

Pathways into a career in healthcare

Vocational Education
and Training in Schools
(VETiS) Programs



**Make a
difference
in someone's
life, every
day...**



Studying with Mater Education

Mater Education is a unique and specialised healthcare education and training provider, and Queensland's only accredited, hospital-based, independent Registered Training Organisation (RTO).

Our students learn contemporary best practice and have a rare opportunity to gain experience across some of Mater's exceptional hospitals and

healthcare services, and our carefully chosen hospital, aged care and community care partners.

We offer a range of courses to help you kick-start a rewarding career in healthcare, develop and deliver our own course material, in a world-class simulation facility and learning environment, supported by a team of expert clinicians and educators.



Practical learning

Combined theoretical and simulation-based learning provide a balanced approach, to strengthen your understanding, confidence and capability in delivering contemporary best-practice care.



Expert guidance

Highly qualified educators, clinical facilitators and student services team to support you every step of the way.



Hands-on experience

Workplace visits and placement give you first-hand insight into Mater's exceptional hospitals and our carefully chosen health and community care partners.

A dedicated pathway for senior students interested in pursuing a career in health

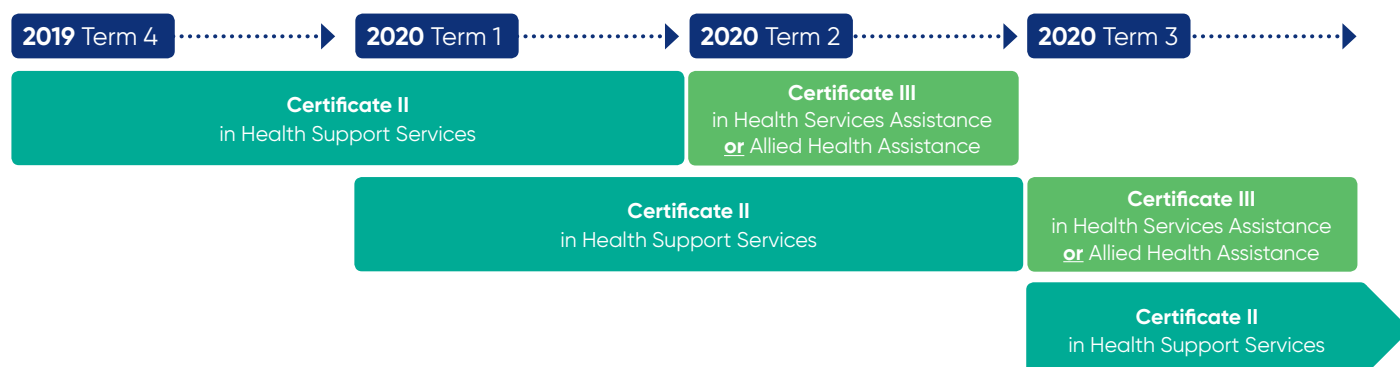
Mater Education is proud to offer a Vocational Education and Training in Schools (VETiS) program for senior students who are interested in the health industry.

Students will have the opportunity to study on-site in a real hospital environment and gain first-hand experience in an acute hospital setting, working alongside qualified healthcare professionals.

The program is designed to give students the ability to develop an understanding of medical

terminology, anatomy, communication and team work, and establish a solid foundation on which to build their healthcare career after Year 12.

The program will deliver a Certificate II in Health Support Services over six months, with the option to obtain a Certificate III in Health Services Assistance or Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance via a three month gap program.



Program Delivery

The program is open to students from Year 10 – Year 12, and is available to commence at the beginning of each school term (except term two). All students must obtain approval from their school and their parent/guardian to be able to participate.

Students completing the Certificate II in Health Support Services will be required to attend weekly vocational classes away from school (one day per week for two terms), and a compulsory workplace visit (two days) towards the end of the program.

Those who pursue the Certificate III Gap Program (either in Health Services Assistance or Allied Health Assistance) will continue weekly vocational classes (one day per week for an additional term), and a block of vocational placement (up to 10 days) during school holidays.

