



**SOCIAL AND  
COMMUNITY SERVICES**

# HEALTH & Support Services

**Are you interested in your own and other people's health? Do you like to assist others in the community? Then Health and Support Services might be for you!**

You will be working on the NMIT campus developing the skills needed to work in this industry, including how to communicate with people from other cultures, how to handle equipment and people safely and how to support people with disabilities. You will learn in an environment with state-of-the-art equipment. As part of this programme you will also visit health providers throughout the region, including hospitals, rest homes and other support services.

Give it a go and see if Health and Support Services is for you!

**Starts:** February 2017  
**Time:** 9am to 2.45pm one day a week  
**Location:** NMIT Nelson

## PATHWAYS + OPPORTUNITIES

### TRADES ACADEMY TRAINING

#### Employment within the industry

- › Certificate in Tertiary Study (Pathways) L4
- › Certificate in Community Support Services L4 at NMIT
- › Certificate in Foundation Nursing L4 at NMIT

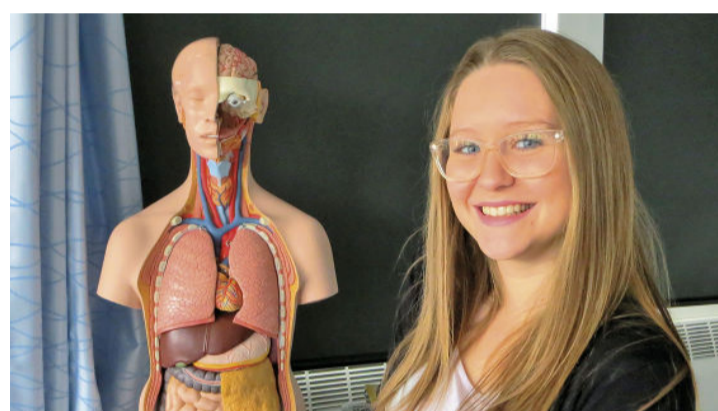
#### UNIVERSITY STUDIES:

- › Bachelor of Nursing at NMIT

Medical Nursing  
Forensics  
Health Education

Mental Health  
Aged Care  
Community Nursing

Paediatrics  
Operating Theatre  
Disability Sector



## ROSE VINSEN

### HEALTH & SUPPORT SERVICES *Nelson College for Girls*

Rose's career goal is to work in the medical field, most probably as a nurse. Taking the Health and Support Services Trades programme has helped Rose decide that this is definitely the area that she wants to work in.

"I love learning in this class and having new things to do that I'm genuinely interested in." She says that visiting Nelson Hospital and watching a surgical operation has been a highlight of the year so far.

Rose is really enjoying the content of the course, learning about support services, patients' rights, physiology and anatomy and hygiene procedures. She says that the students in the programme have a very good relationship with the tutor, who is really helpful and approachable.

For Rose, managing her time to balance her studies between school and Trades hasn't been difficult.

Looking to the future, Rose intends to complete Year 13 at school and then return to NMIT to study towards a Bachelor of Nursing degree.



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