

## Preparing for skilled migration: ANMAC's GradReady pathway

Opens – 3 November 2025

Closes – 27 February 2026

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# Acknowledgement of Country

### Who is ANMAC?



- ANMAC is an independent, not-for-profit organisation that supports the safety of the Australian community by ensuring nurses and midwives are educated to the highest standards.
- We are appointed by the Nursing and Midwifery Board of Australia (NMBA) as the accreditation authority for nursing and midwifery programs of study.
- We also assess the skills of internationally qualified nurses and midwives (IQNMs) and overseas-born graduates applying for migration to Australia.
- Our role helps ensure that nursing and midwifery education and practice are safe, consistent and meet national expectations.

## What is GradReady?



**GradReady** is an ANMAC initiative that enables **overseas-born nursing and midwifery graduates** who studied in Australia to:

- apply for their ANMAC skills assessment while awaiting Ahpra registration, and
- progress toward their skilled migration or employment pathway without unnecessary delay.

#### Why it exists

GradReady helps align the timing between registration and skills assessment, supporting graduates who are ready to contribute to Australia's nursing and midwifery workforce.

## Who can apply?



#### Criteria

Overseas-born nursing or midwifery students who:

- have completed a nursing or midwifery qualification in Australia
- were born overseas and are on a temporary or student visa
- have applied for Ahpra registration and are waiting for it to be finalised.

**NOTE**: You must be about to complete <u>or</u> have completed your Australian qualification between 3 November 2025 – 27 February 2026.

#### What documents do I need?



#### Mandatory documents

- Passport bio-data page(s) in colour
- Photo of yourself passport-style, taken within the last 6 months
- Student ID card issued by your Australian education provider
- One additional form of ID such as birth certificate, driver licence, or ID card
- Course completion letter
- ALL nursing and midwifery related qualifications certificates and transcripts

**NOTE:** Please email <u>GradReady@anmac.org.au</u> if you have received Advanced Standing or Credit Transfer from a non-nursing course.

## Optional documents



#### You can also include (if applicable)

Work experience to be assessed (professional reference letters)

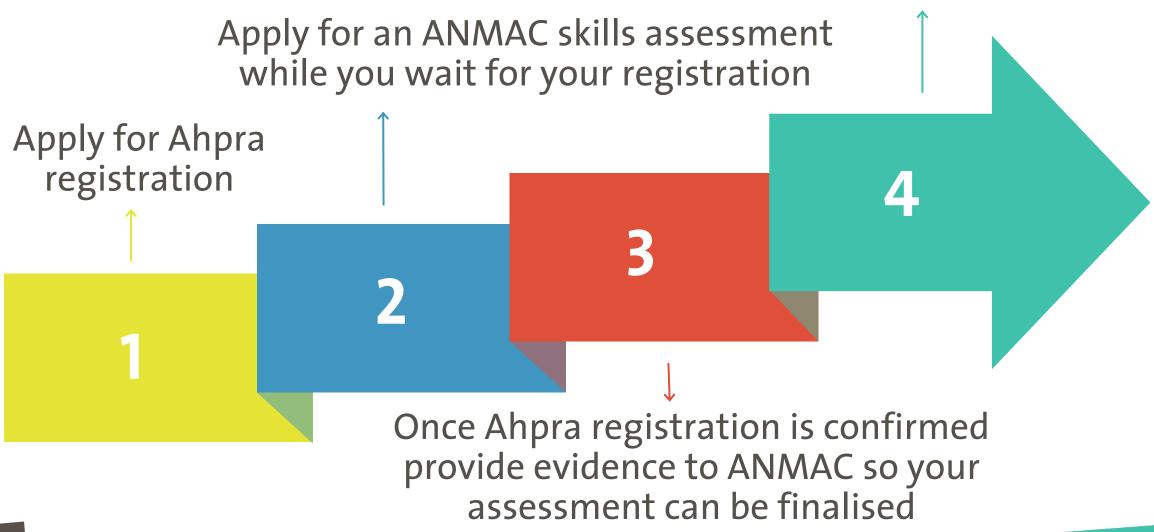
<u>Example:</u> You are born in the Philippines and completed a Bachelor in the Philippines. You have moved to Australia and have undertaken an Australian Bachelor, but you have registered nurse experience from the Philippines within the last 10 years.

<u>Example:</u> You are born in Nepal and completed a Proficiency Certificate or Bachelor. You have moved to Australia and have undertaken an Australian Bachelor, but you have registered nurse experience from the Nepal within the last 10 years.

**Certificate of Good Standing (CoGS)** will need to be sent direct from the overseas nursing council(s) to ANMAC via <u>verification@anmac.org.au</u> if you would like to claim work from overseas.

## **GradReady steps...**

Apply for your visa







## Where to apply





✓ ■ Australian Nursing & Midwifery X +

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#### Welcome to ANMAC

The Australian Nursing and Midwifery Accreditation Council (ANMAC) protects the health and safety of the Australian community by:

- Establishing high quality education standards, assessing and accrediting nursing, midwifery and other healthcare education programs.
- Assessing and validating the skills, qualifications and experience of overseas qualified nurses, midwives and health care workers to support their skilled migration journey.













# Using a migration agent or third party?

Include a third-party consent form
Skilled Migrants → Resources

### Agent Declaration and Third-Party Consent Form



#### APPLICANT INFORMATION

Full Name:	
Passport Number:	Date of Birth:
Email:	
take full responsibility for ensuring that no	false or misleading information is submitted in this application.
Applicant Signature:	Date:
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bove applicant.	(Name of Agent or Third Party)
eclare that:	
I have been authorised by the abo about this application on their be	ove applicant to discuss, request and provide information chalf.
	or misleading information is an offence and all the ue and correct to the best of my knowledge and is as was
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authorise other representatives of pplication on my behalf.	to inquire about this
Email:	
Agent or	Date:
Third-Party Signature:	MARN/LPN: (if applicable)







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## Questions?





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## Thank you