



## CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support (Disability)

This qualification is a nationally recognised training product delivered by Tauondi Aboriginal College (RTO Code 2370). This qualification\* reflects the role of workers in the community and/or residential setting who follow an individualised plan to provide person-centred support to people who may require support due to ageing, disability or some other reason. Work involves using discretion and judgement in relation to individual support as well as taking responsibility for own outputs. Workers have a range of factual, technical and procedural knowledge, as well as some theoretical knowledge of the concepts and practices required to provide person-centred support. (\*Note 1)

### Career opportunities

- Accommodation support worker (Disability)
- Disability Services Worker
- Home care assistant (Disability)
- Personal Care Giver (Disability)
- Respite Care Worker (Disability)
- Nursing Support

- **CHC33015** Certificate III in Individual Support (Disability) comprises Thirteen (13) units to complete this qualification. Package rules are Seven (7) Core units plus Six (6) Elective units.

### Core Units of Competency

- CHCCCS015 - Provide individualised support
- CHCCCS023 - Support independence and wellbeing
- CHCCOM005 - Communicate and work in health or community services
- CHCDIV001 - Work with diverse people
- CHCLEG001 - Work legally and ethically
- HLTAAP001 - Recognise healthy body systems
- HLTWHS002 - Follow safe work practices for direct client care

### Elective Units of Competency

- CHCAGE006 - Provide Food Services
- CHCDIS001 - Contribute to ongoing skills and development using a strengths-based approach
- CHCDIS002 - Follow established person-centred behaviour supports
- CHCDIS003 - Support community participation and social inclusion
- CHCDIS007 - Facilitate the empowerment of people with disability
- CHCAOD001 – Work in an alcohol and other drugs context



## Duration

CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support (Disability) is timetabled one (1) day per week, **Friday 9 am - 5 pm** and can be completed over a twenty-four (24) month period, totalling 1605 training (*contact*) hours. ***This qualification is delivered for existing workers only.***

There are Four (4) Terms for the 2019 Academic calendar year at Tauondi as below:

2019 Student Academic Calendar			
Term	Start	End (inclusive)	Weeks
1	Monday 04 February 2019	Fri 12 April 2019	10
2	Monday 29 April 2019	Friday 05 July 2019	10
3	Monday 22 July 2019	Friday 27 September 2019	10
4	Monday 14 October 2019	Friday 06 December 2019	8
2019 Student Term Break Periods			
End Term 1	Monday 15 April 2019 to Friday 26 April 2019 inclusive		2 weeks
End Term 2	Monday 08 July 2019 to Friday 19 July 2019 inclusive		2 weeks
End Term 3	Monday 30 Sept 2019 to Friday 11 October 2019 inclusive		2 weeks

## Training Location & Modes of Delivery

Based on individual circumstances, training for this course is delivered at Tauondi Aboriginal College **and** at relevant workplaces. Training is composed of practical and classroom based activities (sessions, presentations, practical demonstrations, workshops, group and individual activities) and onsite workplace training\*. To achieve this qualification, the student must have completed at least **120 hours** of work as detailed in the Units of Competency's Assessment Conditions. These mandatory hours will be embedded within the allocated hours of work by the employer. (\*Note 2)

## Placement Criteria

Prior to the commencement as an **existing** worker, Host employers may/will require students to have:

- Department of Human Services (National Criminal History Report Check)
- Manual Handling Certificate
- Child Safe Environments and/or RAN-EC

Tauondi Aboriginal College will support students in gaining any of these requirements. Tauondi Student Services will assist students with mentors for work experience and employment. (\*Note 3)



## Entry Requirements

The eligibility criteria is vital in ensuring successful completion of the Certificate. Applicants must meet the minimum requirements for enrolment, including:

- Be a minimum of 17 years of age unless exemption approval provided
- Be of Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander descent
- Possess a valid Unique Student Identifier (USI)
- Complete a Tauondi LL&N assessment
- Interview with Trainer
- Physical capabilities required to successfully complete training and assessment requirements

## Fees

This qualification is provided to Aboriginal and Torres Strait students at no charge. However, please be aware that there are limitations on the number of qualifications a person may study under the Abstudy program. For further details please contact Centrelink in person or by phone on **1800 132 317**.

## Recognised Prior Learning

Tauondi Aboriginal College recognises the importance of skills and knowledge that you bring to the college. You may have gained these in the workforce, through previous study or even life experience. Recognition of Prior Learning (**RPL**) is a process that tries to match these skills and knowledge to the outcomes of your chosen course. Tauondi will recognise any qualifications and statements of attainment gained from other registered training organisations. Credit Transfer (**CT**) will be applied. If you are interested in RPL/CT opportunities, contact Student Services at Tauondi or refer to the Student Handbook for more details.

### Study Pathway:

- CHC42115 Certificate IV in Community Development
- CHC42015 Certificate IV in Community Services
- CHC43115 Certificate IV in Disability

### Enrolment

For further details on **CHC32015** Certificate III in Community Services please contact Student Services:

- in person at: 1 Lipson Street Port Adelaide SA 5015
- by email to: [studentservices@tauondi.sa.edu.au](mailto:studentservices@tauondi.sa.edu.au)
- by phone on: (08) 8240 0300
- website: [www.tauondi.sa.edu.au](http://www.tauondi.sa.edu.au)

*Note 1: Completion of this qualification does not guarantee an employment outcome.*

*Note 2: Enrolment in this qualification does not guarantee successful completion.*

*Note 3: Work placements will require students to wear appropriate professional attire suitable for our industry. Tauondi does not supply business attire for work placements, however on request we can refer you to relevant partner organisations for assistance.*