



INTERNATIONAL MEDICAL UNIVERSITY
MALAYSIA

NURSING

**SCHOOL OF
HEALTH SCIENCES**

2019



What Is IMU's Nursing Programme About?

Overview

The Nursing degree is a 4-year full-time programme which prepares a student to become a registered nurse, qualified to practise in a variety of settings in either the public or private healthcare sectors.

Students are provided with opportunities to learn a whole range of nursing skills in addition to acquiring knowledge related to nursing practice. To that end, IMU has an integrated Clinical Skills and Simulation Centre (CSSC) which simulates clinical environment ward setting. Here, students can obtain the requisite nursing skills before their clinical postings. In addition, students gain clinical experience through attachments at public and private hospitals and postings in community health centres.

Students are supervised and guided by nurse educators from IMU and health practitioners from the public and private sectors.

DEGREE / DURATION

**Bachelor of Nursing (Hons)
(IMU) — 4 years**

COMMENCEMENT

September

A Word from the Programme Director

“Caring remains the essence of nursing. It is the caring behaviour and practices that distinguish nursing from other professions. The IMU Nursing degree programme has been planned to prepare a person to become a registered nurse and to be able to practise his or her profession in a variety of settings — in the public or private sector healthcare system as well as in other health-related industries.”

LEELA VERUTHARAJAH — Senior Lecturer & Programme Director
Master Medical Sciences (PH) (UM), BON(Edith Cowan Aust), Adv. Cert. MCH Teaching (UM),
Midwifery Part 1 (MOH), RN

How Does the Programme Work?

Nursing Programme Structure

SEMESTER

1

Human biology
Sociology
Psychology
Biochemistry and Biophysics
Microbiology and Parasitology
Nursing Frameworks
Professionalism & Interpersonal skills

SEMESTER

2

Fundamentals of Nursing
Nursing informatics and Health Economics
Health Assessment
Pharmacology
Pathophysiology
Statistics for health professionals
Environmental health and Patient safety

SEMESTER

3

Medical surgical Nursing IA (respiratory, throat, cardiovascular, Haemopoietic)
Medical Surgical Nursing IB (Gastrointestinal, hepatobiliary System ; Endocrine system)
Critical thinking & Decision Making
Clinical practice IA and IB
Client teaching, Health promotion & Wellness (incl. Primary Health Care)

SEMESTER

4

Medical surgical Nursing II A (Neurological musculoskeletal systems)
Medical Surgical Nursing II B (Renal; Reproductive)
Clinical practice IIA and IIB
Politics in Nursing
Law and Ethics

SEMESTER

5

Medical surgical Nursing III A (Eye, Ear, Nose and Integumentary)
Medical surgical III B (Emergency & Disaster Preparedness, Critical Care & Perioperative Nursing)
Maternal, Newborn & Child health nursing
Clinical practice III A
Clinical practice III B
Clinical practice (Maternal, Newborn and Child health nursing)
Research and Evidence based nursing

SEMESTER

6

Healthy Ageing
Mental Health Nursing
Community Health Nursing
Management and Leadership and Quality assurance project
Research Project 1

SEMESTER

7

* Nursing elective:
Coronary
Intensive care
Infection control
Palliative Care Nursing
Healthy Ageing
Perioperative Nursing
Renal
Nursing Financial Management (non- core)
Teaching and Learning
Research project II
Elective - non nursing (100% project) (core)

SEMESTER

8

* Nursing elective Clinical practice:
Coronary
Intensive care
Infection control
Palliative Care
Healthy Ageing
Perioperative
Renal
Transition to practice I
Transition to practice II

The curriculum is reviewed periodically and is subject to change.

The MPU modules are compulsory modules imposed by Ministry of Higher Education under the Private Higher Educational Institutions Act 1996 (Act 555). All students must take these modules and pass as a prerequisite for the award of the degree.

Assessment

Students will be assessed through various assessment methods i.e. class tests, quizzes, written tests / examinations, practical reports, practical assessment, assignments, Objective Structured Clinical Examination (OSCE), projects, portfolios, reflective journals, clinical assessment presentation, case studies, classroom and client teaching assessment.

Recognition of Degree

Many countries require nurses to have a degree as the entry level into the nursing profession. Nurses with a degree are able to secure a high position in their workplace in Malaysia. IMU's Nursing degree is recognised in Malaysia and overseas.

