

About Dhelkaya Health

Dhelkaya Health was created on 1 March 2022, the result of an amalgamation between Castlemaine Health and Maldon Hospital, and previous amalgamation with CHIRP Community Health.

We are a community-oriented health service with an integrated hospital, primary care service, residential aged care and a wide range of community health services.

Dhelkaya Health is predominantly a nurse and allied health-led service supported by locally credentialed General Practitioners and Visiting Medical Officers.

We provide a comprehensive range of low to moderate complexity services to a population of more than 20,000 people. We also work with Bendigo Health to provide a range of high quality, integrated healthcare services.

Our services are delivered from our facilities in Castlemaine and Maldon, out in the community and in people's homes.

What you get

Dhelkaya Health offers a comprehensive clinical program for Graduate Nurses and Midwives.

Our Clinical Educators, Clinical Support Nurses and the preceptors all ensure that our graduates are encouraged and guided in a supportive environment.

Register or find out more

If you have questions about our program or need to register for one of our information sessions, contact our Education Department on:

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Dhelkaya Health

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NOW PART OF

Dhelkaya Health

Aged Care Graduate Nurse Program 2024

Information and application process



Our services are delivered on the traditional lands of the Dja Dja Wurrung people.

Program highlights

- 2 x 6 month rotation opportunities in aged care
- Paid professional study days and sessions throughout the year
- Comprehensive orientation to the hospital & clinical placements areas
- Support from an experienced Clinical Nurse Educator and Clinical Support Nurse to facilitate success
- Friendly and supportive environment
- Positions are 0.8 FTE (8 shifts a fortnight)

Skills you can gain

- Pain Management
- ISBAR Handover
- BLS Competence
- Mental Health Nursing Skills
- Teamwork
- Palliative Care
- Leadership and Management
- Advanced Care Planning
- Quality Indicators in Residential Aged Care
- Quality Standards of Care
- Assessing the Older Person
- MANAD documentation

How to apply

1. Attend an information session

- Monday, 19 June 11am (face-to-face)
- Thursday, 22 June 3pm (online)

Contact us to register for one of these sessions.

2. Apply directly to Dhelkaya Health

To apply for our program you'll need:

- a letter of application
- your curriculum vitae/resume
- most recent academic results and clinical placement records (graded pages and comments)
- referees as per PMCV process.

Remember to complete the application as if you have finished your degree.

Apply directly via our website at www.castlemainehealth.org.au

3. PMCV GNMP Match

Head to the PMCV Allocation and Placement Service online at

<https://gnmp.pmcv.com.au>

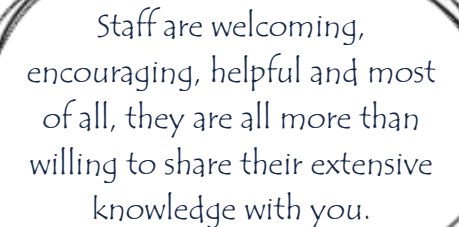
Select 'Dhelkaya Health Aged Care Stream'.

Don't forget to rank Dhelkaya Health in your top preferences and as one of your choices.

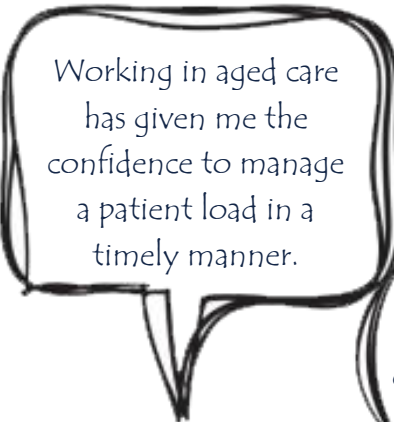
If you have any problems with the process don't hesitate to get in touch.

4. Remember applications open on Monday, 5 June and close on Friday, 7 July 2023

What have our past graduates said?




Staff are welcoming, encouraging, helpful and most of all, they are all more than willing to share their extensive knowledge with you.



Working in aged care has given me the confidence to manage a patient load in a timely manner.



Staff have been wonderful, really helpful and try to encourage us to seek as many opportunities as we can.



Although aged care can be difficult at times, with the support of the amazing staff and the beautiful residents that you get to care for, it'll be an experience that you will never want to end.