

CHC33021 CERTIFICATE III IN INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT (Ageing and Disability)

Existing workers in this industry

Give back to the community and turn your passion for helping others into a fulfilling career.

Gain the theoretical knowledge and practical skills essential for providing person-centred support to people who require assistance due to ageing or disability. The CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing and Disability) is a nationally recognised qualification providing you with the confidence needed to gain employment in a range of care and support roles.

Employment opportunities include:

- Disability care
- Personal care
- Community, home or residential care
- Other care and assistive roles

Delivery and duration

- 39 week (9 months) mixed mode online course
- 2 days mandatory attendance in class per month at one of our sites
- Online study through weekly webinars with a trainer (synchronous, real-time learning and self-directed learning online)
- 15 units (subjects) including 9 core and 6 electives
- Class times - 8.30am-4.30pm
- Students may need to spend 10 hours per week on research and self-directed learning from the course materials (including completing assessments)

Eligibility criteria

To be eligible, you must:

- Be aged 15 years or older, and no longer in school
- Permanently live in Queensland
- Be an Australian or New Zealand citizen, Australian permanent resident (includes humanitarian entrants), or a temporary resident with an eligible visa subclass
- Not already have a certificate III or higher qualification completed within the last 10 years (qualifications completed as a school student, and foundation skills qualifications don't count)
- Not be enrolled in another qualification, even if it's on hold or deferred, whether funded by us (Department of Trade, Employment and Training) or not (foundation skills qualification don't count).

Along with the eligibility criteria above, specific entry requirements or exemptions may apply to certain funded qualifications and skill sets. These are set by industry or sector requirements, as well as national training package guidelines.

Entry requirements

- Physical ability to be able to perform the required manual handling duties of a carer
- National Police Check
- Working with Children (Blue Card)
- NDIS Worker's Screening Card (Yellow Card)
- Language, literacy and numeracy assessment

Work placement

- 120 hours of vocational placement is required which can be met through their workplace hours (must be in a direct support role with clients). Please note that evidence of hours from workplace will be required.
- Monday to Friday with own transport required

Fees

The following co-contribution fees are payable for those eligible under Career Start:

- Eligible Non-Concessional Student:
Full co-contribution fee \$150
- Eligible Concessional Student:
Full co-contribution fee \$60
- Full Fee Paying Student: \$4,200

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Core Units

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| CHCCCS031 | Provide individualised support |
| CHCCCS038 | Facilitate the empowerment of people receiving support |
| CHCCCS040 | Support independence and wellbeing |
| CHCCCS041 | Recognise healthy body systems |
| CHCCOM005 | Communicate and work in health or community services |
| CHCDIV001 | Work with diverse people |
| CHCLEG001 | Work legally and ethically |
| HLTINF006 | Apply basic principles and practices of infection prevention and control |
| HLTWHS002 | Follow safe work practices for direct client care |

Elective Units

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| CHCAGE011 | Provide support to people living with dementia |
| CHCAGE013 | Work effectively in aged care |
| CHCPAL003 | Deliver care services using a palliative approach |
| CHCDIS011 | Contribute to ongoing skills development using a strengths-based approach |
| CHCDIS012 | Support community participation and social inclusion |
| CHCDIS020 | Work effectively in disability support |

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