CRICOS CODE 113979A – GOLD COAST

CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support

The CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support is a qualification that provides students with the ability to support patients who are in nursing homes, hospitals or clinics due to ageing, disability or some other reason. Workers will be expected to perform a range of tasks which may include: following care plans to provide care to clients, assisting with personal care (showering, bathing, shaving, toileting, oral hygiene, dressing), assisting with meals and feeding, assisting clients to move around, assisting with lifting and turning clients who are immobile or confined to bed and communicating with families.

The job role requires a person who is patient, has good communication skills, uses discretion and judgement, has a commitment to the rights of the elderly and disabled people to live dignified lives and who takes responsibility for their own outputs.

Example Job Roles

- In-home Respite Worker
- Nurse's Aide
- Community Care Worker
- Care Worker
- Community House Worker
- Home Care Assistant
- Residential Support Worker
- Senior Personal Care Assistant
- Field Officer (Community Services)

FACE-TO-FACE SCHEDULE

This course is scheduled as:

- 52 weeks | 20 hours per week | 4 terms | 10 week terms (plus term breaks)

Homework, reading and assessment tasks are completed between each workshop. We recommend that learners set aside between 5–7 hours per week for homework, reading and assessment tasks.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- Students must be aged 18 years and above
- Evidence of acceptable English language test course as below:
  - International English Language Testing System (IELTS) 6.0
  - Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL), internet based test 67
  - Cambridge English: Advanced (Certificate in Advanced English) 161
  - Pearson Test of English Academic 50
  - LanguageCert 61

INVESTMENT

Application Fee (Non-Refundable)	A$	300.00
Resource Fee	A$	200.00
Tuition Fee	A$	8,500.00
Total	**A$**	**9,000.00**
Recognition of Prior Learning. per Unit of Competency	A$.	500.00

Inclusions:

- Course learning and assessment material
- Qualified industry expert trainer
- Student support
- Coffee and tea
- Certification upon successful completion

WORK PLACEMENT REQUIREMENTS

It is a requirement that students complete 120 hours of work placement (to be satisfactorily signed off by your Work Supervisor and your Alana Kaye Assessor).

In addition, the work placement must be completed in a community service organisation.

You must have a police check and have completed First Aid before commencing work placement.

COURSE OUTLINE

This qualification is made up of 15 units of competency (subjects).

Unit Code	Core Units
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

Unit Code	Elective Units
CHCGRP001	Support group activities
CHCPAL003	Deliver care services using a palliative approach
CHCAGE011	Provide support to people living with dementia
HLTAID011	Provide First Aid
CHCAGE013	Work effectively in aged care
CHCAGE007	Recognise and report risk of falls