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*POST BASIC
CERTIFICATE IN*
**GERONTOLOGY
NURSING**

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**FACULTY OF
MEDICINE,
BIOSCIENCE
& NURSING**

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Nurses dispense comfort, compassion, and caring without even a prescription

– Val Saintsbury

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OVERVIEW

This programme aims to produce nurses who are professional, knowledgeable and competent in providing safe and skilful gerontology nursing care, while making them fulfil their professional career in competitive global market in the care of the aged. It encompasses the study of the mental, physical and social characteristics of older adults and how these factors are impacted by the aging process. Gerontology provides medical treatment and strategies for disease prevention to older adults.

DURATION OF COURSE

6 months – full time course

Intake in April and October

Method of delivery: Conventional (Traditional, online and Blended learning)

PROGRESSION PATHWAY

Upon completion of this course, graduates will be able to pursue a Degree, Masters and PHD in Gerontology Nursing.



PROGRAMME STRUCTURE

Components of the program and its Credit Value

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| 1. | Basic Medical Sciences | 2 Credit |
| 2. | Behavioural Sciences | 2 Credit |
| 3. | Nursing Sciences | 10 Credit |
| 4. | Clinical placement | 6 Credit |

Program Structure

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| 1. | Lecture/Theory | - 11 weeks |
| 2. | Midterm exam | - 1 week |
| 3. | Clinical Placement | - 12 weeks |
| 4. | Exam and OSCE and evaluation | - 2 weeks |

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Malaysian candidates:

- Diploma in Nursing from a recognised institution by MNB (Malaysian Nursing Board)
- Registered with MNB
- Possess current Annual Practising Certificate (APC) for Nurses from MNB
- Minimum two (2) years clinical working experience.

International candidates:

- Diploma in Nursing from a recognised institution by MNB (Malaysian Nursing Board)
- Registered with the Nursing Council of the country origin
- Minimum two (2) years clinical working experience.
- Pass IELTS with minimum score of 5.5/TOEFL with minimum score of 515/215/80



CAREER OPPORTUNITIES

- Be a nurse specialist in Gerontology Nursing/Gerontology nurse
- An Entrepreneur – Gerontology home care
- Geriatric social worker / Social Gerontologist
- Biogerontologist
- Geriatric Physician Assistant
- Geriatric Care Manager

MAHSA'S PASSPORT TO SUCCESS



Professional Industry-Driven Education (P.R.I.D.E) is MAHSA University's specially designed education pathway that give students the best of both academic and professional certifications. Students have the opportunity to gain professional skills through various programmes from MAHSA's collaborations with internationally recognised professional bodies. P.R.I.D.E increases the employability rate of our fresh graduates and puts them on par with the rest of the professional world.

MASTERCLASS

Students of this programme are eligible to gain add-on certification in Master Classes. There are more than fifty Master Classes to choose from, and all are designed to further enhance the student's employability, in line with the Industrial Revolution 4.0.



PROFESSIONAL COURSES

Through MAHSA's collaboration with internationally recognised professional bodies, students will be earn certifications that will enhance their professional skills and increases their employability rate.

MOBILITY PROGRAMME

This is a unique opportunity for students to study abroad for up to one year in a foreign country. This study abroad programme lets students experience different cultures and

practices from around the world. Ask us about our university partners in over fifty different countries.

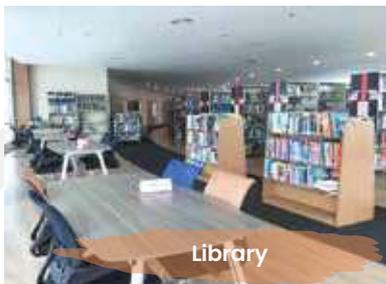
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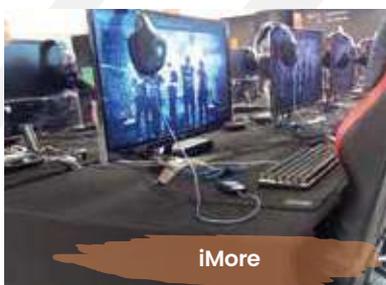
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