## STRUCTURE OF PLACEMENT

Placement - Your Placement details can be found under your Placement tab on your Sonia Online record.

Mandatory Intensive Workshops - All placement courses (PAR103, PAR203 and PAR312) have a mandatory intensive component to be completed on campus at UniSC and a component with an external organisation. On campus attendance is mandatory because clinical scope of practice is assessed during the intensive and must be successfully completed prior to placement. If assessment 1 (clinical capability) is failed, then the placement will be cancelled, and student withdrawn from the course. In addition, other information is covered during the intensive that is required for operational safety.

### **PAR103**

- Intensive component occurs after the conclusion of second semester examination period and after the PAR203 intensive is concluded. Check the placement calendar for the exact dates.
- You must be available for the entire 2 weeks of intensives.
- Placement occurs over 4 weeks over January and February 2026 (Session 8, 2025) with the Queensland Ambulance Service (QAS).
- Placement locations will be by preference, adhering to QAS availability.

### **PAR203**

- Intensive component occurs immediately after the conclusion of second semester examination period.
  Check the placement calendar for the exact dates. Students are required on campus for 3 days: either Monday-Wednesday-Friday or Tuesday-Thursday-Friday.
- Placement occurs over 3 weeks in December with Queensland Ambulance Service (QAS).
- Placement locations will be by preference, adhering to QAS availability.

# PAR312 (QAS Placement)

- Intensive component occurs in Orientation Week of second semester. Check the placement calendar for the exact dates. Students are required on campus for 3 days; either Monday-Wednesday-Friday (Group 1) or Tuesday-Thursday-Friday (Group 2) and your group must be the same for intensives as it is for placement. You must be available for the entire week of intensives.
- Your QAS placement occurs over 6 weeks; either in the first half or second half of the semester with QAS. It is organised around PAR321.
- Your QAS placement will be by preference in two groups.
- Your QAS placement locations will also be by preference, adhering to QAS availability and consideration of past placements.

## **PAR312 (Community Placement)**

- Your Community Placement will run in Semester 2 for a maximum of 2 weeks full time or equivalent parttime.
- Your Community Placement will be organised within the availability of host sites.

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