



CHC32015

Certificate III in Community Services

Gain the skills you need to support people in your local community.

About the course

Elevate your career in the community services sector with this intermediate-level course that will qualify you to work in a diverse range of settings in community services.

Learn how to work within a community development framework, planning and conducting group activities, and work with people from diverse backgrounds.

Successful completion of this course will give you the skills to seek employment in a variety of community services settings, or in social housing.

Career outcomes

- Community support worker
- Case worker (community services)
- Community development officer

Locations

- Frankston
- Mornington Peninsula
- Kingston
- Monash
- Greater Dandenong
- Casey
- Hume

Course structure

This course is made up of 12 units of competency including 5 core and 7 elective units.

Core units

- CHCCCS016 Respond to client needs
- CHCCOM005 Communicate and work in health or community services
- CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people
- HLTWHS002 Follow safe work practices for direct client care
- HLTWHS006 Manage personal stressors in the work environment

Electives

- CHCVOL001 Be an effective volunteer
- CHCYTH001 Engage respectfully with young people
- CHCYTH003 Support young people to create opportunities in their lives
- CHCGRP001 Support group activities
- CHCSOH001 Work with people experiencing or at risk of homelessness
- CHCPRP001 Develop and maintain networks and collaborative partnerships
- CHCADV001 Facilitate the interests and rights

Elective units in our courses may be amended for specific organisational needs. Consultation with the Education and Training Manager is required for tailored electives that align with your organisations requirements.

Course duration

This model is delivered over a 30 week period.

Classroom model - Training is delivered 1 day a week onsite, (excluding public holidays and school holidays). Work is required to be completed outside of classroom time.

Hybrid model - 1 day a week through a combination of face to face or zoom classes (excluding public holidays and school holidays). Work is required to be completed outside of classroom time.

Speak to one of our team members to confirm the upcoming intakes on offer.

Entry requirements

There are no prerequisite qualifications required to enter this program. However, to enrol you must be willing to obtain a:

- Working with Children's Check
- National Police Check
- NDIS Worker Screening Check
- Australian Citizen

You will also need to provide evidence of your vaccination history, including COVID-19.

Course fees

Government funded: \$150

*Enrolment Fee includes the administration and materials cost.

Self-funded: \$4,650

Individuals ineligible for funding are obligated to cover the self-funded fee, which incorporates the enrolment fee. Eligibility criteria applies.

For additional service fees, such as re-assessment fees or Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL), please refer to the Student Course Guide. This program is delivered with Victorian and Commonwealth Government funding to eligible candidates.

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