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Dementia Research and Education Centre

Master of Dementia

Join the world leaders
in dementia education.



 Dementia Care student, Hobart.

Master of Dementia Program

Master of Dementia (11 units)

1.5 years full-time, up to 4 years part-time

Intake: February (full-time and part-time),
July (part-time only)

📍 Online

ABOUT THIS COURSE

The Master of Dementia Program provides multi-disciplinary insight to this urgent health issue and offers a **Graduate Certificate in Dementia**, a **Graduate Diploma of Dementia** and a **Master of Dementia**.

The rising prevalence of dementia is creating new challenges and a pressing need for change in the way our systems and practices support people who live with dementia. This program will equip you with the expertise to lead transformation, based on the latest evidence. It's aimed at graduates and professionals currently working within, or building their expertise in, a field related to dementia.

Taught by the **Wicking Dementia Centre**, this program offers a comprehensive understanding of dementia from the perspectives of individuals, families, communities, health and social care systems and governments. The neurobiology of dementia is explored in detail, with emphasis on pathology, biomarkers and therapeutics.

If you're working in senior management roles within residential care, government or private sector roles focusing on policy or governance, or senior clinical and leadership roles, the Master of Dementia Program will build your capacity as a transformative leader in the field and improve career opportunities.



Fully online, this course links acquired knowledge to your individual situation, keeping the program relevant.



Gain the knowledge to be at the forefront of innovation to address dementia.



Taught by the **Wicking Dementia Centre**, global leaders in dementia education.

PROGRAM FOCUS

The Master of Dementia Program focusses on four core domains:

Health and Social Care in Dementia

Explores a range of approaches aimed at supporting people living with dementia to maintain healthy lives.

Neurobiology of Dementia

The function and dysfunction of the brain are examined to provide a deep understanding of the diseases which cause dementia and their diagnosis and treatment.

Policies and Systems in Dementia

The needs of people living with dementia are highlighted in an examination of the ways that health care systems and government policy affect health and social care provision.

Public Health and Dementia

The evidence for dementia prevention and health promotion innovations, such as dementia-friendly communities, are examined in the context of a public health lens.

Full details on entry requirements may be found in the **Course and Unit Handbook**.

For more information or to apply, visit utas.edu.au/study/dementia-postgraduate

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