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Regulations under the *Nursing Act*

I, ERIC EUGENE JOHNSTON, the Administrator of the Northern Territory of Australia, acting with the advice of the Executive Council, hereby make the following Regulations under the *Nursing Act*.

Dated this 30th day of April, 1985.

E. E. JOHNSTON
Administrator

By His Honour's Command

J. M. ROBERTSON

Minister for Health

AMENDMENTS OF THE NURSING REGULATIONS

1. ADMISSION OF TRAINEES

Regulation 13(1) of the Nursing Regulations is amended by omitting paragraph (a) and substituting the following:

"(a) in the case of a school of nursing for general nursing, the person has -

- (i) attained 17 years of age and satisfactorily completed year 12 of secondary education; or
- (ii) graduated, with credit, in the Course in General Studies for Aborigines at the Darwin Institute of Technology and been awarded the Certificate for that course with the Certificate endorsed "A" level."

* Notified in the *Northern Territory Government Gazette* on 15 MAY, 1985.

Nursing Regulations

2. REPEAL AND SUBSTITUTION

Schedules 2, 5 and 8 to the Nursing Regulations are repealed and the following respectively substituted:

"SCHEDULE 2

Regulation 16

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE REQUIRED FOR GENERAL NURSING

Clinical Experience	Weeks
1. Casualty and Outpatient Nursing	6
2. Community Nursing	4
3. Geriatric Nursing	4
4. Intensive Care Unit	5
5. Maternity Nursing	4
6. Operating Theatre Nursing (assistance with)	4
7. Operating Theatre - Recovery Unit	1
8. Paediatric Nursing	10
9. Psychiatric or Mental Retardation Nursing	4
10. Adult Nursing including Medical, Surgical and Orthopaedic Nursing of male and female patients and Gynaecology	36
11. Elective and Additional Nursing Experience	12

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"SCHEDULE 5

Regulation 18

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE REQUIRED FOR MIDWIFERY NURSING

Clinical Experience	Weeks
Pre-natal and Postnatal Clinics (Postnatal Clinic to include Family Planning, Infertility and Baby Clinic)	2
Pre-natal Nursing Postnatal Nursing Delivery Suite Nursing	24
Neonatal Care Well Baby and Infant Feeding Intensive Care	8 4

"SCHEDULE 8

Regulation 20

CLINICAL EXPERIENCE REQUIRED FOR ENROLLED NURSING

Clinical Experience	Weeks
Medical Nursing	8
Surgical Nursing	8
Paediatric Nursing	8
Community Health Nursing	2
Maternity Nursing	4
Outpatients and Casualty Nursing	4
Geriatric Nursing	2

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