The IMU Nursing graduates are employed in different parts of the world. Some of the graduates are working in Qatar, Saudi Arabia and Singapore and in different healthcare institutions and private companies in Malaysia.

A number of graduates from IMU are pursuing their postgraduate degree overseas in the United States of America, the United Kingdom, Singapore and Japan, and locally in Malaysia.

Career Pathway

Nursing is the promotion and optimisation of health and abilities of individuals, prevention of illness and injury, alleviation of suffering through the diagnosis and treatment of human response and advocacy in the care of individuals, families, communities, and populations. It involves assisting the individual, sick or well, in the performance of those activities contributing to health or its recovery. Nursing is the caring behaviour and practices that distinguish nursing from other professions.

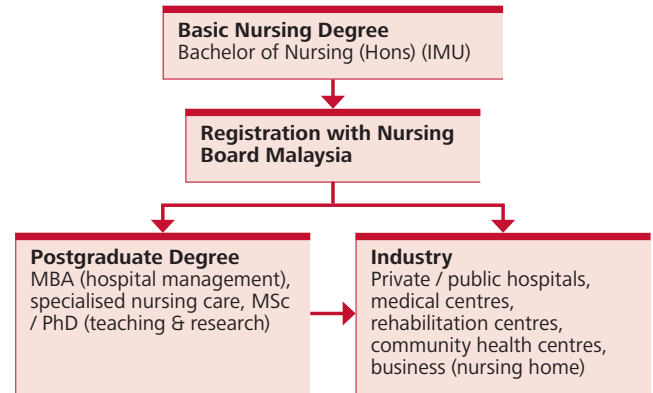
A Nursing graduate registered with the Nursing Board Malaysia receives high recognition locally and overseas. There is a great demand for nurses in Malaysia and in other countries hence more nurses need to be trained to cater for the shortage of nurses globally.

After graduating with a bachelor's degree in Nursing, the graduate can choose to work as a registered nurse or pursue advanced diploma or post basic specialisation in maternity, orthopaedic, critical care nursing, renal nursing, perioperative nursing, community nursing, gerontology nursing and more. Graduates can also choose to further their studies at the master's and doctoral (PhD) level.

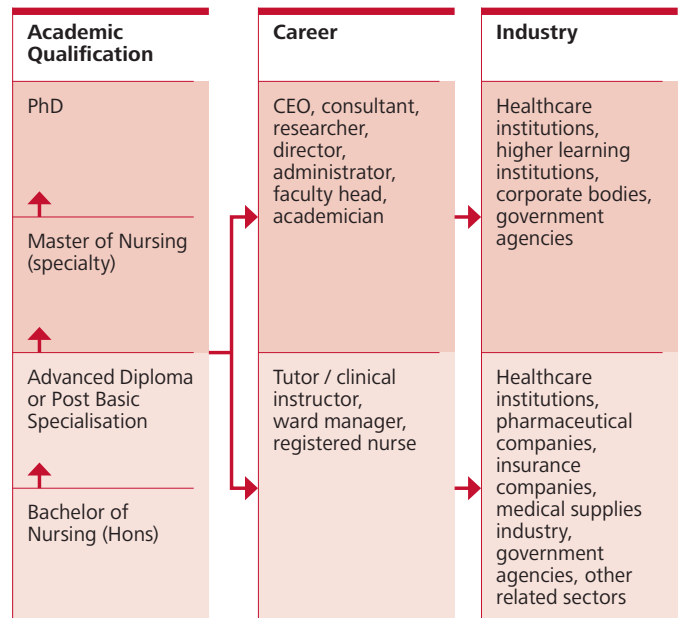
Financial Aid

Sponsorships from local hospitals and hospitals in Singapore are available for eligible students. For more information, please refer to the University.

CAREER PATHS FOR NURSES IN MALAYSIA



AREAS & SCOPE OF WORK OF NURSES



Why Study Nursing at IMU?

1

An Established Private Healthcare University

IMU is Malaysia's first and most established private medical and healthcare university with over 26 years of dedicated focus in healthcare education. IMU achieved the SETARA-2017 Tier 6 status (Outstanding) under the Mature University category.

2

Build Your Future Healthcare Professional Network

As IMU offers the widest range of healthcare programmes, our students are fully immersed in a vibrant community of students and practitioners from all healthcare fields. This allows for the development of strong friendship amongst peers that will be the foundation of an extensive healthcare professional network upon graduation.

