



WSQ HIGHER CERTIFICATE IN
HEALTHCARE
(Nursing)
Up to 70% funding

**BEHIND EVERY
CARE ASSISTANT**
IS THE SKILL TO SUPPORT AND HEAL



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Take the next step in your healthcare journey with the WSQ Higher Certificate in Healthcare (Nursing). This programme is designed to help you build on your existing knowledge, providing you with the skills and confidence needed to deliver compassionate, high-quality care to patients in a variety of healthcare settings.

As a progression from the WSQ Certificate in Healthcare, this course offers the perfect opportunity to further your expertise, supporting both your professional development and your ability to make a positive impact on the lives of others. Through a combination of theoretical learning and practical, hands-on experience, you'll be equipped to navigate the complexities of healthcare with competence and empathy.

By enrolling in this programme, you are not only advancing your career but also contributing to the wellbeing of individuals and communities. Join us on this meaningful journey and take the next step toward becoming a skilled, compassionate healthcare professional.

Why Choose This Programme?

- **Gain Practical Experience:** Hands-on training in life support, infection control, and patient care to handle real-life healthcare situations confidently.
- **Expand Your Knowledge:** Learn key areas like mobility assistance, oral feeding, and ethical practices for a well-rounded nursing skill set.
- **Boost Your Career:** Upgrade your skills for greater career advancement and new opportunities in healthcare.
- **Provide Exceptional Care:** Master techniques for patient safety, comfort, and quality care across various healthcare settings.
- **Specialise in Key Areas:** Build expertise in infection control, patient mobility, and legal/ethical frameworks to stand out professionally.

ABOUT CSM ACADEMY

CSM Academy was established since 2005 as a Private Education Institute to deliver Service Management programmes with a major focus on healthcare services education. It delivers multi-level courses ranging from Certifications and Diplomas to Bachelor's and Master's Degrees. To date, we have trained over thousands of staff from all hospitals and nursing homes in the BSc Nursing, Certificate in Aged Care, WSQ Certificates in Healthcare and developing our own intellectual property healthcare programs whereby we placed great emphasis on application of knowledge to the workplace and skills competency.

Accolades of CSM Academy:

- CSM Academy has a 4-year EduTrust Certification attesting to excellent level of performance in managing their institutions and providing high quality education standards and welfare for their students.
- CSM Academy was awarded the Best Educational Institute in Healthcare by CMO Asia in 2016.
- CSM Academy has established a Nursing Home with a simulation centre to facilitate holistic curriculum for our healthcare students for some of its courses.



COURSE DURATION

Full time: 2 months, 5 days / week | 7.5 hours /day (full day)

Part time: 6 months / 3 days / week | 4 hours / day (evening)

Note:

- A minimum number of 15 students for the commencement of the class.
- Students will be informed 2 weeks before the commencement of the class.

DELIVERY MODE

E-learning (Synchronous)

Practical/Face-to-Face Learning

ASSESSMENT METHODOLOGY:

1. Written Assessments
2. Practical Performance Assessments
3. Roleplay Assessments
4. Oral Questioning

GRADUATION REQUIREMENT AND AWARDS

Pass all modules & practical and meet minimum attendance requirement.

COURSE DEVELOPER:

CSM Academy International, Singapore

COURSE MODULES & SYNOPSIS

WSQ LIFE SUPPORT FOR HEALTHCARE ASSISTANCE (BLENDED)

Learners gain essential knowledge and practical skills to deliver basic life support, combining scenario-based learning and hands-on practice to respond effectively to emergencies in healthcare settings.

WSQ INFECTION CONTROL IN NURSING PRACTICE (BLENDED)

Focuses on infection prevention and management, covering hand hygiene, PPE usage, sterilisation, waste management, and patient education. The module builds practical skills for maintaining safe healthcare environments.

WSQ PROFESSIONAL LEGAL AND ETHICAL HEALTHCARE PRACTICE

Equips learners with an understanding of legal and ethical frameworks, patient confidentiality, and workplace conduct, ensuring professional accountability and ethical decision-making in real-world healthcare scenarios. **(Face-to-face)**

WSQ MOBILITY AND AMBULATION ASSISTANCE

Teaches fall prevention, safe body mechanics, and the use of mobility aids, culminating in practical skills for safe lifting, transferring, and positioning of patients to ensure effective care. **(Face-to-face)**

WSQ PROVIDE ORAL FEEDING ASSISTANCE

Covers diets, nutritional supplements, food handling, patient positioning, and managing complications like choking, while ensuring accurate documentation of intake and abnormalities for safe oral feeding assistance. **(Face-to-face)**

WSQ PATIENT CARE DELIVERY FOR SUPPORT CARE

Provides comprehensive skills in patient assessment, infection prevention, assisting with activities of daily living (ADLs), and clinical tasks like admission, discharge, and transfer, ensuring patient-centred care delivery. **(Face-to-face)**

Please visit our website for more information about the modules.

