

COURSE CLOSURE

Faculty	FMH	School	NSC
Courses to be closed BSc Nurse Practitioner			
Course Title (incl. award)	Course Code	UCAS Code	
BSc (Hons) Nurse Practitioner	U2B707501		
Academic year students will be / were last admitted to the above course(s)	2012		
Are the above courses currently advertised in a prospectus?	Yes		
	No	√	
Are there applicants for the above course(s) currently in the system?	Yes		
	No	√	
Date course will cease to be delivered (i.e. academic year in which final student(s) will complete / completed)	2017		
Will there be students continuing on the course after it ceases to recruit?	Yes	√	
	No		
If yes, how many?	Yr2	17	
	Yr3		
	Ind/Abr		
	Yr4		
What are the implications for students currently on the course(s)?			
<p>Students on the course will be able to complete. One core module will run for a final time in April 2014 which will allow a final opportunity to access it. Others may choose to use their academic experience to bridge to the Masters in Advanced Practice.</p>			
Plans for phasing out (including when all students should complete, modules to be offered during the phase out period)			
<p>There are 17y students who could complete within the timeframe allowed. Most modules fit within other pathways so will continue to run albeit with less structure to the pathway.</p>			

Have continuing students affected by the closure of the course been consulted?	Yes	
	No	√
Reasons for discontinuation of course		
<p>The majority of nurses wishing to work at a higher level of practice already have a BSc and indeed all new registrants will be qualified to this academic level therefore there simply is not enough students to keep the course viable as the majority of potential students are choosing to study at Masters level.</p>		
An Equality Impact Assessment Screening has been carried out (and is attached for the Head of School and Associate Dean)	Yes	
	No	√
A full Equality Impact Assessment has been carried out (and is attached for the Head of School and Associate Dean)	Yes	
	No	√
Who has been consulted in reaching the decision to close the course? (e.g. Marketing & Admissions Service)		
Signature of Course Director	Date	
<i>A. Owen</i>	20/12/2013	
Signature of Head of School	Date	
Julia Hubbard, NSC Teaching Director	2.1.14	
Signature of Associate Dean LTQ	Date	
<i>Rosie Day</i>	6.1.14	

Once complete, please email a copy of this proforma to

- Faculty Admissions Manager

- **Marketing and Admissions Services**
- **Planning Office (CAMS Manager)**
- **Faculty Manager – Taught Programmes**
- **Learning, Teaching & Quality Office (for report to LTC)**