

HONG KONG METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY
(Formerly The Open University of Hong Kong)

Programme Requirements for Bachelor of Nursing with Honours in Mental Health Care (BNHMJ1)

To be eligible for the award of the **Bachelor of Nursing with Honours in Mental Health Care**, a student shall obtain the required number of credits specified, in courses prescribed and detailed in the course tables below.

For students admitted in the 2021/22 academic year or thereafter, please refer to Page 1 to 2.

For students admitted before the 2021/22 academic year, please refer to Page 3 to 4.

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For students admitted via Year 1 entry in or after 2021/22, via Year 2 entry in or after 2022/23 and via Year 3 entry in or after 2023/24, they must complete the four University Core Values Modules, namely Core Value I (Integrity), Core Value II (Fairness), Core Value III (Perseverance), and Core Value IV (Innovation) for graduation.

A student admitted to the programme is required to complete a total of 200 credits as prescribed below, of which no more than 50 credits should be taken at Foundation Level:

1. 180 credits of core courses in Table 1; and
2. 20 credits of purpose-designed General Education courses[#] in which 10 credits should be taken at Middle level.

[#] *Note: Please refer to the updated list of purpose-designed General Education courses posted on the University website (www.hkmu.edu.hk/FT_GE).*

Table 1: Core Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level	Course Group for Honours Classification
BSCIA212F	Applied Psychology in Nursing	5	Middle	b
BSCIA213F	Sociology of Health in Nursing	5	Middle	b
ENGL E101F	Effective Use of English I	5	Foundation	-
ENGL E200F	English for Effective Communication II: Reading and Writing	5	Middle	-
NURS N103F	Fundamental Nursing Practice	10	Foundation	-
NURS N106F	Nursing Therapeutics in Mental Health Nursing I	5	Foundation	-
NURS N109F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) I	5	Foundation	-
NURS N110F	Fundamentals of Anatomy and Physiology	10	Foundation	-

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level	Course Group for Honours Classification
NURS N111F	Fundamentals of Microbiology and Pharmacology	5	Foundation	-
NURS N209F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) II	5	Middle	-
NURS N211F	Health Assessment	5	Middle	b
NURS N216F	Nursing Therapeutics in Mental Health Nursing II	10	Middle	b
NURS N219F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) III	10	Middle	-
NURS N226F	Nursing Therapeutics in Mental Health Nursing III	10	Middle	b
NURS N230F	Health Promotion and Education	5	Middle	b
NURS N232F	Specialty Nursing (Mental Health Care) I	10	Middle	b
NURS N307F	Nursing Management	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N309CF	中醫及另類醫療護理學	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N310F	Professional Nursing Practice	10	Higher	a or b
NURS N319F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) IV	10	Higher	-
NURS N320F	Nursing Research I	10	Higher	a or b
NURS N326F	Nursing Therapeutics in Mental Health Nursing IV	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N332F	Specialty Nursing (Mental Health Care) II	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N419F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) V	10	Higher	-
NURS N420F	Nursing Research II	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N426F	Interprofessional Learning in Care Delivery (Mental Health Care)	5	Higher	a or b

Honours Classification

For the purpose of the honours classification of the **Bachelor of Nursing with Honours in Mental Health Care** programme, relevant courses are categorized as Groups (a) and (b) as shown in Table 1 above. The weighted grade point average (WGPA) will be calculated as follows:

- (1) Group (a) shall consist of the best 40 credits in courses at Higher level.
- (2) Group (b) shall consist of the best 40 credits in courses at Middle or Higher level, where such credits are not taken into account in Group (a).
- (3) Group (a) and (b) courses carry equal weighting when calculating WGPA.

For students admitted before the 2021/22 academic year

A student admitted to the programme is required to complete a total of 200 credits as prescribed below, of which no more than 50 credits should be taken at Foundation Level:

1. 180 credits of core courses in Table 2; and
2. 20 credits of purpose-designed General Education courses[#] in which 10 credits should be taken at Middle level.

[#] *Note: Please refer to the updated list of purpose-designed General Education courses posted on the University website (www.hkmu.edu.hk/FT_GE).*

Table 2: Core Courses

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level	Course Group for Honours Classification
BSCI A123F ¹	Sociology for Nurses: Principles and Application	5	Foundation	-
BSCI A124F ¹	Psychology for Nurses: Principles and Application	5	Foundation	-
ENGL E101F	Effective Use of English I	5	Foundation	-
ENGL E200F ³	English for Effective Communication II: Reading and Writing	5	Middle	-
NURS N101F	Human Anatomy and Physiology	10	Foundation	-
NURS N103F	Fundamental Nursing Practice	10	Foundation	-
NURS N109F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) I	5	Foundation	-
NURS N203F ²	Nursing Therapeutics (Mental Health Care) I	10	Middle	b
NURS N208F	Health Promotion	5	Middle	b
NURS N209F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) II	5	Middle	-
NURS N211F	Health Assessment	5	Middle	b
NURS N214F	Nursing Therapeutics (Mental Health Care) II	10	Middle	b
NURS N219F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) III	10	Middle	-
NURS N221F	Behavioural and Social Sciences for Nurses	5	Middle	b
NURS N228F	Specialty Nursing (Mental Health Care)	10	Middle	b
NURS N307F	Nursing Management	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N309CF	中醫及另類醫療護理學	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N310F	Professional Nursing Practice	10	Higher	a or b
NURS N311F	Primary Health Care	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N313F	Nursing Research	5	Higher	a or b
NURS N314F	Nursing Therapeutics (Mental Health Care) III	5	Higher	a or b

Course Code	Course Title	Credits	Course Level	Course Group for Honours Classification
NURS N319F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) IV	10	Higher	-
NURS N401F	Nursing Project	10	Higher	a or b
NURS N414F	Integrated Nursing (Mental Health Care)	10	Higher	a or b
NURS N419F	Clinical Practicum (Mental Health Care) V	10	Higher	-

Notes:

- BSCI A121F has been replaced by BSCI A123F and BSCI A124F from the academic year 2013/2014 onwards. If students have successfully completed BSCI A121F, they are deemed to have satisfied the requirements of BSCI A123F and BSCI A124F.*
- NURS N114F has been replaced by NURS N203F from the academic year 2014/2015 onwards.*
- ENGL E102F has been replaced by ENGL E200F from the academic year 2014/2015 onwards.*
- Students admitted in 2012/2013 cohort have been approved to take 65 credits of Foundation Level courses.*

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