3

Curriculum Benchmarked to International Standards

IMU's Nursing curriculum has been developed and delivered by well-qualified and experienced faculty to meet high international standards and global needs.

4

Better Preparation for Patient Care

With clinical exposure in both private and public hospitals and agencies, graduates are better prepared to deliver safe and effective care to the community in a variety of healthcare agencies.

5

Opportunities to Work Overseas

With a high demand for nurses worldwide, graduates of our Nursing programme would have an advantage in finding a job once they are registered with the Nursing Board Malaysia.

How Much Does It Cost?

Nursing Programme Fees

All fees quoted are in Ringgit Malaysia unless stated otherwise.

FEES OVERVIEW

Fee	Amount (RM)	
	Malaysian Student	International Student
Application Fee	150	500
Registration Fee	850	2,000
Refundable Caution Deposit	1,000	1,000
Tuition Fee	84,000	88,400

- Application fee is payable upon submission of application.
- Registration fee and refundable caution deposit are payable upon acceptance of the offer letter issued by the IMU Admissions Office.
- As stipulated by Malaysian Ministry of Higher Education, international students will have to pay Student Visa Application fee of RM1,000 and Medical Health Check fee of RM250 and Visa endorsement fee (depending on nationality) upon registration.
- International students will also be required to pay Student Visa Renewal Administrative fee of RM140/year and Medical Health Check fee of RM250/year.
- Students must adhere to the "Policy on Payment of Fees".
- All students are required to pay Student Association Fees of RM40 per semester.

FEES BY PROGRAMME ROUTE

Programme Route	Total Duration (years)	At International Medical University (IMU)					
		Years	Total Semesters	Tuition Fee			
				Per Semester		Total	
				Malaysian Student	International Student	Malaysian Student	International Student
Bachelor of Nursing (Hons) (IMU)	4	4	8	10,500	11,050	84,000	88,400

- All fees are accurate at time of print. For latest fees and information, please go to www.imu.edu.my.

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Programmes at IMU

Pre-University

Foundation in Science
KPT/JPT(R/010/3/0186)09/2023

Undergraduate

Medicine
KPT/JPT(R2/721/6/0033)09/2026

Psychology
KPT/JPT(R2/311/6/0013)09/2022

Dentistry
KPT/JPT(R2/724/6/0010)01/2023

Pharmacy
KPT/JPT(R2/727/6/0050)09/2026

Pharmaceutical Chemistry
KPT/JPT(R2/442/6/0003)01/2023

Dietetics with Nutrition
KPT/JPT(R2/726/6/0021)09/2022

Nutrition
KPT/JPT(R/726/6/0011)06/2022

Biomedical Science
KPT/JPT(R2/421/6/0011)09/2022

Medical Biotechnology
KPT/JPT(R2/545/6/0014)09/2022

Chiropractic
KPT/JPT(R/726/6/0054)08/2026

Chinese Medicine
KPT/JPT(R/721/6/0059)01/2020

Nursing
KPT/JPT(R/723/6/0125)04/2020

Nursing Science
(for registered nurses)
KPT/JPT(R2/723/6/0101)01/2024

Postgraduate

Acupuncture (MSc)
KPT/JPT(N/721/7/0071)03/2022

Analytical & Pharmaceutical
Chemistry (MSc)
KPT/JPT(R-CDL/442/7/0001)01/2022

Business Administration in
Healthcare Management
(Postgraduate Certificate/Master)
KPT/JPT(N/345/7/1082)9/2023
KPT/JPT(N/345/7/1085)10/2023

Diabetes Management & Education
(Postgraduate Diploma)
KPT/JPT(N/726/7/0030)02/2023

Health Professions Education (HPE)
(Postgraduate Certificate/
Postgraduate Diploma/Master)
KPM/JPT(N/145/7/0066)09/2020
KPM/JPT(N/145/7/0064)09/2020
KPM/JPT(N/145/7/0070)09/2020

Implant Dentistry (Postgraduate Diploma)
KPT/JPT(N/724/7/0019)06/2021

Molecular Medicine (MSc)
KPT/JPT(R/545/7/0078)07/2022

Pharmacy Practice (Master)
KPT/JPT(N/727/7/0051)03/2019

Public Health (MSc)
KPT/JPT(R/720/7/0077)09/2020

Medical & Health Sciences
(MSc & PhD by Research)
KPT/JPT(R/721/8/0043)01/2020
KPT/JPT(R2/720/7/0049)06/2026



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