

# POST BASIC PERIOPERATIVE NURSING



## OVERVIEW :

The 'Post Basic Perioperative Nursing Course' a professional development course, from DSH Institute of Technology, is one of the most reputed qualification in Malaysia. DSH Institute of Technology is one of the very few institutes in Malaysia which conducts this course and the program is endorsed by the Ministry of Human Resources and is claimable via the Human Resource Development Funds (HRDF).

The 'Post Basic Perioperative Nursing' course is a six month program designed to prepare an individual for specialization in the field of infection prevention and control. The program consists of a combination of classroom and laboratory activities as well as clinical placements in government and private healthcare settings.

At the end of our 'Post Basic Perioperative Nursing' course, at DSH Institute of Technology, students will be able to :



Integrate theory, principles and concepts into perioperative nursing practice



Provide continuous, integrated care in perioperative assessment, intraoperative intervention, and postoperative evaluation of surgical patients.



## COURSE STRUCTURE :

### YEAR 1

#### Technical Knowledge

Applied Anatomy & Physiology in Surgery  
Perianesthesia in Perioperative Nursing  
Microbiology & and Infection Control in Perioperative  
Surgical Instrumentation & Equipment  
Perioperative Nursing Care

Professional Knowledge / Skills  
Management of Infection  
Control

Clinical Attachments  
Clinical Practice



**Course Code**  
PBPO



**Duration**  
6 months (full time)



**MQA Approval**  
FA5313



**MOHE Approval**  
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#### Mode of Study

Lectures, Tutorial, Practical Sessions,  
Clinical Placements

#### Future Education Pathways

- Bachelors in Nursing
- Further Specialized Courses in Perioperative Setting

#### Career Pathways

- Scrub Nurse
- Circulating Nurse
- RN First Nurse
- Nurse Manager

#### Entry Requirements

Currently Employed Individuals  
(a) Registered with the Medical  
Nursing Board, Malaysia

(b) Possess current 'Annual  
Practicing Certificate' (APC) for  
Nurses

(c) Minimum ONE (1) year clinical  
working experience in  
healthcare settings

(d) Minimum THREE (3) months experience  
in the perioperative setting

(d) Medically fit and free from  
disabilities that hinder nursing  
dexterity

#### Special Note :

Pregnancy is not allowed  
during the course