Batchelor Institute of Indigenous Tertiary Education is an educational institute that caters specifically to the needs of Indigenous learners. Students come from across Australia to study at one of our campus locations in the Northern Territory, either in Batchelor (100km south of Darwin) or the Desert Peoples Centre, located in Alice Springs.

ACIKE OVERVIEW

In 2011, Batchelor Institute and Charles Darwin University (CDU) formed a partnership which resulted in the Australian Centre for Indigenous Knowledges and Education (ACIKE). Through ACIKE, Indigenous students can enrol in and study a range of Higher Education courses.

Bachelor of Health Science Overview

- Health Services Management
- Indigenous Health
- Community Health Development
- Occupational Therapy
- Health Promotion

Bachelor of Health Science

Well Being and Human Services
COURSE INFORMATION

The Bachelor of Health Science prepares students with the knowledge and skills required to work in areas of Indigenous Health, Health Promotion, Community Health Development and Health Services Management and provides an academic pathway to a Master of Occupational Therapy. The course focuses on providing culturally safe primary health care with an emphasis on understanding the challenges of working in urban, rural and remote communities.

COURSE OVERVIEW

The Bachelor of Health Science requires the student to enrol in and complete a total of 24 units. Full time students study up to 8 units per year and it usually takes 3 years to complete the course.

The course contains:

- 2 Common Units
- 14 Core Units
- 6 Specialist Electives
- 2 Electives

Students are required to choose one of the specialist streams offered within the Bachelor of Health Science. These are:

- Health Promotion
- Community Health Development
- Indigenous Health
- Health Services Management
- Occupational Therapy

COURSE DELIVERY

The course offers 2 delivery options:

BLENDED DELIVERY (Workshop and Online)

- Workshops – students have the option of attending workshops based at the Desert Peoples Centre, Alice Springs.
- Online – students use the Learnline system to access information about the units that they are enrolled in. This will include unit information, topic lecture notes, assessment details, discussion boards, readings and staff contact numbers. Training sessions in using Learnline are delivered during workshops. Students will also have ongoing support from academic staff to help them use this program.

EXTERNAL

- Students who are working or have other commitments may choose to study externally. This means that they do not have to come to workshops but can do their study online.
- If students are studying externally they must own or have access to a computer and the internet.
- Regular contact with Bachelor of Health Science staff will enable students to discuss their progress and any issues they may have in regards to their study.

COURSE ENQUIRIES

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