

Graduate Certificate in Health Science (GradCertHSc) (AK3757)

TE ARA HAUORA MĀORI - MĀORI HEALTH PATH

A Māori health programme at undergraduate degree level which is: accessible to those with work experience in health environments; compatible with continued employment whilst studying; and flexible with regards to the number of papers studied per semester.

Programme commences in semester one and in semester two each year. Block courses require attendance for three weekends per paper. Nga Wai o Horotiu, AUT University marae is available for sleepover on a self serve basis for catering.

PAPERS

Māori Health and Development

Paper 55339, Level 5, 15 points, Block course (Entry point)

Fosters an understanding of Māori concepts of health and their implications for practice in both Māori and mainstream health settings. Provides an overview of historical, political, socio-economic, health service factors that impact on Māori health. Fosters critical enquiry into and reflection on Māori health and links to Māori development.

Māori Health Promotion

Paper 527872, Level 7, 15 points, Block course

Provides a critical overview of concepts fundamental to Māori health and reviews the origins and evolution of Māori health promotion. Fosters understanding and critical analysis of Māori health promotion models and practice. Locates Māori health promotion in relation to Māori developments, generic health promotion and indigenous health promotion. Informs effective health promotion practice in New Zealand in both mainstream and Māori-specific contexts, and within international indigenous contexts.

Applied Primary Māori Mental Health

Paper 567431, Level 7, 15 points, Block course

Provides a critical overview of concepts fundamental to application of Māori mental health in a primary health setting, such as whānau ora, recovery principles, early recognition and early intervention and provides a clear understanding and analysis of their application and impact. Fosters the integration of clinical and Māori cultural competencies to enhance practice. Informs effective Primary Māori mental health practice in New Zealand in mainstream and Māori-specific contexts.

Utilising Supervision in Practice

Paper 567417, Level 7, 15 points, In workplace

Gives a theoretical framework and opportunity to understand and utilise the process of supervision. Facilitates the integration of theory, knowledge and skills developed in other papers and applies these in work settings.

ENROLMENT INFORMATION

Hard copy enrolment only; no online enrolment for this programme. On the enrolment form, the following details are essential:

- Programme: Graduate Certificate in Health Science
- Major: Māori Health
- Programme Code: AK3757

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