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# Presentation Content

1. New Nursing Qualifications Framework (articulation options for both)
2. Future of old 4-year diploma
3. Recognition of post BCur/4-year diploma specializations (RPL?)
4. Questions to consider RE: scopes of practice (3-year Dip vs 4year Dip)
5. News on Nursing College Function Shift
6. What to do about Care Workers and care workers... dead-end qualification?

# 1. Old & New Framework



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OLD QUALIFICATIONS			NEW QUALIFICATIONS			
Qualification	Duration	SANC Registration	HESQF Level	Qualification	Duration	SANC Registration
Post-basic Course (Specialisation)	1	Register in area of Specialisation	8	Postgraduate Diploma (120C)	1	Register in area of Specialisation
Degree	4	General Nurse & Midwife	8	Bachelor's Degree (480C)	4	Professional Nurse
Diploma	4	General Nurse & Midwife		-	-	-
Midwifery	1	Midwife	7	Advanced Diploma (120C)	1	Midwife
Bridging Course	2	General Nurse	6	National Diploma (360C)	3 years	Staff Nurse
Diploma in Nursing	2	Enrolled Nurse		-	-	-
Auxiliary Nursing	1	Auxiliary Nurse	5	Higher Certificate (120C)	1	Auxiliary Nurse



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## 2. Future of old 4-year diploma

Matters to keep in mind:

- Articulation
- 4-year diploma ceases to being **offered** (Category C programme). It does **not cease to exist**.

## 3. Recognition of post BCur/4-year diploma specializations (RPL?)

- Role and future of post-qualification courses and “badging” (1-year Psychiatry; 2-year Community Health etc.)



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- 4. Questions to consider RE: scopes of practice (3-year Dip vs 4year Dip)
- What will be the difference of the scope of practice of the 4-year diplomat and the 3-year diplomat
- Articulation Policy of the DHET.
  - DHET will not consider applications without clear articulation options
  - Articulation from the 4-year diploma is upwards into the PG Dip



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## **4-Year Professional Bachelor of Nursing**

- @ NQF Level-8
- Articulation into PG Dip is therefore horizontal into deeper specializations
- Most of these were Category A qualifications

