



PUBLIC HEALTH – POSTGRADUATE

Environmental Health



The Graduate Certificate explores current and emerging issues in environmental health globally. Environmental health risk profiling and health risk assessment are features of the program. The course is particularly appropriate for allied health professionals, nurses and occupational and/or environmental physicians. Assignments are relevant to individual students and are related to work/home environments and areas of interest. Offered through part-time online external studies.

Graduate Certificate Environmental Health

Admission Requirement

An undergraduate degree OR
Equivalent work experience. (Attach resume to application form.)

Course Requirements

Units 1 – 3

1. HST5130
Principles of Environmental Health
2. HST5231
Current Issues in Environmental Health
3. HST5117
Communicable Disease

Further Study with Advanced Standing

Professional Master of Occupational and Environmental Safety and Health
Master of Public Health

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Unit Descriptions

HST5130

Principles of Environmental Health

This unit aims to identify, analyse and assess scientific concepts, methods and research concerning environment and human health interactions. The major physical, chemical and biological health hazards of the environment will be examined.

HST5231 (Available Sem 2 only)

Current Issues in Environmental Health

This unit aims to examine the diverse dimensions of environment and human health interactions including scientific, technical, social, economic, political and administrative perspectives. Case studies of current environmental health issues will be used to analyse the dynamic processes involved.

HST5117 Communicable Disease

This unit explores emerging and re-emerging communicable diseases both locally and globally. It recognises the complex interactions that take place between the environment, vectors and humans and how they impact upon disease distribution. Furthermore it explores global dimensions and the role of various organisations in the identification and management of communicable diseases internationally.

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