

# Bachelor of Nursing Science - Bachelor of Midwifery



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- ✔ Gain confidence to work in professional environments by working in JCU's well-equipped clinical simulation laboratories, studying nursing and midwifery practical skills from your first year of study.
- ✔ Build your knowledge and skills through extensive supervised professional practices while being supported throughout your degree by JCU's experienced nurses and midwives.
- ✔ Extensive professional placement and continuity of midwifery care experiences throughout the course enables real-life clinical practice in rural, remote and tropical Australia.

## COURSE DETAILS:

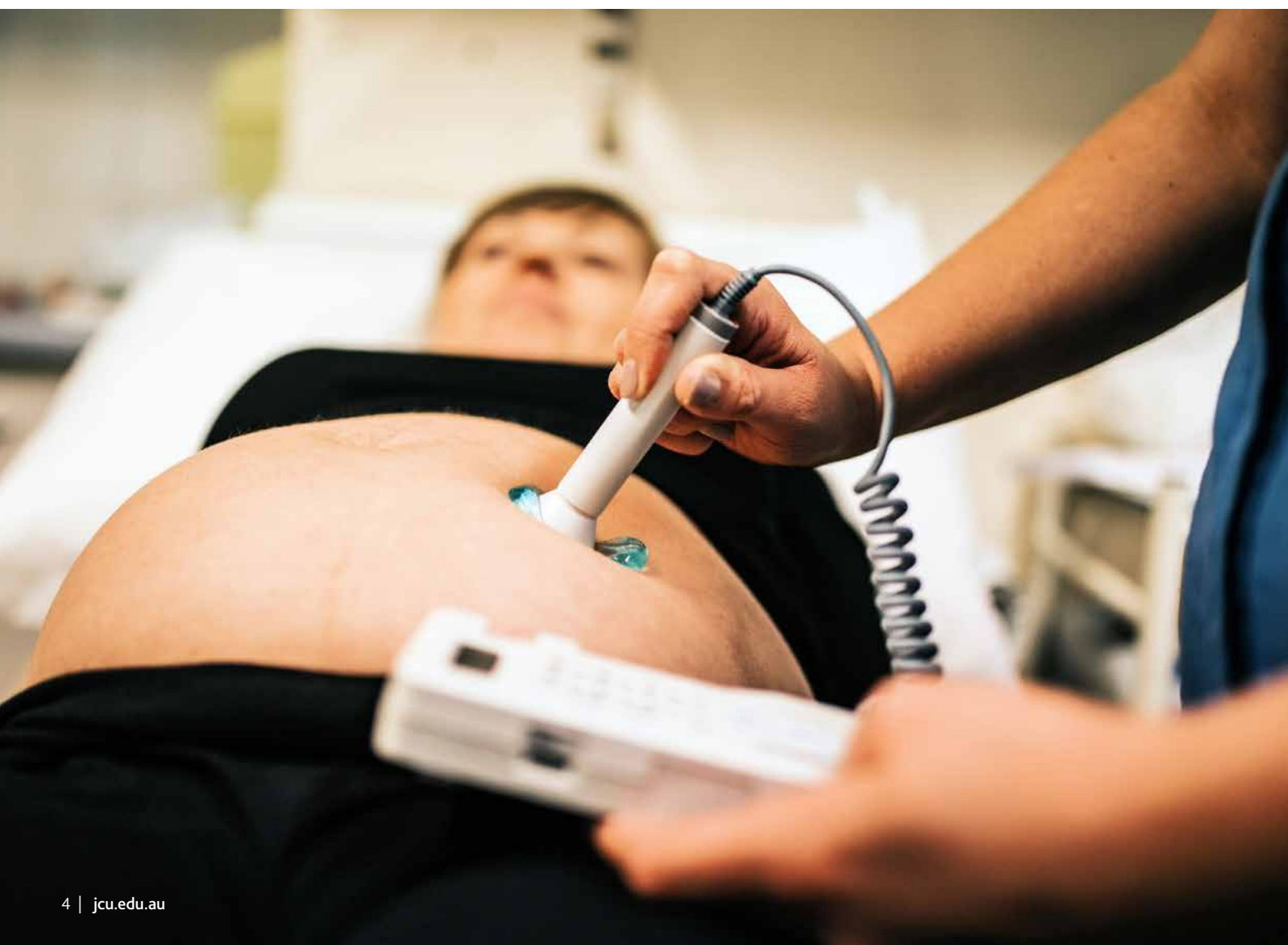
<b>Locations:</b>	Townsville
<b>Start Dates:</b>	February
<b>Duration:</b>	4 years full-time, part-time available in first year
<b>ATAR:</b>	80.6   English (Units 3/4,C)
<b>OP:</b>	10   English (4,SA)
<b>Desirable:</b>	Biology, Chemistry or Maths B (4,SA) or Mathematical Methods (Units 3/4)

