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TRAINING

## CHC30212 CERTIFICATE III IN AGED CARE

### WHAT IS THE QUALIFICATION ABOUT?

Aged care is a dynamic sector, incorporating holistic and clinical care techniques to facilitate independence and improve quality of life for the elderly.

This qualification addresses work primarily in residential facilities under direct or regular supervision within clearly defined organisation guidelines and service plans.

These workers:

- Carry out activities to maintain personal care and/or other activities of living for people in an aged care setting
- Carry out activities related to an individualised plan
- Report directly to a supervisor and are not responsible for other workers.

### COURSE ENTRY REQUIREMENT

There are no training package entry requirements for this qualification.

New England College entry requirements include:

- Have completed formal study to demonstrate a skill level of sufficient language, literacy and numeracy sufficient literacy and numeracy skills are required to achieve. A Language, Literacy and Numeracy (LLN) assessment is conducted before enrolment. There is no need to be discouraged about this as the LLN is a great tool to allow us to identify any extra support you may require.
- Be 18 years or above.
- Mandatory Complete Practical Placement of 120 hours as part of the qualification
- National Police Check at your own cost
- There are three scenarios' you need to be aware of in regards to the police check:
  - Police check showing a serious conviction of murder, sexual assault or a conviction and a sentence to imprisonment for any other form of assault will not allow you entry in our Certificate III in Aged Care.
  - A police check showing something other than above will mean you will have to find your own placement as our facilities will only accept students with a clear police check.
  - A clear police check will ensure we find you placement at one of our facilities

### QUALIFICATION RULES AND UNITS OF COMPETENCY

14 units in total: 10 core units + 4 elective units

The following lists of units of competency have been selected as being an appropriate combination and suitable for industry required outcomes. *Elective can be chosen according to the requirement of the clients*



Unit Code	Unit Title
CHCAC317A	Support older people to maintain their independence
CHCAC318B	Work effectively with older people
CHCAC319A	Provide support to people living with dementia
CHCCS411C	Work effectively in the community sector
CHCICS301B	Provide support to meet personal care needs
CHCICS302B	Participate in the implementation of individualised plans
CHCICS303A	Support individual health and emotional well being
CHCWHS312A	Follow WHS safety procedures for direct care work
CHCPA301B	Deliver care services using a palliative approach
HLTAP301B	Recognise healthy body systems in a health care context
HLTAID003	Provide first aid
CHCCS400C	Work within relevant legal and ethical framework.
HLTHIR403C	Work effectively with culturally diverse clients and co-workers
CHCDIS301C	Work effectively with people with disability

## HOW LONG WILL IT TAKE?

The anticipated time to complete the course is 12 months; however, the completion time will vary depending upon the individual learner, the delivery mode, and whether or not Credit Transfers or Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) applies.

## DELIVERY AND ASSESSMENT

1. Classroom/ Face to Face
2. Workshop sessions
3. Workplace
4. Online/ Distance

Training and Assessment will be conducted through a combination of blended learning environments. Both knowledge and practical assessments are required to be completed with a competent outcome for each unit to achieve your certificate.

## PRACTICAL PLACEMENT

As part of this course, there is a minimum of 120 hours (3 weeks full time) of mandatory work placement required to achieve this course. While you are on the job training you will be supervised and guided by experience professionals who work at the facility. Trainers will visit you in the workplace.

New England College will arrange your placement for you. Students will need to be available for shift from Monday to Friday, 6am – 10.30pm. There is no weekend work required.

*If you fail to attend the arranged practical placement you will be required to organise your own placement.*

When attending any Aged Care work placement you must wear a student uniform at all times. New England College provides you with a polo shirt and you are required to wear as part of the uniform, you are responsible for the supply and cost of the following:

- Plain black pants or slacks. No denim, cargo pants, leggings or track suit pants.
- Black enclosed comfortable footwear. Eg: similar to a school shoe or a nursing shoe



## CAREER OUTCOMES

Employment outcomes targeted by this qualification include:

- Home care assistant
- Nursing assistant
- Care worker
- Personal care
- Personal care worker
- Support worker

## PATHWAYS TO FURTHER STUDY

After completing this course, students will be eligible to enrol into Certificate IV of Aged Care. Alternatively, students will be able to access appropriate employment or explore further study options.

## FEES AND CHARGES

Refer to our fees and charges brochure. Payment plans are available.

Government Funding available – Subject to candidate's eligibility Student Contribution fees apply.

## CERTIFICATE ISSUE

A certificate is issued where all 14 units have been deemed competent. A statement of attainment is issued when only some units are deemed competent and the course is not completed in full.

Issuing of your certificate and or statement of attainment occurs within 30 days of last unit being deemed competent, however this may be delayed in the event that you have not provided your Unique Student Identifier (USI) or you have an outstanding debts not finalised.

## ENROLMENT

Enrol either online or contact our Admissions Officers

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