### **Bachelor of Paramedicine**

**COURSE CODE: HBPD (Commencing 1B1 2026)** 

CAMPUS	St Albans (SA)					
COLLEGE	College of Sport, Health and Engineering					
STUDY MODE	Full Time or Part Time					
DURATION	3 years Full Time or Part Time equivalent					
FEE TYPE	For information on course fees, refer to <a href="http://vu.edu.au/fees">http://vu.edu.au/fees</a>					
APPLICATION METHOD	VTAC - https://vtac.edu.au Direct Application - https://gotovu.custhelp.com/app/landing					
TIMETABLE	vu.edu.au/timetables					
COURSE REQUIREMENTS	For 2022 and 2023:  To attain HBPD Bachelor of Paramedicine, students will be required to complete:  • 288 credit points of Core units.					
	From 2024: To attain HBPD Bachelor of Paramedicine, students will be required to complete:  • 276 credit points of Core studies;  • 12 credit points of Electives.					
FURTHER INFORMATION	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					
COURSE CHAIR	Brian Haskins					
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.

**Placement:** The Clinical Learning Office supports the collection and verification of Mandatory Documentation and Placement Allocation for this course via VU WIL. Students requiring support with queries relating to this must contact the <u>Clinical Learning Office</u> for assistance.

**Date of Publication:** This information is accurate as of October 21, 2025 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.



For further course information phone 1300 VICUNI/vu.edu.au Victoria University CRICOS Provider No. 00124K (Melbourne), 02475D (Sydney and Brisbane)

**Strict Sequence:** Your course units must be completed in a strict order, which will be automatically set up for you in MyVU at the start of each year. It is crucial to follow this order when enrolling, as failing to do so may result in significant delays, potentially postponing your course completion by up to a year. If you face any challenges, such as a missing order in MyVU, unit failures, or other obstacles, it is essential to contact a <u>Course and Unit Advisor</u> to ensure your enrolment is properly adjusted.

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#### YEAR 1

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
HFB1001	Cultural Safety	Core	12	SA	
HFB1003	Paramedic Law, Ethics and Professionalism	Core	12	SA	
HBM1001	Anatomy and Physiology 1	Core	12	SA	
HFB1112	Paramedic Clinical Practice 1	Core	12	SA	HBM1001, and HFB1001, and HFB1003
HBM1202	Anatomy and Physiology 2	Core	12	SA	HBM1001
HFB1002	Introduction to Pharmacology	Core	12	SA	HBM1001, and HBM1202
HFB1213	Paramedic Clinical Practice 2	Core	12	SA	HFB1112, and HBM1202, and HFB1001, and HFB1002, and HFB1003
HRE1000	Evidence and Research	Core	12	SA	

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#### YEAR 2

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HFB2001	Clinical Placement 1	Core	12	SA	HFB1213, and HFB1113
HFB2002	Medical Emergencies 1	Core	12	SA	HBM1202, and HFB1002, and HFB1213
HFB2003	Medical Emergencies 2	Core	12	SA	HBM1202, and HFB1002, and HFB1213
HFB2117	Clinical Practice 3	Core	12	SA	HFB1213, and HFB2003, and HFB2002 or HFB2121
HHB2000	Social Epidemiology	Core	12	FP, ORT	
HFB2005	Paramedic Management of Trauma	Core	12	SA	HFB2002, and HFB2003
HFB2223	Clinical Practice 4	Core	12	SA	
HFB2004	Medical Emergencies 3	Core	12	SA	HFB2002, and HFB2003

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#### YEAR 3

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT TYPE	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
HFB3002	Clinical Placement 2	Core	12	SA	HFB2223
HFB3004	Mental Health and Illness	Core	12	SA	HFB2223
HFB3003	Health Across the Lifespan	Core	12	SA	HFB2003, or HFB2233
HFB3134	Paramedic Clinical Practice 5	Core	12	SA	HFB2223, and HFB3135 or HFB3003
HFB3226	Major Incidents	Core	12	SA	HFB3134
HFB3202	Paramedic Health and Wellbeing	Core	12	SA	HFB2223, and HFB3130 or HFB3004
HFB3001	Paramedic Clinical Practice 6	Core	12	SA	HFB3134, and HFB3130 or HFB3004
	Health Elective 1	Elective	12		

### **Health Electives**

UNIT CODE	UNIT TITLE	UNIT Type	CREDIT POINTS	CAMPUS	PRE-REQUISITES
HFB3136	Career and Professional Development	Elective	12	ORT, SA	HFB2223, and HFB2232 or HFB2005, and HFB2233 or HFB2003
HFB3200	Pinnacle Venture	Elective	12	SA	HFB2223
HIP3001	Interprofessional Practice	Elective	12	SA	