# Subject Brief



### **SOCQ121**

## **Foundations of Critical Enquiry**

### **General information**

Awards	Subject type	Study year	Study Semester
Bachelor of Health Science (Chinese Medicine)	Core	Year 2	Semester 3
Bachelor of Health Science (Acupuncture Therapies)	Core	Year 2	Semester 3

EFTSL: 0.0625

Delivery mode: Online

Co-requisites: Nil

Pre-requisites: Nil

## **Subject overview**

This subject introduces students to various research designs, methodologies, and their strengths and weaknesses in complementary medicine and health sciences. It covers clinical research, research methods, and literature, emphasising the role of personal values, ethics, and paradigms. Students will learn to critically assess research quality, understand the importance of research questions, and select appropriate methods. This foundational course prepares students for advanced studies by enhancing their understanding of the research process in healthcare contexts.

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