WHO WILL BENEFIT FROM THIS COURSE

- Those who are looking for a more specialised program focusing on nursing care, preparing learners for roles that require greater responsibility and technical knowledge.
- Those who are looking for deeper understanding of nursing care, infection control, and clinical skills.
- If you want flexible opportunities in home-based or freelance care
- Learn how to deliver essential healthcare support to patients in their homes, allowing you to create a balanced and adaptable work schedule.
- If you are caring for elderly or sick loved ones
- Acquire the skills to assist with daily care, monitor vital signs, and provide basic medical support to enhance the well-being of family members.
- If you want to contribute through volunteer work
- Equip yourself with the abilities to support patients in hospitals, nursing homes, or community settings, making a positive impact on those in need.
- Healthcare remains one of the most in-demand industries globally. This course opens doors to roles such as Healthcare Assistant, Patient Care Associate, or Home Care Assistant, all of which offer long-term career stability.

The WSQ Higher Certificate in Healthcare (Nursing) equips learners with job-ready skills and essential knowledge to succeed in entry-level healthcare roles. Whether you are seeking career growth, personal development, or the ability to care for your loved ones, this program offers the tools and confidence to thrive in healthcare environments.

ENTRY REQUIREMENT

To be eligible for the programme, applicants must meet the following minimum entry requirements:

- ONE pass in GCE 'O' or GCE 'N' level (any subject), or
- Workplace Literacy and Numeracy (WPLN) Level 4 (Speak, Listen, Read & Numeracy) and Level 3 (Writing), or
- In-service Healthcare or Basic Care Attendants/Assistants.

FEES (before GST)

Application Fee
(Non-Refundable and non-transferrable)
For local students: S\$50.00
For international students: S\$300

Local: \$6,000 (before GST)
International: \$6,500 (before GST)

About Funding.

As a WSQ programme, Singaporeans and Permanent Residents are eligible for up to 70% funding.

Additionally, participants can utilise their SkillsFuture Credit to further offset the remaining course fees.

The funding is contingent on participants meeting the required attendance targets and successfully passing all assessments.

Use ATOME for instalment payments.

Insurance Fees:

Fee Protection Scheme** : Subject to prevailing market rate
Medical Insurance Fee*** : Subject to prevailing market rate

***The Fee Protection Scheme (FPS) serves to protect students' paid fees.*

****It is compulsory for all local and international students to purchase medical insurance which is valid throughout their course of studies with the CSM Academy International. Local students (Singaporeans, PRs & Non-student's Pass holders) may opt-out for this scheme if they can provide the proof of adequate medical insurance coverage in Singapore.*

Miscellaneous Fees:
Please ask for a copy from our Programme Executives.

OUR VISION

To be the Premier Educator for Service Excellence

OUR VALUES

Responsibility, Integrity, Passion and Excellence (RIPE)

OUR MISSION

To inspire Passion for Service and Contribution to Society through Excellence in Continuous Education

OUR CULTURE

An Open and Conducive Learning Environment, With Mutual Respect and Professionalism to Build A High Performance Organisation

HOW TO APPLY (FOR LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS)

01

FILL UP THE FOLLOWING ONLINE FORMS

- Application Form - CSM Academy International Pte Ltd
- ICA Form 16 and E- Form V36 - applicable only for International Students (complete in English and duly signed by applicant)

02

ATTACH THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS

- A copy of passport-size photograph with white background
- A copy of NRIC (for Singaporeans and PR)
- A copy of passport - applicable only for International Students (must have at least 1 year validity)

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BRING THE ORIGINAL DOCUMENTS FOR THE FOLLOWING ITEMS

- Notarised/Certified true copies of all your educational transcripts and completion certificates
- Proof of study loan, sufficient enough to cover the course fees.
- All documents need to be translated into English and submitted along with the original documents.
- Proof of English proficiency (e.g., IELTS/TOEFL score sheet or equivalent qualification, if applicable).
- Resume or letter from employer certifying period of employment (if applicable)

04

OFFER BY THE SCHOOL

Upon receipt of your completed application, you will be notified of the outcome within 2 weeks. Successful applicants will receive an electronic version of the Letter of Offer and the terms and conditions page, if applicable.

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APPLICATION OF STUDENT PASS - ONLY APPLICABLE FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS (SKIP THIS STEP FOR LOCAL STUDENTS)

Upon approval of your application, CSM Academy will proceed to submit your Student's Pass application via SOLAR+ to Singapore Immigration and Checkpoints Authority (ICA). You will be notified of the outcome within 6 weeks.

PAYMENT OF PROGRAMME FEES

For Local Students – You will be required to bring the original certificates for verification, sign the student contract and make course payments.

For International Students - Once your Student Pass application is approved-in-principle by ICA, you will be required to bring the original certificates for verification and to sign the student contract, followed by course fee payment. Do contact our Students & Industry Outreach Executive if you require student services on arrival such as airport pick-up, accommodation, medical check-up and more.

PAYMENT MODE

Via Paynow, iBanking, Nets & Cheque