



LECTURER

DEPARTMENT/UNITNursing and Midwifery

FACULTY/DIVISION Medicine, Nursing and Health Sciences

CLASSIFICATION Level B

DESIGNATED CAMPUS OR LOCATION Clayton or Peninsula campus

ORGANISATIONAL CONTEXT

At <u>Monash</u>, work feels different. There's a sense of belonging, from contributing to something groundbreaking – a place where great things happen. You know you're part of something special and purposeful because, like Monash, your ambitions drive you to make change.

We have a clear purpose to deliver ground-breaking intensive research; a world-class education; a global ecosystem of enterprise – and we activate these to address some of the <u>challenges</u> of the age, Climate Change, Thriving Communities and Geopolitical Security.

We welcome and value difference and <u>diversity</u>. When you come to work, you can be yourself, be a change-maker and develop your career in exciting ways with curious, energetic, inspiring and committed people and teams driven to make an impact – just like you.

Together with our <u>commitment to academic freedom</u>, you will have access to quality research facilities, infrastructure, world class teaching spaces, and international collaboration opportunities.

We champion an <u>inclusive workplace culture</u> for our staff regardless of ethnicity or cultural background. We have also worked to improve <u>gender equality</u> for more than 30 years. Join the pursuit of our purpose to build a better future for ourselves and our communities <u>-#Changelt</u> with us.

The Faculty of **Medicine**, **Nursing and Health Sciences** is the largest faculty at Monash University, a global university with campuses across Victoria and international locations in Indonesia, Malaysia, China, India and Italy.

Our Faculty offers the most comprehensive suite of professional health training in Victoria, consistently ranked in the top 40 universities worldwide for clinical, pre-clinical and health sciences.

We want to improve the human condition. That is our vision - it has no expiration date. By educating the current and future healthcare workforce, and undertaking medical research, both discovery and clinical, our students, staff and alumni all work to directly improve people's quality of life, reduce health inequality and promote greater health and social outcomes.

We're globally recognised for our quality education of over 63,000 doctors, nurses, and allied health professionals and health researchers. The future health of our communities is underpinned by the sustained excellence of our education and research capabilities.

We are ambitious and committed to maintaining our position as a leading international medical research and teaching university. We're recognised for the quality of our graduates, the scale and depth of our research, our commitment to translational research, and as a thriving biotechnology hub. To learn more about the Faculty, please visit www.monash.edu/medicine.

Our Faculty includes four Sub-Faculties: Health Sciences, Clinical and Molecular Medicine, Biomedical Medicines, and Translational Medicine and Public Health.

Monash Nursing and Midwifery (MNM) is one of the largest schools for the education of nurses and midwives in Australia, MNM offers courses at two Monash campuses – Clayton and Peninsula. The school comprises approximately 3000 students undertaking undergraduate and postgraduate courses using a range of delivery modes. MNM offers high quality tertiary degrees in a vibrant and supportive learning environment to prepare students for a rewarding career in healthcare. MNM aims to build on existing capacity to lead innovative nursing curricula and modes of delivery.

Ranked 3rd in the 2023 Shanghai Global Ranking of Academic subjects for Nursing and equal 1st in Australia, MNM has a proven reputation in the quality of its teaching and research and has played a leadership role in shaping and providing for the education needs of the nursing and midwifery professions and health industry. Programs are developed in collaboration with MNM's professional partners to be responsive to the needs of the healthcare industry and engaging for students. Postgraduate specialisation training prepares students in clinical settings with expert skills and knowledge to be leaders in their fields. A commitment to evidence-based clinical practice ensures the excellent employment rate of graduates.

MNM has an international reputation for excellence in research. Research undertaken by our staff is defined by established expertise and developing emerging practice areas and we lead research endeavours that address health and care across the lifespan. Through close working relationships and formal research collaborations, MNM's research endeavour to make a local, national and international impact.

The MNM research focus concentrates on quality of care and outcomes for health service users and health care professionals, and includes knowledge generation.

Further details may be found at: www.monash.edu/medicine/nursing.

POSITION PURPOSE

A Level B academic is expected to make contributions to the teaching effort of the University and to carry out activities to maintain and develop their scholarly, research and/or professional activities relevant to the profession or discipline.

The Lecturer will engage in specialised teaching, unit management, and clinical engagement for both postgraduate and undergraduate courses.

Reporting Line: The position reports to the Head of School through the relevant performance manager

Supervisory Responsibilities: Not applicable

Financial Delegation: Not applicable

Budgetary Responsibilities: Not applicable

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

Specific duties required of a Level B academic may include:

- 1. The conduct of tutorials, practical classes, demonstrations, workshops, and clinical sessions
- 2. Initiation and development of subject material including preparation and delivery of lectures, workshops and tutorials
- 3. Acting as subject coordinators
- **4.** Supervision of the program of study of honours students or of postgraduate students engaged in course work
- 5. The conduct of research
- 6. Involvement in professional activity
- 7. Development of course material with appropriate advice from and support of more senior staff
- 8. Marking and assessment
- 9. Consultation with students
- **10.** A range of administrative functions the majority of which are connected with the subjects in which the academic teaches
- **11.** Attendance at departmental, school and/or faculty meetings and/or membership of a number of committees
- 12. Other duties as directed from time to time

KEY SELECTION CRITERIA

Education/Qualifications

- The appointee will have:
 - A Masters degree in nursing; and/or
 - a doctoral qualification in nursing or equivalent accreditation and standing; and
 - hold current registration as a Registered Nurse with the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA).

Knowledge and Skills

- 2. Possess a high level of interpersonal skills and demonstrated ability to work independently and as part of a team across both the education and service sectors
- **3.** Ability to work positively and cooperatively with students, internal and external teams and external organisations
- 4. Demonstrated strong record of teaching experience in a tertiary environment
- 5. Demonstrated ability to motivate, actively engage and educate a given audience
- 6. Demonstrated experience in curriculum and subject material development
- 7. Proven ability, commitment and passion for engaging in scholarly and research activities
- 8. A demonstrated capacity to work in a collegiate manner with other staff in the workplace
- **9.** Relevant and current clinical nursing experience in acute care nursing.

OTHER JOB RELATED INFORMATION

- Travel to other campuses of the University may be required
- There may be a requirement to work additional hours from time to time
- There may be peak periods of work during which taking of leave may be restricted
- · A current satisfactory Working with Children Check is required

GOVERNANCE

Monash University expects staff to appropriately balance risk and reward in a manner that is sustainable to its long-term future, contribute to a culture of honesty and integrity, and provide an environment that is safe, secure and inclusive. Ensure you are aware of and adhere to University policies relevant to the duties undertaken and the values of the University. This is a standard which the University sees as the benchmark for all of its activities in Australia and internationally.