**Victoria College Nursing Team**

We are a team of three nurses delivering routine and unplanned medical care to all students. We work closely with the Head of College, the physiotherapist, education staff and other health professionals to provide a person-centred package of care for every student. We encourage students to be actively involved in their health care with minimal impact on their learning experience. Every student’s well being is paramount in our provision of care.

These are examples of some of the health processes we currently complete:

Enteral feeds via nasogastric and gastrostomy tube, routine and emergency tube changes, catheter care, weight management, health promotion, wound management, epilepsy, asthma and diabetes care, administering routine and emergency medication and completing oral suctioning as required. This is not an exhaustive list and additional treatments can be carried out to meet the needs of any student, please contact us if you have any questions.

We use the student’s preferred communication method, including verbal communication, signs, symbols and Makaton.

We support community visits to ensure the students can access as many activities as possible and that their medical needs do not prevent their inclusion.