

# GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN ALLERGIC DISEASES (EXIT ONLY) (4754)

**Approved Abbreviation:** GradDipAllergicDis  
**Western Sydney University Program Code:** 4754  
**AQF Level:** 8

The Graduate Diploma in Allergic Diseases is an exit degree for medical practitioners in clinical practice who are enrolled in the Master of Medicine (Allergic Diseases). Students who successfully complete this two year program will have an in depth understanding of the scientific basis and clinical aspects of allergic diseases including mental health and nutrition. Supervised clinical experiences, practical skills workshops and conference attendance will enable students to develop their ability to use theoretical knowledge and diagnostic and therapeutic skills effectively in clinical allergy practice.

- Director of Academic Program - Dr Kate McBride

## Study Mode

Two years part-time

## Program Advice

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Prospective students should visit the following websites for general enquiries about this program.

Enquire about this program (<https://enquiry.westernsydney.edu.au/courseenquiry/>) | Local Admission (<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/future/>) | International Admission (<https://www.westernsydney.edu.au/international/home/apply/admissions/>) |

## Location

Campus	Attendance	Mode	Advice
Online	Part Time	Online	See above

## Admission

4754 - Graduate Diploma in Allergic Diseases is an exit award from 4753 - Master of Medicine (Allergic Diseases).

4753 - Master of Medicine (Allergic Diseases) (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2021-2022/programs/master-medicine-allergic-diseases/>)

## Program Structure

Qualification for this award requires the successful completion of 80 credit points which include the subjects listed in the recommended sequence below.

Note: The yearlong subject MEDI 7009 Clinical Allergy will consist of 50 hours of supervised consultation of patients with allergic disease within the setting of a specialist Immunology/Allergy clinic. Students will also need to attend the Australasian Society of Clinical Immunology and Allergy (ASCIA) Annual Scientific Meeting and the annual MacArthur Series in Immunology and take part in two program-specific workshops.

## Recommended Sequence

Course	Title	Credit Points
<b>Year 1</b>		
<b>1H session</b>		
MEDI 7002	Allergic Sciences 1	20
<b>Credit Points</b>		<b>20</b>
<b>2H session</b>		
MEDI 7003	Allergic Sciences 2	20
Students may exit with a Graduate Certificate in Allergic Diseases <sup>(1)</sup>		
<b>Credit Points</b>		<b>20</b>
<b>Year 2</b>		
<b>1H session</b>		
Select one of the following options:		20
For new students:		
MEDI 7022	Nutritional Aspects of Allergic Diseases	
MEDI 7009	Clinical Allergy	
For students with existing Graduate Certificate in Allergic Diseases qualification:		
MEDI 7029	Reflective Clinical Allergy Practice	
<b>Credit Points</b>		<b>20</b>
<b>2H session</b>		
MEDI 7021	Mental Health Aspects of Allergic Diseases	10
Select one of the following options:		10
For new students:		
MEDI 7009	Clinical Allergy	
For students with existing Graduate Certificate in Allergic Diseases:		
MEDI 7022	Nutritional Aspects of Allergic Diseases	
<b>Credit Points</b>		<b>20</b>
<b>Total Credit Points</b>		<b>80</b>

<sup>1</sup> 4755 Graduate Certificate in Allergic Diseases (<https://hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/archives/2021-2022/programs/master-medicine-allergic-diseases/>)