Code	Unit Title	Unit Type	Study Period	Credit Points	Campus	Prerequisites
HNO6014	Introduction to Child and Adolescent Mental Health	Core	1	12	VU Online	Nil
HNO7013	Psychological Therapies	Core	2	12	VU Online	Nil

## STUDENTS ARE ABLE TO EXIT THE MASTER QUALIFICATION WITH A GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF MENTAL HEALTH AFTER HAVING COMPLETED THE ABOVE 8 UNITS (EXIT AWARD ONLY)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Unit Type	Study Period	Credit Points	Campus	Prerequisites
HNO7014	Perspectives on Addictive Behaviours	Core	3	12	VU Online	Nil
HNO7901	Research Project	Core	4,6	12	VU Online	Nil
HNO7012	Assessment in Mental Health	Core	5	12		

#### Select one (1) elective from this list:

HNO7011	Pharmacology & Therapeutics in Mental Health	Core	4	12	VU Online	Nil
HNO6015	Child and Adolescent Engagement and Assessment	Core	6	12	VU Online	Nil

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