



1. Title of the certificate – Yrkeshögskoleexamen <sup>1</sup>

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Specialistundersköterska inom psykiatri

2. Translated title of the certificate – Higher Vocational Education Diploma <sup>2</sup>

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Specialist Assistant Nurse - Psychiatry

3. Knowledge, skills and competence profile

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The holder of the certificate has:

- Specialist knowledge of psychiatric nursing.
- Specialist knowledge of digital business development in practice.
- Specialist knowledge of the meaning of digitalisation concepts, benefit, areas of responsibility and law.
- Specialist knowledge of risk assessment relating to ethics, safety, patient safety and privacy.
- Specialist knowledge of communication and different methods of conversation, with emphasis on MI.
- Skills in seeing possible digitalisation areas.
- Skills in independently planning, performing, presenting and critically reviewing a defined project.
- Skills in conducting motivational and supportive therapeutic conversations against a background of the individual's needs and accepted methodology, based on ethical principles and values.
- Skills in responding to challenging situations with methods that protect individuals and staff.
- Skills in creating an environment that reduces problem-creating behaviour.
- Competence to see digital opportunities and contribute to digital development of the professional role and workplace.
- Competence to demonstrate an approach that promotes empowerment.
- Competence to convey hope and empower the individual.
- Competence to use tools and methods that identify underlying causes of affective behaviour, as well as reduce or avoid conflicts and outbreaks with a low-affective approach.
- Competence to contribute observations on the patient's health status to other professional categories.

4. Range of occupations accessible to the holder of the certificate <sup>3</sup>

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Orderly, unspecified, Orderly, psychiatric care, Specialist Assistant Nurse, psychiatry and Carer, psychiatric care

<sup>1</sup> In the original language. | <sup>2</sup> If applicable. This translation has no legal status. | <sup>3</sup> If applicable.

## 1. Official basis of the certificate

Name and address of the awarding institution

Lernia Utbildning AB  
Thulegatan 1 A  
903 26 Umeå

Authority providing accreditation / recognition of the certificate

The Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education  
Box 145  
721 05 Västerås, Sweden  
[www.myh.se](http://www.myh.se)

Level of the certificate (national or European) <sup>1</sup>

Level 5 in the National Qualifications Framework (SeQF)  
Level 5 in the European Qualifications Framework (EQF)

Grading scale / Pass requirements

Fail (icke godkänt – IG)  
Pass (Godkänt – G)  
Pass with distinction (Väl godkänt – VG)

Access to next level of education / training <sup>1</sup>International agreements on recognition of qualifications <sup>1</sup>

The Higher Vocational Education Diploma requires a minimum of a Pass (Godkänt) in all courses.

Legal basis

A Higher Vocational Education Diploma is awarded if the study programme comprises a minimum of 200 Higher Vocational Education credits (HVE credits). Five HVE credits correspond to one week of full-time studies.

## 2. Officially recognised ways of acquiring the certificate

Description of vocational education and training	Percentage of total programme (%)	Duration (/weeks)
College/education centre	88 %	35 weeks
Placement – learning in a work environment	12 %	5 weeks
Total duration of the education / training leading to the certificate		40 weeks

## 3. Additional information

Entry requirements <sup>1</sup>

Entry requirement is successful completion of upper secondary education.

More information (including a description of the national qualifications system)

For more information on higher vocational education, please visit the website of the Swedish National Agency for Higher Vocational Education: [www.myh.se](http://www.myh.se)

National Europass Centre

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<sup>1</sup> If applicable.