Please visit the [handbook](#) for a detailed outline of the course structure. Note: Information is for domestic students only

# Experience has no substitute

Be ready today for tomorrow when you study a joint degree that will provide you with a foundation to build a rewarding and impactful career. Through practice in JCU's well-equipped clinical simulation laboratories, you will learn how to apply the theoretical knowledge you have learned to real-world scenarios. As a JCU Nursing and Midwifery graduate, you will be equipped with the practical skills and knowledge to provide people with the health care they seek in any clinical setting as a member of the multi-discipline health care team.

When you study nursing and midwifery at JCU, you will learn extensive theoretical knowledge of the science and art of nursing and midwifery. The practical experience and theoretical knowledge gained during the course will prepare you to confidently commence nursing and midwifery career in home, community and hospital settings.



*“It’s a great course that I would highly recommend to anyone who has an interest in Nursing and/or midwifery. The rural and remote element incorporated into these degrees has given me a new insight into health care, which many other universities don’t include. I chose to study at JCU for these reasons as well as the wonderful feedback I had heard from other friends and graduates about this university. The dedicated staff members and support networks have been phenomenal, as well as the vast range of placement opportunities offered right from first year.”*

**Georgia Dennis-Smith**

BACHELOR OF NURSING SCIENCE - BACHELOR MIDWIFERY

*“Graduates of the Bachelor of Nursing Science-Bachelor of Midwifery are highly sought after. All of the graduates of last year, and the year before, and the year before that had offers in the places they wanted to work – many of them had multiple offers. The course has a strong rural and remote focus aimed to develop a skilled, adaptable and resilient nursing and midwifery workforce committed to improving access to health care and health outcomes.”*

**Dr Marie McAuliffe**

BACHELOR OF NURSING SCIENCE - BACHELOR OF  
MIDWIFERY COURSE COORDINATOR



## Career Opportunities

The nursing and midwifery joint degree opens many career paths. Graduates work in hospitals and a variety of healthcare settings and are eligible for professional registration in Australia as a General Nurse and Midwife.

Your nursing career pathway could include intensive care, emergency, neurology, orthopaedics, radiology, communicable diseases, research, paediatrics, and special care nurseries. Your midwifery career could include autonomous practice in private or group practice settings where you will provide continuity of care to women during their pregnancy, labour, birth and the postnatal period.





# JCU Accommodation

Study and live in some of the most interesting places in the world. Townsville is on the doorstep of the Great Barrier Reef, magnificent rainforests, the savannah region and Outback Australia.

Living on-campus is a great way to make the most of your time at JCU. With five different accommodation options at JCU Townsville, housing over 1,200 students, living on-campus is a great place to make new friends and immerse yourself into the JCU culture. All rooms at our on-campus residences are single board, with a single bed, study desk, chair, fan, air-conditioning and Wi-Fi. Each residence is different in regards to style of living, culture and atmosphere. There are options for fully catered or self-catered housing. Find out more at [jcu.edu.au/accommodation](https://www.jcu.edu.au/accommodation)



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