

**Postgraduate Diploma of Advanced Clinical Nursing, (Critical Care)/
Graduate Certificate in Clinical Nursing (Critical Care) Courses**

Course Information:	<p>St Vincents & Mercy Private Hospital are currently offering a limited number of <i>scholarships</i> for candidates wanting to develop their academic and work experience in Critical Care. The course offers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• High clinical teacher to student ratio• Approximately 44 weeks experience in ICU and Cardiac Unit (30 weeks ICU including 5 weeks open heart intensive care, and 14 weeks cardiac unit)• Salary paid by the hospital for 30 hours per week with an allocated study day one day per week• Next course will commence February, 2005
University Affiliation:	<p>The University of Melbourne Australian Catholic University</p>
Unit/Department Information:	<p>Clinical placements offer extensive hands on experience in a busy Cardiac Unit and a modern Level 3 Intensive Care Unit. Our specialties include interventional cardiology and cardiac surgery, and the provision of top quality service to patients of high acuity requiring mechanical ventilation, intra-aortic balloon pumping, pacing and haemofiltration.</p>
How to Apply:	<p>Apply to the University of your choice. Send a curriculum vitae and cover letter seeking employment at St. Vincents & Mercy Private Hospital to the contact person below.</p> <p>Applications for 2005 will open September 2004 until university closing dates.</p>
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