How much does it cost?
The total tuition fees charged between UC and CPIT for two year’s enrolment at both institutions for a domestic student will be approximately NZ$20,000 (based on 2015 tuition fee rates). The combined fee for international students is approximately $68,000. Please note that this is subject to approval of the 180 point pathway.
Administration fees, additional course related costs (text books, equipment and NZ Nursing Council examination fee) and student services levy’s from both institutions will also apply.

What jobs do Nursing graduates do?
Having completed the MHealScProFr(Nursing)* and BN programmes graduates will be eligible to register with the Nursing Council of New Zealand and gain employment as a nurse in New Zealand and other countries with experience. The MHealSc, ProFr(Nursing) will give graduates a thorough academic knowledge which may be beneficial to employment but it is important to note that graduates of this joint initiative will be viewed as a beginning nurse, just as graduate nurses from other programmes would be.

Research Pathway
Students who are interested in completing postgraduate research should apply to complete the Master of Health Sciences by thesis. Please note that this pathway requires an additional 60 points and will extend the time required to complete this degree. Those who have completed their Masters by thesis, may be later interested in doctoral study. The University of Canterbury offers a PhD in Health Sciences. Students interested in this pathway should contact the Programme Coordinator for further advice.

More Information
Students with enquiries about the nursing joint programme or their eligibility to enter the programme should contact:

Programme Coordinator
Dr. Alison Dixon
Email: alison.dixon@canterbury.ac.nz

For Master of Health Sciences enquiries (University of Canterbury)
Student Advisor (College of Education)
Ph. (03) 343 9606
Email: educationadvice@canterbury.ac.nz

For Bachelor of Nursing enquiries (CPIT)
Lisa McKay
Academic Manager
Department of Nursing and Human Services
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What will I learn and when?
The following is a guideline of a typical full-time plan of study.

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- HLT468 Acute and Long Term Health Care (3 points/0.25 EFTS)

Year two UC courses
- HLT463 Whānau & Community Health (3 points/0.25 EFTS)
- HLT464 Research Approaches for Health (3 points/0.25 EFTS)

Who is this initiative designed for?
It will be of interest to anyone who wishes to become a nurse. Students are normally required to have a recognised degree in a health related discipline or have completed a qualifying course of study.

Students may be required to attend an interview as part of the application process. A part-time flexible option is available and eligible students may qualify for a student allowance during long clinical blocks.

How do I apply for these programmes?
You will apply to both institutions. If you are accepted to the MHealScProfPr(Nursing) programme, UC will advise CPIT and your enrolment in the BN will be adjusted accordingly.

To enrol in UC’s MHealScProfPr(Nursing) applicants should submit an application online via myUC: https://myuc.canterbury.ac.nz. If you need any assistance enrolling please call our contact centre on 0800 827 748 or email enrol@canterbury.ac.nz.

To apply for the BN degree visit the CPIT website (www.cpit.ac.nz/study-options/application-and-enrolment) for further information.

*Nursing

Subject to CUAP approval