

Entry requirements BSc (Hons) Adult nursing and BSc (Hons) Nursing (Mental Health)

- **Tariff points:** 112
- **GCSE:** For all applicants, a minimum of 5 subjects at grade C or above, or grade 4 under newly reformed GCSE grading, to include English Language, Mathematics, and a Science or equivalent (eg www.equivalencytesting.com or Functional Skills Level 2 English/Mathematics). Please note the University does not accept Level 2 Key Skills or Certificates in Adult Numeracy and Literacy as suitable alternatives to GCSEs.
- **English Language Requirement:**

If your first language is not English, you should have a minimum IELTS score of 7.0 or above with a minimum of 7.0 in all sections of the test. Full details of this language test can be obtained from the [British Council](#).

- **A-level subjects:** Grade C or above in a Science or Social Science subject. Points from A-Level General Studies and AS-Level subjects (not taken on to full A-Level) can be included towards overall tariff. You must have a minimum of two A-Levels.
- **Specific subjects:** Subjects that meet the science/social science requirement for this course: Biology, Applied Biology, Human Biology, Chemistry, Health and Social Care, Mathematics, Psychology, Applied Science, Science (Biology route), Science (Chemistry route), Science in Society, Sociology, Sport and Physical Education, Sports Studies.
- **EDEXCEL (BTEC) Diploma:** Achievement of the Diploma at DMM; to include six units in a Science or Social Science subject
- **Access:** Achievement of the Access to HE Diploma in 60 credits; to include 45 at level 3, of which 15 credits must be in a Science or Social Science subject.

If you an international student please see the [specific entry requirements](#) (overseas fee status)

We welcome mature applicants (aged 21 or over)

If you do not meet the minimum academic entry requirements, but have significant life and/or work experience, you will be considered on an individual basis. **However**, you still need to meet the GCSE English Language and Math's requirements, and should have evidence of recent study in a science/health related subject area or a level 3 qualification recognised as equivalent academically by the University.

Please read the general information about [entry requirements](#).

Recruitment for this course is informed by Health Education England's [Values Based Recruitment Framework](#). The purpose of this framework is to ensure that we recruit students whose individual values and behaviours align with the values of the [NHS Constitution](#).

Additional selection criteria

As well as meeting the academic entry requirements, you should meet the following selection criteria:

Health assessment/declaration/vaccinations. You must be in good health and up-to-date with your routine immunisations e.g. tetanus, diphtheria, polio and MMR. If you are offered a place, you will be required to complete a questionnaire and must be prepared to undergo a medical examination. You will also be required to confirm your status in respect of a number of infectious diseases and immunisations (tuberculosis, measles, mumps, rubella, chicken pox, varicella, hepatitis B, hepatitis C, HIV antibodies) and be prepared to have all required vaccinations. If your vaccinations are not up-to-date this will affect your ability to continue on your course. If you have any concerns about vaccinations please raise this at the point of application.

Disclosure of criminal background. The Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 does not apply and all cautions and convictions, including those which are spent, must be disclosed. This is in accordance with the Rehabilitation of Offenders Act 1974 (Exceptions) Order 1975. If you are offered a place, you must undergo a Disclosure and Barring Service (DBS) check and will be required to complete a disclosure application form. All information will be treated in confidence and only taken into account when necessary.

Selection Event. If you are shortlisted, you will be invited to a selection event where you will undertake a group activity and individual interview. On successful completion of all of these criteria, you will be offered a place.

Completing the application form. We will be looking for applicants committed to nursing. This must be clearly demonstrated in the 'personal statement' section of the application form by saying why you want to study Adult Nursing/Mental Health Nursing and stating any relevant work experience that you have gained to date.

For further information and advice on acceptable subjects, please email enquiries@glos.ac.uk