

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES



HEALING FROM THE HEART

Great things happen when you choose a career in healthcare and social sciences. Embrace a meaningful and fulfilling career and be at the heart of exciting medical and scientific advances. Enjoy excellent career prospects, continuing education opportunities and immense job satisfaction as healthcare and social service professionals, and benefit from sponsorships and scholarships offered by the hospitals and social service agencies.

Why Health Sciences?

- Be at the centre of a dynamic industry where you can truly make a difference in someone's life.
- Enjoy the challenge of working in a discipline that is constantly evolving with medical and scientific advances.
- Look forward to excellent career prospects as Singapore establishes itself as a regional healthcare hub.

Why SHS?

- Be educated at Singapore's pioneer institution in healthcare training – NYP is the first polytechnic to offer a comprehensive range of Health Science courses.
- Learn at the only polytechnic in Singapore with diploma programmes in dental hygiene & therapy, social sciences, physiotherapy, occupational therapy, diagnostic radiography and radiation therapy.
- Be nurtured by experienced and dedicated lecturers – all specialists in their disciplines.
- Benefit from a practice-oriented curriculum and clinical attachments, both local and overseas, throughout your course of study.
- Practise in authentic hospital, healthcare or social service environments with excellent training facilities, fully-equipped simulation labs, teaching clinics, operating theatre suites and other specialist laboratories.
- Our track record in Health Sciences training speaks for itself. We have nurtured more than 14,000 healthcare professionals since our inception. SHS is jointly offering a Nursing degree programme with the Singapore Institute of Technology and the University of Manchester; and is also working with foreign universities to offer allied health degree programmes.

Industry-linked

Benefit from our extensive ties with local and international partners, including hospitals, the Ministry of Health, the Singapore Nursing Board, the National Council of Social Service, and many universities.

In particular, our graduates enjoy advanced standing and overseas clinical attachment opportunities with our foreign university partners, including:

Australia

- University of Sydney
- Australian Catholic University
- Curtin University of Technology

Europe

- Coventry University
- London South Bank University
- University of Esslingen

United States

- University of Pennsylvania

Japan

- Seirei Christopher University

Minimum Entry Requirements

For Diploma in Nursing and Diploma in Dental Hygiene & Therapy:

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| a) English Language | Grade 1 - 7 |
| b) Elementary or Additional Maths | Grade 1 - 6 |
| c) A relevant Science subject | Grade 1 - 6 |

For Diploma in Social Sciences (Social Work):

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| a) English Language | Grade 1 - 6 |
| b) Elementary or Additional Mathematics | Grade 1 - 6 |
| c) Any three other subjects | Grade 1 - 6 |

For Diplomas in Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Diagnostic Radiography and Radiation Therapy:

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| a) General Paper (English Medium)
or GCE 'O'-Level English Language
or Knowledge & Inquiry (KI) | Grade A - E
Grade 1 - 7
Grade A - S |
| b) One of the following H2 subjects
Physics/Chemistry/Biology/
Physical Science | Grade A - E |
| c) H2 Mathematics
or any other H2 subject
in addition to H1 Mathematics or 'O'-Level
Mathematics (Elementary/Additional) | Grade A - E
Grade A - E
Grade 1 - 6 |

Enquiry Hotline

Please contact us at **6550 1300** or visit www.nyp.edu.sg/shs for more information.

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DIPLOMA IN NURSING

Join the nursing profession, and be that comforting presence and support to others on their road to recovery. Learn from dedicated professionals who are experts in the discipline. Acquire a professional diploma and the knowledge and skills that will benefit you, your family and the community. With an NYP nursing diploma, you can also gain admission into degree programmes at the Singapore Institute of Technology-University of Manchester at NYP, National University of Singapore and other local and foreign universities.

"I enrolled for the Diploma in Nursing at Nanyang Polytechnic because of my desire to help others. During my course, I learnt to deliver quality nursing care with the support and guidance of my dedicated lecturers. Now, I enjoy working closely with patients and their families to help them achieve good health. In fact the 'caring' aspect of the job in itself serves as a learning experience. From my patients, I have learnt a lot about pain endurance, coping, problem-solving, communication, relationships and life skills. To further my knowledge and skills, I am now sponsored for the BSc (Hons) in Nursing Practice offered by University of Manchester at Nanyang Polytechnic in September 2011."

Sheena Ramazanu

Diploma in Nursing (Merit)
Class of 2011

Tay Eng Soon Award
Ministry of Health Gold Medal
Singapore Nurses Association Award for Clinical Education in Nursing
CapitaLand Healthcare Frontliners Award
Lee Kuan Yew Step Award
Khoo Teck Puat Hospital Merit Award

Staff Nurse
Khoo Teck Puat Hospital



This fits me to a T!

This is the course for you, if you're:

- Caring, empathetic and keen to promote health and quality of life
- Imbued with a strong desire to care for others

What will I learn?

- Comprehensive nursing knowledge, professional values, attitudes and clinical competencies
- Biological and behavioural sciences, communication, research, statistics and life skills
- Valuable practical skills in simulation wards and specialist laboratories
- Hands-on experience in hospitals and the community

I want a great career!

Look forward to a great career as a:

- Nurse Clinician
- Nurse Educator
- Nurse Administrator
- Nurse Researcher

Uni, here I come!

Pursue a degree in Nursing with advanced standing at local and overseas universities, such as:

Singapore

- University of Manchester
- National University of Singapore
- SIM University

Australia

- University of Sydney
- Queensland University of Technology

Europe

- King's College London

