

# 2024 & 2025 Nurse and Midwife Medicinal Product Prescribing Education Programmes

Office of the Nursing and Midwifery Services Director, Health Service Executive

## University College Dublin

X644 Professional Diploma Prescription of Medication (with Health Assessment) (Special Purpose Award, Level 8, 30 ECTS Credits). For further information please access our website: <https://www.ucd.ie/nmhs/courses/taughtgraduate/prescribingmedicinalproducts/professionaldiplomaprescriptionofmedicationwithhealthassessment/>

X642 Professional Diploma Prescription of Medication (Special Purpose Award, Level 8, 20 ECTS Credits). Applicants must have successfully completed a minimum level 8 NFQ health assessment module. For further information please access our website at: <https://www.ucd.ie/nmhs/courses/taughtgraduate/prescribingmedicinalproducts/professionaldiplomaprescriptionofmedication/>

Next intake: January 2025  
Application system opens: 1st October 2024  
Application system closes: 15th November 2024\*

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\*Please note, the closing date is provisional and subject to change if capacity is reached in advance.

## University College Cork

Certificate in Nursing (Nurse/Midwife Prescribing) (Special Purpose Award, Level 8, 30 Credits)

Commencing: September 2024  
Closing Date for Applications: 3rd June 2024

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## Trinity College Dublin, the University of Dublin

Professional Certificate in Nursing (Nurse/Midwife Prescribing) (Minor Award, Level 8, 30 Credits)

Commencing: September 2024  
Closing Date for Applications: 30th June 2024

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## Royal College of Surgeons Ireland

Professional Certificate in Nursing/Midwifery (Medicinal Product Prescribing) (Special Purpose Award, Level 8, 30 Credits)

Commencing: January 2025  
Closing Date for Applications: 31st October 2024

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## University of Limerick

Certificate in Nursing (Nurse/Midwife Prescribing) (Special Purpose Award, Level 8, 36 Credits)

Commencing: January 2025  
Opening Date for Applications: 1st May 2024  
Closing Date for Applications: 1st November 2024

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## University of Galway

Certificate in Nursing (Nurse/Midwife Prescribing) (Level 8, 30 Credits)

Commencing: September 2024 and January 2025  
September 2024: Opening for Applications January 2024 and Closing Date for Applications 7th June 2024  
January 2025: Opening Date for Applications 1st October 2024 and Closing Date for Applications 15th November 2024

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## Funding for Nurse and Midwife Medicinal Product Prescribing Education Programme

The Office of the Nursing and Midwifery Services Director (ONMSD) Health Service Executive (HSE), provides funding for this education programme, for registered nurses and registered midwives employed in the HSE and HSE funded agencies (Section 38) and the Irish Prison Services (IPS).

If you are considering applying for the programme please contact the Director of Nursing /Midwifery/Public Health Nursing/Service Manager/Designate to discuss.

To secure funding you must complete an electronic "Funding Application Form Nurse and Midwife Medicinal Product Prescribing Education Programme" available at:

[Sponsorship of Nurse & Midwife Medicinal Product Prescribing Education Programme - healthservice.ie](https://www.healthservice.ie/funding)

Should you have queries regarding funding please email: [fundingnursemidwife.prescribing@hse.ie](mailto:fundingnursemidwife.prescribing@hse.ie)

**Please note:** the completed electronic funding application form must be submitted prior to the application closing date for the relevant Higher Education Institution.



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