How to apply

Register your interest online, at matereducation.qld.edu.au/VETiS

Locations

Students may choose to study at one of three dedicated locations:

Mater Education South Brisbane Campus
Raymond Terrace, South Brisbane Qld 4101

Mater Education Springfield Hub
WesTEC Trade Training Centre
110 Nev Smith Drive, Springfield Qld 4300

Mater Education Mitchelton Hub
Brisbane North West Trade Training Centre
Turnbull Street, Mitchelton Qld 4053

While we will endeavour to accommodate your preferred location, start date and contact days, these will all be subject to availability and will be negotiated with your school upon enrolment.



Essential details

VETiS Program

Qualification	HLT23215 Certificate II in Health Support Services
Duration	Six months
Fees	Full fee (non-funded) \$3050
Funding and additional costs	Eligible students are able to access VETiS funding* for the full Certificate II fee. <i>*funded by the Queensland Government's VET Investment Plan.</i>
Course structure	One day per week over 20 weeks (two terms) Compulsory workplace visit (2 days) at one of Mater's exceptional hospitals
Workplace visit/vocational experience	Workplace visit: 2 days towards the end of the program All students are required to participate in a workplace visit over two days, to one of Mater's exceptional hospitals.
Campus locations	South Brisbane, Springfield, Mitchelton
Entry requirements	To be accepted to study the Certificate III gap program, students must satisfy the following requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• must be in year 10, 11 or 12• obtain approval from your school and parent/guardian• have a laptop or portable device with internet access (Wi-Fi available on campus)• have basic computer skills• meet literacy and numeracy requirements.

Additional programs

Students who identify as Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander are eligible to take part in the "Deadly Start: Education to Employment" program, delivered in partnership with Metro North Hospital and Health Services (MNHHS).

For more information, visit

matereducation.qld.edu.au/VETiS/Deadly-Start

Pathways / ongoing study

Mater Education offers a number of qualifications in healthcare that students may wish to study upon completion of year 12:


- Diploma of Nursing (HLT54115)
- Certificate III in Individual Support (CHC33015)
- Certificate III in Pathology Collection (HLT37215)
- Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance (HLT33015)
- Certificate III in Health Services Assistance (HLT33115)
- and more

VETiS Gap Program: pathways for continued study with Mater Education (optional)

Qualification	HLT33115 Certificate III in Health Services Assistance	HLT33015 Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance
Duration	Three months (optional)	Three months (optional)
Fees	\$750	\$750
Funding and additional costs	As part of the program you may also require: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • closed-in black shoes and black tailored pants or skirt (knee-length, preferably with pockets) • National Police Record Check 	
Course structure	One day per week over 10 weeks (one term) Compulsory vocational placement (5 days) in one of Mater's exceptional hospitals	One day per week over 10 weeks (one term) Compulsory vocational placement (10 days) in one of Mater's exceptional hospitals or community and health care partners
Workplace visit/vocational experience	Vocational placement: 5 days during school holidays (compusory) Areas may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • acute medical • acute surgical • acute rehabilitation • ward services 	Vocational placement: 10 days during school holidays (80 hours; compulsory) Areas may include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • physiotherapy • occupational therapy • podiatry • social work • speech pathology
Campus locations	South Brisbane, Springfield, Mitchelton	Mater South Brisbane Campus only
Entry requirements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To be accepted to study the Certificate III gap program, students must satisfy the following requirements: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • have successfully completed the Certificate II in Health Support Services • obtain approval from your school and parent/guardian • have a laptop or portable device with internet access (Wi-Fi available on campus) • have basic computer skills • meet literacy and numeracy requirements • satisfactorily complete a National Police Record Check • provide proof of immunity (or obtain necessary vaccinations) for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> – Hepatitis B – Varicella (chicken pox) – MMR (measles, mumps and rubella) – Pertussis (whooping cough) – seasonal vaccinations as required (eg. influenza). 	


If you're passionate
about a career in
healthcare, we'd love
to hear from you.



 07 3163 1500

 education@mater.org.au

 matereducation.qld.edu.au

 Level 4 Duncombe
Building, Raymond Terrace
South Brisbane QLD 4101

Australian
Qualifications
Framework 


NATIONALLY RECOGNISED
TRAINING

© 2019 Mater Education Limited

RTO 5210 | ACN 148 130 349
Information and fees correct as at June 2019.
MHS-806-07458