The course aims to explore with you the delivery of safe, compassionate and competent nursing care to patients/clients/service users in the context of contemporary healthcare provision. You will also examine and discuss the role and responsibilities of the registered nurse and the factors that influence healthcare delivery, especially in providing nursing services.

This course is for qualified nurses whose registration with the NMC has lapsed, i.e. you have not completed 450 hours of registered practice and 35 hours of learning activity in the previous three years within the UK or overseas, or 750 hours of practice in the last five years and 35 hours of learning in the last three years.

### Content

You will undertake mandatory updates in CPR and Moving and Handling, along with other key clinically important topics such as infection prevention and control, and a range of national and locally driven policies and initiatives. If you are a registered nurse from the field of children’s nursing, mental health or learning disabilities nursing, you will be taught with adult nurses for the generic sessions and will receive field specific support from an experienced tutor from your chosen field.

### Practice Placement

For this module you will be assisted to find a suitable clinical placement with a healthcare provider, local to you for your practice placement hours. Your agreed placement area will need to have a qualified “sign off” mentor to support your practice assessment. If you want your clinical placement to be outside Hertfordshire you will need to discuss this further with the Module Leader.

### Assessment

Practice Assessment: Successful completion of the required hours in practice, as well as competence in clinical skills, which are verified by your Sign-off Mentor.

Theoretical Assessment: Portfolio development demonstrating your skills in evidence sourcing and appraisal, analysis and reflection.

### Cost

To find out information about the fees visit go.herts.ac.uk/cpdfees.