

Postgraduate studies



Why choose USC?

It's the best of both worlds. Students choose USC for its industry focused degrees, experienced academics, student support and relaxed campus atmosphere.



Master of Health Promotion

- Broaden your understanding of health and wellbeing
- Qualify to work as a health promotion practitioner
- Flexible study modes help you manage your commitments

Work proactively with people to address the determinants of health and wellbeing.



Based on a socio-ecological model of health and explores contemporary health promotion at individual, group, organisation, community and population levels. Core study concepts include public health foundations, principles of health promotion; the assessment of health needs; and the planning, implementation and evaluation of health promotion programs, health promotion settings, epidemiology and quantitative and qualitative research approaches.

The Master of Health Promotion is designed for those looking to work in designated health promotion roles, or for those wanting to develop deeper knowledge and skills in health promotion to complement their current roles.

The program gives you the flexibility to study courses on campus, online or a mixture of the two delivery modes. You can change study modes at any time during your program. Teaching, learning and assessment items develop your theoretical knowledge and understanding through the completion of practical and creative tasks.

If you choose to exit the masters program after completing a specific eight courses (96 units), you may be awarded a Graduate Diploma in Health Promotion. Students must have completed all the requirements of the Graduate Diploma to be awarded this program. Please note that there is no direct entry into the Graduate Diploma.

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

Graduates may be employed as health promotion practitioners in a number of settings including:

- community-based organisations (eg women's health centres)
- health departments (eg federal and state levels)
- health promotion foundations (eg VicHealth, Healthway)
- health-related peak bodies (eg ACOSS, NACCHO)
- international agencies (eg World Health Organisation)
- local governments
- major non-government organisations (eg anti-cancer funds)
- other government departments (eg education, transport)
- local or overseas aid agencies (eg Oxfam)
- private industry
- professional associations
- universities





ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

A student entering the Master of Health Promotion will normally be required to hold a Bachelor's degree (AQF Level 7), or equivalent, from a recognised higher education institution. Entry by non-graduates who have extensive relevant industry experience may be considered on a case-by-case basis by the Head of School, School of Health and Sport Sciences.

PROFESSIONAL RECOGNITION

Graduates are eligible for membership of the Australian Health Promotion Association, the Public Health Association of Australia, and the International Union for Health Promotion and Education.

FEES

For the most up-to-date information on postgraduate coursework fees visit the website: www.usc.edu.au/fees

■ Master of Health Promotion

Duration: 2 years full-time, or equivalent part-time

Commence: Semester 1 or Semester 2 Study mode: on campus (multi-modal), online

Total courses: 16 (192 units)

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option is available to international students on a Student visa. Comprehensive program information: www.usc.edu.au/SC713

ENQUIRIES

Application and admission information:

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