

BSc (Hons) Nursing (Adult)



Adult Nursing at Leeds

95% of our students are in work after six months, with 98% agreeing that staff made the subject interesting and 98% got sufficient advice and support.

About the programme

This exciting three year undergraduate programme is designed to develop the next generation of Adult Nurses with the skills and knowledge to work in the dynamic, changing health care environment, at home or abroad.

Programme aims

This programme has been developed to meet both European Directives and the Nursing and Midwifery Council to prepare nurses who are fit for practice, purpose and award. It will equip you to:

- Understand and reflect on current health and social care policy drivers and their impact on service care organisations
- Show the application of current knowledge and research into nursing practice, through the skills of critical reflection and analysis
- Understand the interface between health and social care
- Develop skills that facilitate multi-skilling, interprofessional working, role transferability and lifelong learning
- Work in partnership with service users and carers.

Programme structure

Stage One

The main themes studied are: nursing, health, biological sciences, caring, person centred care and inter-professional learning. You will begin your **practice placement** in a local hospital in the first semester.

Stage Two

This builds on the knowledge and skills gained in year one you will spend an increasing amount of your time in practice, which will enable you to apply theory to practice and develop the knowledge, skills and attitudes to become a qualified practitioner.

You will address issues around health promotion, service user and carer involvement, nursing an adult who is acutely ill and also looking at long term conditions.

Stage Three

This will give you the opportunity to explore clients' complete episodes of care within a variety of settings and develop the skills of managing care experiences.

In addition, a Final year project dissertation enables you to explore an area in depth and analyse the related literature.

Study abroad option

The Programme has an optional module chosen from a selected list, (see over) including a **European or International exchange**.

Programme content

This is a three year full time programme of study which integrates theory and practice. Clinical practice is a fundamental and critical component of the programme.

- You will maintain a Practice Assessment Document and Record of Achievement to demonstrate your clinical development.
- You will work within a variety of settings e.g. home environment, hospitals and the community.
- This will include the opportunity to work within one of the largest NHS providers of health care in the UK.

Entry Requirements

- **GCSEs:** normally 5 GCSE's at grade C or above, to include two science subjects, and maths and English.
- **A Levels (A2):** BBB in any subject, with preference to science subjects including Applied science. General Studies and Critical Thinking are not accepted.
- **BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma (OCF):** Distinction/Distinction/Distinction in: Health and Social Care (Health Sciences);
- **Access to Higher Education in Nursing or Health Science pathway:** a minimum of 45 level 3 credits; 30 of which must be passed at distinction and include 12 credits from Biology or health-related subjects. The remaining level 3 credits must be at Merit. We consider Access Courses to be suitable for applicants aged 21 plus, who have been out of full-time education and have had no previous access to higher education.
- Evidence of study in the last 5 years.

120 credits at level 1 Year 1	120 credits at level 2 Year 2	120 credits at level 3 Year 3
Learning Together Working Together Biological Knowledge for Practice Theory Practice 1 Theory Practice 2	Healthcare Ethics and Law Research for Health Professionals Nursing the Adult with an acute illness Nursing an Adult with a long term condition Theory and Practice 3 Theory and Practice 4	Final year project - Dissertation Module Assessment and Management of Pain Pharmacology Applied to Nursing Theory and Practice 5 Theory and Practice 6 1 x Optional Module (European Nursing Module, International Nursing Module or taught topic from in house delivery)
TRANS-DISCIPLINARY FIRST YEAR	ADULT FIELD CONTENT	

Fees and Bursaries

All tuition fees are currently paid by the NHS. This may change, so please check our website for details.

Students receive a means tested bursary which is paid monthly. All applicants must be eligible for NHS funding.

<http://www.nhsbsa.nhs.uk/Students>.

Applications

Please apply by January 15 to: The Universities and Colleges Admissions Service (UCAS)

Rosehill, New Barn Lane, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire GL52 3LZ

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Further Information

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