

# Graduate Diploma in Mental Health and Neuroscience



| LOCATION | START                  |
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| Online   | Semester 1, Semester 2 |

Deepen your mental health expertise. This diploma allows you to thrive as a mental health professional. Building on the Graduate Certificate in Mental Health and Neuroscience, it focuses on society's most pressing mental health issues and provides insight to the neurobiology underpinning these conditions. Understand emerging technologies and methods to predict, diagnose and treat them.

In this program you will:

- Study via USC's Thompson Institute, benefiting from an integration of world-class research, clinical services, education and advocacy
- Gain knowledge in youth mental health, advanced neuroimaging, suicide prevention, brain ageing, neurocognition, lifestyle factors, and stress-related disorders, including PTSD
- Study cutting-edge applied neuroscience, with the power to transform clinical practice across mental health disciplines

Career opportunities

- Emerging research fields
- Mental health
- Neuroscience
- Pathways to higher degree research
- Policy
- Public Health
- Education
- Working with vulnerable people
- Working with young people
- Apply mental health understanding in current career

Duration  
1 year  
Full-time or equivalent part-time

Indicative 2024 fees  
A\$10,338 (CSP)  
A\$23,598 - 2024 Fees  
(fee-paying)  
Fees are indicative only and will change based on courses selected and are subject to yearly increases

Delivery mode  
Online

Total courses  
8

Total units  
96

UniSC program code  
AR602

## Program structure

Required courses (8) 96 units

- MHN701 Mental Health and Neuroscience: Translational Research
- MHN702 Youth Mental Health and Neurobiology
- MHN703 Neuroimaging Advances in Mental Health
- MHN704 Understanding and Preventing Suicide
- MHN705 Healthy Brain Ageing
- MHN706 Neurocognition and Mental Health
- MHN707 Stress-related Disorders
- MHN708 Lifestyle Factors and Mental Health

Note: Program structures are subject to change

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