



52841WA Certificate II in Introduction to Aged Care

National ID: 52841WA | State ID: BEI60

About this course

The aim of the Certificate II in Introduction to Aged Care is to provide learners with basic industry specific skills and knowledge to either enable transition into a traineeship within the Community Services sector at the Certificate III level or provide them with basic industry specific skills and knowledge for working in the Aged Care sector.

This course is intended to provide participants with the knowledge and skills to perform the following tasks associated with the Aged Care sector:

- Provide support services to a client including following a individual plan and reporting and completing documentation
- Provide support services to a client including responding to an individual's physical personal support needs and to support activities of daily living.
- Follow safe work practices
- Develop an understanding of diverse groups and how to work and communicate with them
- Communicate effectively with clients, colleagues, management and other industry providers
- Follow infection prevention and control procedures
- Recognise potentially hazardous manual tasks
- Recognise and respond to life-threatening emergencies

Overview

Semester 1, 2020

Geraldton Campus - 52841WA Pre-Traineeship

-  Duration: **3 Month/s**
-  When: **Semester 1, 2020**
-  How: **Face to face (class room)**

Units

In order to complete this qualification you will need to successfully complete all CORE units listed below.

Core

National ID	Unit Title
CHCCCS011	Meet personal support needs
CHCCCS015	Provide individualised support
CHCCOM005	Communicate and work in health or community services
CHCDIV001	Work with diverse people
HLTAID002	Provide basic emergency life support
HLTINF001	Comply with infection prevention and control policies and procedures
HLTWHS001	Participate in workplace health and safety
HLTWHS005	Conduct manual tasks safely

Elective

National ID	Unit Title
AW866	Module 1 (placement arranged)
AW867	Module 2 (commenced)
AW868	Module 3 (mid-point)
AW869	Module 4 (completed)
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AW867	Module 2 (commenced)
AW868	Module 3 (mid-point)
AW869	Module 4 (completed)

Entrance requirements

School Leaver	Non-School Leaver	AQF
OLNA or NAPLAN 9 Band 8	C Grades in Year 10 English and Maths or equivalent	Certificate I or Certificate II

RTO entry requirements for the student include:

Students are required to attend a selection process as identified above prior to enrolment in the program and satisfy the selection panel that they meet requirements of the aged and disability care sectors regarding safety. This includes:

- Students must provide a National Police Clearance that does not identify any offences that would prevent the student from working in the Aged or Disability care sector.
- Students may be asked to provide a Working with Children's check depending on the placement agencies requirements.
- Students must be physically fit to perform physical duties associated with providing personal care and domestic support including but not limited to:
 - Manual handling tasks such as hoisting and transferring
 - Assisting with personal care tasks such as showering and feeding

- Assisting with domestic duties such as cleaning and making beds
- Students may be asked to provide a medical clearance to support your application.

Students may be asked to provide evidence of immunisation status and may be required to have additional immunisations depending on the placement agencies requirements.

Important information

There are no entry requirements for this qualification although the program business rules stipulate the following:

Prior to the commencement of their training, students must attend a selection process and satisfy the selection panel that they are suitable to participate in the program.

Aged care and disability care sectors have specific requirements to ensure a safe environment for clients and employees. Students must satisfy the selection panel that they will be able to meet these requirements prior to commencing their work placement.

The selection process will involve the student attending an interview with a panel of three to four people who are representatives of Central Regional TAFE and local Industry placement agencies. The students will be asked questions regarding their interest and experience with aged care including but not limited to questions such as:

- What they think this course is about
- What is their career goal?
- What is their understanding of the aged care workers role - what do they do?
- What is their interest in participating in the program?
- What do they hope to achieve by participation in the program?
- What time do you have to dedicate to study and participation in the program?
- What support do you think you will require to successfully complete the program?
- Do you have any limitations in your physical ability that would impact on you performing job role tasks such as manual handling and person care tasks?
- Do you have any offences that would prevent you from working in the aged or disability care sector?
- Do they have any relations or people they know currently living in residential aged care or accessing aged care services?

These questions would enable the panel to assess the applicant's suitability for the program and which workplace they are suited to.

Fees and charges

Find our Indicative Price List [here](#).

At Central Regional TAFE, three types of fees may be charged.

Course Fees

The course fee is determined by multiplying the tuition fee rate by the nominal hours, which is the number of hours in which an average student could be expected to complete each unit.

Resource Fees

Resource fees are charges for materials that are considered essential to a course or unit of study and which do not form part of the course fee. The resource fee covers materials purchased by the College to be consumed or transformed by students in the course of instruction, such as workshop materials, workbooks and essential uniforms.

Other Fees

Other fees may be charged for goods or services that are not essential to the course such as parking, membership to student organisations and security passes.

In addition to these fees students may need to purchase textbooks, uniforms and other course specific equipment. Your Pre Enrolment Information package will provide additional information if these are required.

Please note, fees are subject to change.