## **5. News on Nursing Colleges Function Shift**

## **6. What to do with Care Workers...Is it a dead-end qualification for thousands?**

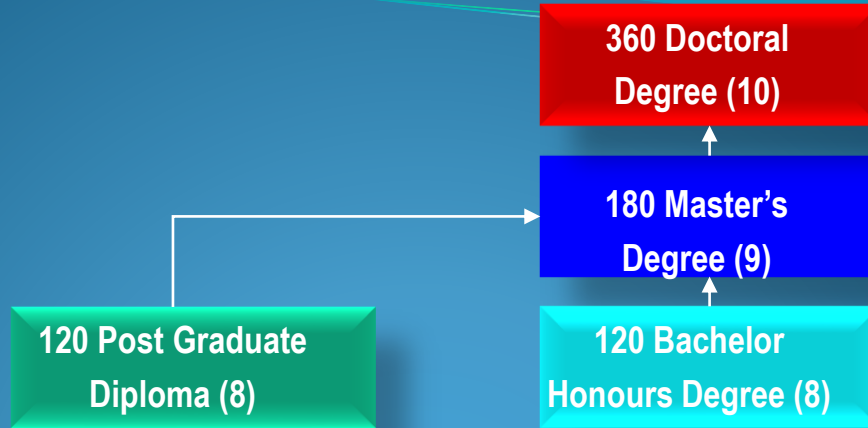
Enrolments by 2 <sup>nd</sup> order CESM	Actual Projected		Planned/expected enrolment: Proposed target						
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	a/a incr: 2012-2019
090100 : CHIROPRACTIC	191	536	217	236	235	242	247	239	3.3%
090200 : COMMUNICATIONS DISORDERS SCIENCES AND SERVICES	763	670	843	888	962	1044	1116	1182	6.5%
090300 : DENTISTRY, ADVANCED DENTISTRY AND ORAL SCIENCES	1201	1149	1162	1161	1226	1302	1353	1419	2.4%
090400 : DENTAL SUPPORT SERVICES AND ALLIED PROFESSIONS	650	590	602	660	730	788	822	837	3.7%
090500 : HEALTH AND MEDICAL ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	3460	2616	4017	4107	4078	4080	4111	4195	2.8%
090600 : MEDICINE	5419	2525	5471	5495	5634	5764	5936	6093	1.7%
090700 : MEDICAL CLINICAL SCIENCES	6337	5613	6980	7354	7584	7839	8031	8171	3.7%
<b>090800 : NURSING</b>	<b>7497</b>	<b>5557</b>	<b>8617</b>	<b>9782</b>	<b>10624</b>	<b>11389</b>	<b>11929</b>	<b>12360</b>	<b>7.4%</b>
090900 : OPTOMETRY	450	513	452	555	601	643	651	680	6.1%
091000 : OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE/OSTEOPATHY	0	485	0	0	0	0	0	0	#NUM!
091100 : PHARMACY, PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES AND ADMINISTRATION	3129	2006	3126	3644	3866	4203	4679	4919	6.7%
091200 : PODIATRIC MEDICINE/PODIATRY	120	448	121	122	123	124	124	125	0.6%
091300 : PUBLIC HEALTH	1838	811	2079	2686	2798	2944	3250	3501	9.6%
091400 : REHABILITATION AND THERAPEUTIC PROFESSIONS	2767	1590	2893	2920	3086	3255	3416	3494	3.4%
091700 : MEDICAL ILLUSTRATION AND INFORMATICS	212	183	218	221	224	227	227	227	1.0%
091800 : DIETETICS AND CLINICAL NUTRITION SERVICES	611	694	879	900	958	991	1053	1086	8.5%
091900 : BIOETHICS/MEDICAL ETHICS	59	0	90	92	95	98	100	101	8.0%
092000 : ALTERNATIVE AND COMPLEMENTARY MEDICINE AND MEDICAL SYSTEMS	137	272	140	190	196	211	199	204	5.8%
092100 : SOMATIC BODYWORK AND RELATED THERAPEUTIC SERVICES	566	287	580	609	702	712	778	801	5.1%
092200 : MOVEMENT AND MIND-BODY THERAPIES AND EDUCATION	105	504	362	362	369	374	382	385	20.4%
092300 : ENERGY AND BIOLOGICALLY BASED THERAPIES	0	365	0	0	0	0	0	0	#NUM!
092400 : MEDICAL RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY/SCIENCE (RADIOGRAPHY)	1160	1035	1381	1413	1442	1500	1538	1584	4.6%
099999 : HEALTH PROFESSIONS AND RELATED CLINICAL SCIENCES, OTHER	136	193	636	680	710	756	829	868	30.4%
<b>TOTAL HUMAN HEALTH UG HEAD COUNT ENROLMENTS</b>	<b>36808</b>	<b>28643</b>	<b>40865</b>	<b>44077</b>	<b>46245</b>	<b>48484</b>	<b>50773</b>	<b>52473</b>	<b>5.2%</b>

	Actual	Projected	Planned/expected enrolment: Proposed target						
	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	a/a incr: 2012- 2019
<b>Graduates by 2<sup>nd</sup> Order CESM</b>									
090100 : CHIROPRACTIC	86	164	87	90	90	91	93	92	1.0%
090200 : COMMUNICATIONS DISORDERS SCIENCES AND SERVICES	154	88	163	169	173	187	214	230	5.9%
090300 : DENTISTRY, ADVANCED DENTISTRY AND ORAL SCIENCES	275	170	278	289	316	328	345	362	4.0%
090400 : DENTAL SUPPORT SERVICES AND ALLIED PROFESSIONS	260	169	248	266	272	292	312	322	3.1%
090500 : HEALTH AND MEDICAL ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES	635	464	810	805	807	813	818	842	4.1%
090600 : MEDICINE	699	120	870	783	814	810	817	825	2.4%
090700 : MEDICAL CLINICAL SCIENCES	1605	965	1599	1867	1892	1987	2093	2194	4.6%
<b>090800 : NURSING</b>	<b>1306</b>	<b>1205</b>	<b>1484</b>	<b>1691</b>	<b>1726</b>	<b>1850</b>	<b>1949</b>	<b>2050</b>	<b>6.6%</b>
090900 : OPTOMETRY	108	149	107	118	126	133	140	145	4.3%
091000 : OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE/OSTEOPATHY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	#NUM!
091100 : PHARMACY, PHARMACEUTICAL SCIENCES AND ADMINISTRATION	561	236	585	727	891	856	1089	1157	10.9%
091200 : PODIATRIC MEDICINE/PODIATRY	3	9	3	3	3	3	3	3	1.6%
091300 : PUBLIC HEALTH	430	189	592	696	698	732	785	822	9.7%
091400 : REHABILITATION AND THERAPEUTIC PROFESSIONS	676	300	610	630	686	719	765	793	2.3%
091700 : MEDICAL ILLUSTRATION AND INFORMATICS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	#NUM!
091800 : DIETETICS AND CLINICAL NUTRITION SERVICES	140	83	153	164	190	213	240	246	8.4%
091900 : BIOETHICS/MEDICAL ETHICS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	#NUM!
092000 : ALTERNATIVE AND COMPLEMENTARY MEDICINE AND MEDICAL SYSTEMS	40	62	52	71	68	72	73	72	8.8%
092100 : SOMATIC BODYWORK AND RELATED THERAPEUTIC SERVICES	152	137	175	188	220	224	244	241	6.8%
092200 : MOVEMENT AND MIND-BODY THERAPIES AND EDUCATION	26	28	58	64	88	101	114	120	24.5%
092300 : ENERGY AND BIOLOGICALLY BASED THERAPIES	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	#NUM!
092400 : MEDICAL RADIOLOGIC TECHNOLOGY/SCIENCE (RADIOGRAPHY)	345	402	402	428	434	464	471	484	4.9%
099999 : HEALTH PROFESSIONS AND RELATED CLINICAL SCIENCES, OTHER	51	57	49	61	71	90	105	114	12.3%
<b>TOTAL HUMAN HEALTH UG GRADUATES</b>	<b>7552</b>	<b>5000</b>	<b>8327</b>	<b>9110</b>	<b>9565</b>	<b>9968</b>	<b>10672</b>	<b>11113</b>	<b>5.7%</b>

