

G1097 Graduate Diploma in Infectious Disease

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Start Date: Semester 2 2026

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| Year 1 – 2026 | Semester 1 Units | CP | Semester 2 Units | CP |
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| | | | BMS504 Vaccine Science and Technology | 3 |
| | | | BMS505 Antimicrobial Drug Discovery | 3 |
| | | | FSN604 Food Microbiology | 3 |
| | | | VET656 Public Health and Epidemiology | 3 |
| | | Total | 12 | |
| Year 2 - 2027 | Semester 1 Units | CP | Semester 2 Units | CP |
| | BMS500 Principles of Infectious Diseases | 3 | | |
| | BMS501 Zoonoses, Pandemic Surveillance and Preparedness | 3 | | |
| | BMS502 Medical Laboratory Technologies | 3 | | |
| | BMS503 Microbial Bioinformatics | 3 | | |
| | Total | 12 | | |

TOTAL CREDIT POINTS 24

Notes:

Students must complete all the above eight units to complete the Graduate Diploma in Infectious Disease.

Please note: This course plan is a sample only and must be read in conjunction with the full course structure, unit prerequisites and enrolment options as outlined in the [Handbook](#). Students should note that due to unit prerequisites, commencing study in Semester 2 may extend the duration of the course. This information is correct as at 08/06/26.