



Articulation Pathway

(Advanced Diploma in Health Science (Naturopathy and Nutrition) to Bachelor of Natural Medicine)

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| Purpose | This document describes the articulation pathway for students transitioning from the Naturopathic College of New Zealand (Diploma in Health Science) to South Pacific College of Natural Medicine (Bachelor of Natural Medicine). |
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| Articulation Pathway: | The articulation pathway and descriptions are outlined on pp. 2-4 of this document. |

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Articulation Mapping of Advanced Diploma in Health Science to South Pacific College of Natural Medicine

Diploma in Health Science

Bachelor of Natural Medicine

| Code | Subject Title | Credit Points | Hours | Code | Subject Title | Credit Points | Hours | Equivalency |
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| <i>DHS701</i> | Nutritional Biochemistry | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM521</i> | Biochemistry of Foods | 15 | 150 | Equivalent. |
| <i>DHS702</i> | Pathology and Clinical Science | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM511 and BNM512</i> | Anatomy and Physiology 1 and 2 | 30 | 300 | Equivalent. DHS702 covers principles and concepts explored throughout BNM511 and BNM512. Assessment covers all concepts explored in BNM511 and BNM512 |
| <i>DHS703</i> | Herbal Medicine Materia Medica | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM531</i> | Herbal Medicine 1 | 15 | 150 | Equivalent. |
| <i>DHS704</i> | Complementary Therapies I | 15 | 150 | | | | | No equivalent. |
| <i>DHS705</i> | Complementary Therapies II | 15 | 150 | | | | | No equivalent. |
| <i>DHS706</i> | Dietary Plan (Lifestyle) | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM723</i> | Nutrition 2 | 15 | 150 | Equivalent. |
| <i>DHS707</i> | Clinical Skills | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM762</i> | Pre-Clinic | 15 | 150 | Partial. Student must audit the course and complete BNM762 Assignment 1 practice case. |
| <i>DHS708</i> | Clinical Examinations | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM715</i> | Physical Examination and Differential Diagnosis | 15 | 150 | Equivalent. |

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| <i>DHS721</i> | Clinical Diagnostics | 15 | 150 | | | | | No Equivalent. |
| <i>DHS722</i> | Medicinal Food Science | 15 | 150 | | | | | No Equivalent. |
| <i>DHS723</i> | Clinical Case Studies | 15 | 150 | | | | | Equivalency linked to BNM762 Pre-Clinic via DHS707 Clinical Skills. |
| <i>DHS724</i> | Advanced Herbal Medicine | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM532</i> | Herbal Medicine 2 | 15 | 150 | Equivalent. |
| <i>DHS725</i> | Pharmacology | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM633</i> | Pharmacology and Pharmacognosy | 15 | 150 | Equivalent. On completion of DHS703 and DHS724. |
| <i>DHS726</i> | Psychology and Counselling Theory | 15 | 150 | | | | | No Equivalent. |
| <i>DHS727</i> | Establish and Manage a Professional Practice | 15 | 150 | <i>BNM661</i> | Managing a Professional Practice | 15 | 150 | Equivalent. |
| <i>DHS708</i> | Clinical Practicum | 15 | 150 | | | | | Equivalency linked to BNM762 Pre-Clinic via DHS707 Clinical Skills. |

Terms of Articulation

1. Recognition of prior learning (RPL) must comply with the programme regulations for the Bachelor of Natural Medicine Programme. Refer to programme regulation 4.0 - P:\Programmes\Bachelor of Natural Medicine\Programme Details and Regulations.
2. The maximum number of courses that a student can receive RPL for is **nine** (9). This condition applies to graduates of the Level 7 Advanced Diploma in Health Science (Naturopathy and Nutrition) from the Naturopathic College of New Zealand. Where additional RPL supporting information is provided, the number of RPL courses may increase.

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