

Dear Education Provider

**Nurse Practitioner Accreditation Standards 2015; standard 1.3**

Please be advised the requirement for the naming of nurse practitioner Masters qualification has been amended.

In order to provide some flexibility for education providers who offer nurse practitioner programs of study, the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) has agreed to the below amendment in naming the qualification awarded to graduates of nurse practitioner programs of study. The amendment will maintain the NMBA intent of standard criterion 1.3.

Current standard criterion 1.3:

The education provider must provide evidence of the Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) National Registry for the award Masters Degree (Level 9) as a minimum, with the title Master of Nurse Practitioner as the named degree.

Amendment to standard criterion 1.3:

The education provider must provide evidence of the Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF) National Registry for the award of Masters Degree (Level 9) as a minimum, includes the term nurse practitioner in the named degree.

The change to standard criterion 1.3 is effective immediately. Should you require any further information please contact [accreditation@anmac.org.au](mailto:accreditation@anmac.org.au)

Yours sincerely



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