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

Approved Abbreviation: GradDipAllergicDis Western Sydney University Program Code: 4754

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

<sup>4755</sup> Graduate Certificate in Allergic Diseases (https:// hbook.westernsydney.edu.au/programs/master-medicine-allergicdiseases/)