



## Course Overview

CHC33021 - Certificate III in Individual Support has been designed for those who intend to work in Aged Care (residential and community) and Disability who follow an individualised plan to provide person-centred care to people who may require support due to ageing or disability.

This course will train students, to look after an older person's care needs, support their individual health and wellbeing, follow safety procedures for direct care work and work effectively with the elderly and disabled. This course will provide the necessary foundations to embark on a care-giving career.

### Certification

At the successful completion of this course, you will receive a nationally recognised CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support under the Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF).



### Career Opportunities

#### Occupational titles may include:

- Personal Care Assistant
- Assistant in Nursing
- Community Carer
- Healthcare Worker
- Personal Care Worker
- Home Care Support Worker
- Aged Care Worker
- Disability Support Worker

## Certification

There are 15 units of competency that must be successfully completed to achieve the qualification, Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing and Disability), which includes 9 core units and 6 elective units.

### Core Units

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

### Elective Units

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

Note: Elective units may vary depending on individual student requirements.

**\*This qualification can be delivered through a traineeship model.**

## Delivery Method

This course is delivered by a combination of online self-study learning materials, and ongoing tutor support and mentoring.

Students are required to undertake online activities and self-paced learning (approximately 16 hours per week).

## Course Duration

The qualification will be delivered over a nine-month period with weekly scheduled face-to-face classes.

Alternate duration and delivery schedules may be available depending on individual student needs. Please discuss your individual needs at the Pre-Training Interview.

## Work Placement

As a compulsory component of this course, you will be required to complete a minimum of 120 hours of work placement within an Aged Care/Disability service.

## Assessment

To achieve qualification, the student will need to:

- Successfully complete compulsory practical training and observation in the workplace of a minimum of 120 hours.
- Successfully complete all assessments including:  
Knowledge questions, Projects, Practical assessment, Simulation/Observation

## Entry Requirement

We welcome and encourage students from all cultural backgrounds, all diversities and ability, who can meet the course requirement.

Candidates seeking to undertake this course must have:

- National Police Check – on commencement of this course all candidates are required to complete/have a current National Police Check within 6 months.
- Immunisation Evidence – Students are required to provide current Immunisation evidence prior to enrolment, i.e. influenza and COVID-19 vaccination in line with current Government Health Department guidelines.
- Course applicants must complete a Literacy, Numeracy (LLN Robot) test to ensure the required language, literacy and numeracy levels are met for the course.
- Pre-training interview with education staff required prior to enrolment.

## Course Fees

Subsidised  
Concession  
\$0.00

Subsidised  
Standard  
\$0.00

Full  
Rate  
\$8,415.00

- You may be eligible for government funding through the \*Skills First Program incentives. Visit <https://www.vic.gov.au/how-check-your-eligibility> for more information.

- This training is delivered with Victorian and Commonwealth Government funding to eligible individuals.

Please refer to Fee Schedule at [www.brite.org.au](http://www.brite.org.au) for Fee Type and Course Fee breakdown.

## More information

[www.training.gov.au](http://www.training.gov.au) | [www.skills.vic.gov.au](http://www.skills.vic.gov.au)

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## Course Enquiries

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