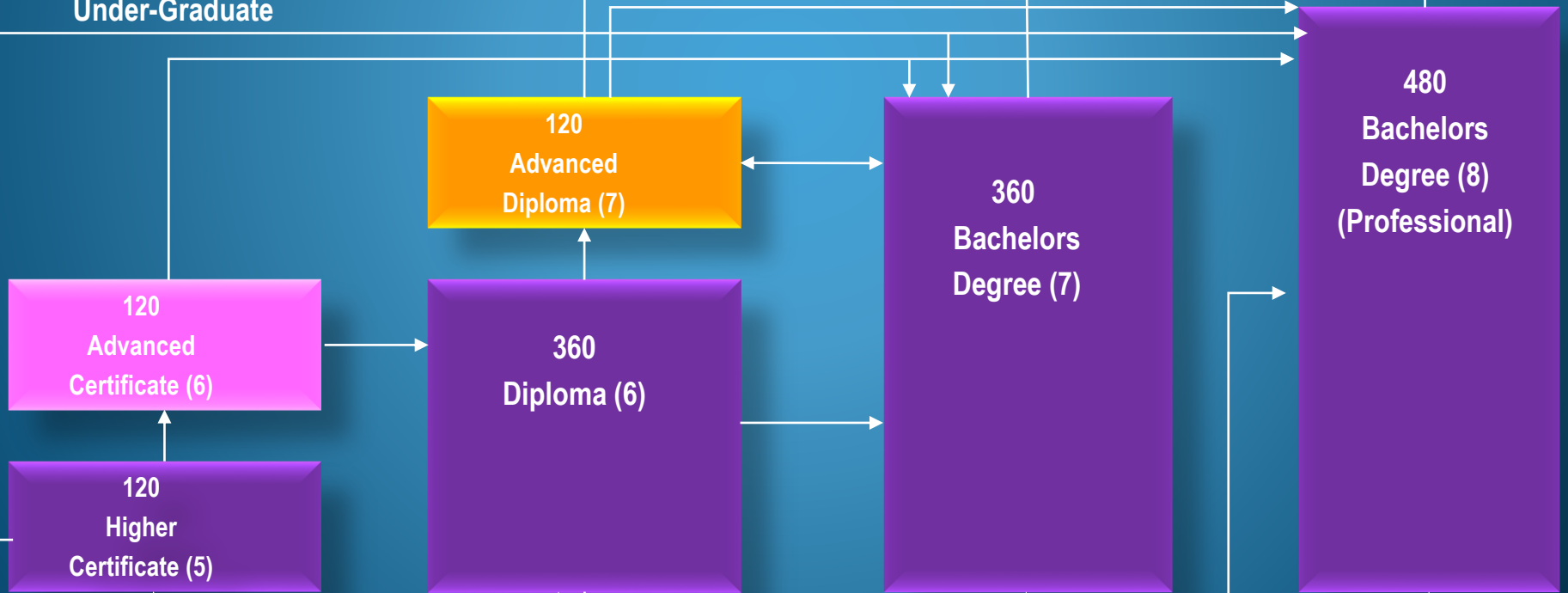


Post-Graduate

**Note:**  
Arrows denote the minimum entry requirements & articulation route for a qualification



Under-Graduate



NSC/NCV

NSC or NCV with appropriate subject combinations and level of achievement



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**QUESTIONS?**