New Zealand Diploma in Enrolled Nursing:
Nursing Education to prepare Enrolled Nurses

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2002 Certificate in Enrolled Nursing (Level 4)
Speciality Focus
- Long Term Care and Rehabilitation
Duration 1 year

2004 Certificate in Nursing (Level 4)
Nursing Council of New Zealand regulations changed resulting in change in title to the qualification. Nursing (Level 4)
Speciality Focus – Long Term Care and Rehabilitation
Duration 1 year

2011 Diploma in Enrolled Nursing (Level 5)
NCNZ developed **ONE** scope of practice for all Enrolled Nurses
**Broadened** scope of practice into 3 speciality areas
- Acute Care
- Mental Health
- Rehabilitation
Duration 1..5 years
As a result of a Targeted Review of Qualifications the New Zealand Diploma in Nursing Level 5 was listed with Ara as the qualification developer.

All interested parties collaborated:

- Ara, Manukau Institute of Technology, NorthTec, Southern Institute of Technology, Whitireia Community Polytechnic, Otago Polytechnic, Wintec and UCOL.

Agreement reached on components of course descriptors and assessment methodology.

- Ara Accredited NZQA Programme owner.
- Other tertiary providers to adhere to programme docs.
- NZNC undertake a site visit to the tertiary providers to approve delivery of programme.
New Zealand Diploma in Enrolled Nursing 18 Months Course, commenced 2016 Ara.

Foundation Level 4

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Specialities - Level 5

- Enrolled Nursing Practice: Acute Care  NURS511
- Enrolled Nursing Practice: Mental Health and Addictions  NURS512
- Enrolled Nursing Practice: Rehabilitation  NURS513
### 2.4 Programme Structure

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Leading to the award NQF 2889 Version 1

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**Total Year One:**
- Level: 120
- Credits: 500
- Work Integrated Learning: 1200
- Notional Learning Hours: 1000

**Year Two – Compulsory**

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**Total Year Two:**
- Level: 60
- Credits: 400
- Work Integrated Learning: 600
- Notional Learning Hours: 500

**Totals:**
- Level: 180
- Credits: 900
- Work Integrated Learning: 1800
- Notional Learning Hours: 1500
NURS411 Nursing As A Profession: Enrolled Nursing

General

Nursing as a profession: Enrolled Nursing (NURS411)

This course introduces you to the knowledge underpinning enrolled nurse practice within the discipline of nursing. It explores scopes of nursing practice and nurses’ roles within interdisciplinary teams. You will explore legal and ethical influences on the practice of nursing.

There are a number of ‘Required reading and activities’ and it is essential that you complete these. The topics given to you via the ‘Required reading and activities’ may be in the exam, but more importantly they cover topics and ideas you need as a professional Enrolled nurse.

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Key E-learning Resources and Activities for the Enrolled Nurse Student

EN Scope of Practice

- Scope of Practice - what is it?
- EN ND Enrolled nursing and the law.pdf
- EN The Enrolled Nurse Scope of Practice .pdf
- Informed Consent
- Scope of practice, competencies, social media worksheet..docx
- Nursing Council of New Zealand
- NCNZ EN Scope of Practice
- Competencies for enrolled nurses April 2012.html
- Health Practitioners Competence Assurance Act
- Privacy Act
- Lectures, tutorials, group work and power points

Activities

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Simulation: CPUs
SCOPE OF PRACTICE
Enrolled Nurses are

- Regulated by NCNZ.
- Education preparation (Educational standards NCNZ).
- Pass NCNZ examination for Enrolled Nurses.
- Accountable for their own practice.
- Need to keep within scope of practice.
- Work under the direction & delegation of a RN.
- Be a valued member of the nursing workforce as a regulated EN.
Enrolled nurse

Enrolled nurses practise under the direction and delegation of a registered nurse or nurse practitioner to deliver nursing care and health education across the life span to health consumers in community, residential or hospital settings.

Enrolled nurses contribute to nursing assessments, care planning, implementation and evaluation of care for health consumers and/or families/whanau. The registered nurse maintains overall responsibility for the plan of care.

Enrolled nurses assist health consumers with the activities of daily living, observe changes in health consumers’ conditions and report these to the registered nurse, administer medicines and undertake other nursing care responsibilities appropriate to their assessed competence.

In acute settings, enrolled nurses must work in a team with a registered nurse who is responsible for directing and delegating nursing interventions.

In some settings, enrolled nurses may coordinate a team of health care assistants under the direction and delegation of a registered nurse.

In some settings, enrolled nurses may work under the direction and delegation of a registered health practitioner. In these situations, the enrolled nurse must have registered nurse supervision and must not assume overall responsibility for nursing assessment or care planning.

Enrolled nurses are accountable for their nursing actions and practice competently in accordance with legislation, to their level of knowledge and experience. They work in partnership with health consumers, families/whanau and multidisciplinary teams.

The Nursing Council’s Competencies for Enrolled Nurses describe the skills, knowledge and activities of enrolled nurses.

For more information, see the documents in the right hand downloads box on this page.

*A health practitioner is a person who is registered under the Health Practitioners Competence Assurance Act 2003 – for example, a midwife, medical practitioner, or occupational therapist.
Clinical Initiatives at Ara

- Clinical experience in Primary Health – Medical Centres (Pegasus Health).
- Clinical experience in Community Care.
- Dedicated Educational Units (DEU’s) in all speciality courses.
- Enrolled Nurse Practice: Acute Care Perioperative - Operating Theatre (Burwood Hospital).
Fluid and Medication Administration.
EN responsibilities broadened to the new scope of practice.
New Graduate Enrolled Nurse Orientation - 12 month programme working under the direction and delegation of the RN.
Enrolled Nurse Professional Development options in cardiac nursing, gerontology/medical nursing, oncology, mental health, wound management and InteRai.
Further courses in 2017 will be offered.
Thank you for listening. Any questions