



NEW! CHC33019 CERTIFICATE III IN CARE SUPPORT

The Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing) is being repackaged to better reflect the immediate and critical needs of industry.

CERTIFICATE III IN CARE SUPPORT

The Certificate III in Care Support is a new qualification, made up of existing units of competency, that will have three specialist streams:

- Ageing
- Disability
- Home and community care.

During consultation, industry agreed staff working in an aged care environment often require skills in disability and home and community care to complement their aged care skills.

EXISTING INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT, DISABILITY AND HACC QUALIFICATIONS

The existing Individual Support, Disability and HACC qualifications remain the same, with the new Certificate III in Care Support running parallel to the existing qualifications.

PROPOSED PACKAGING RULES

Total number of units to be completed = 13





- 7 core units
- 6 elective units
 - at least 4 units from the electives listed, with at least 2 units from Groups A, B, C or D
 - up to 2 units from the electives listed, any endorsed Training Package or Accredited Course relevant to the work outcome.

SPECIALISATION ELECTIVE REQUIREMENTS

Certificate III in Care Support (Ageing)	Certificate III in Care Support (Disability)	Certificate III in Care Support (Home and Community Care)
3 Group A electives	All Group B electives	4 Group C units
3 Group D electives	2 units from any elective group relevant to the work outcome	2 units from any elective group relevant to the work outcome

If a learner completes two specialisations, the awarded qualification would read Certificate III in Care Support (Ageing, Home and Community).

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PROPOSED UNITS OF COMPETENCY

Unit of Competency	Core/Elective
CHCCCS015 Provide individualised support	C
CHCCCS023 Support independence and well being	C
CHCCOM005 Communicate and work in health or community services	C
CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people	C
CHCLEG001 Work legally and ethically	C
HLTAAP001 Recognise healthy body systems	C
HLTWS002 Follow safe work practices for direct client care	C
Group A electives – AGEING specialisation (3 units)	
CHCAGE001 Facilitate the empowerment of older people	E
CHCAGE005 Provide support to people living with dementia	E
CHCCCS011 Meet personal support needs	E
Group B electives – DISABILITY specialisation (4 units)	
CHCDIS001 Contribute to ongoing skills development using a strengths-based approach	E
CHCDIS002 Follow established person-centred behaviour supports	E
CHCDIS003 Support community participation and social inclusion	E
CHCDIS007 Facilitate the empowerment of people with disability	E
Group C electives – HOME AND COMMUNITY specialisation (4 units)	
CHCAGE001 Facilitate the empowerment of older people	E
CHCDIS007 Facilitate the empowerment of people with disability	E
CHCCCS011 Meet personal support needs	E
CHCCCS025 Support relationships with carers and families	E
CHCHCS001 Provide home and community support services	E
Group D electives – AGED CARE ELECTIVES	
CHCAGE002 Implement falls prevention strategies	E
CHCCCS017 Provide loss and grief support	E
CHCDIS004 Communicate using augmentative and alternative communication strategies	E
CHCDIV002 Promote Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural safety	E
CHCLAH003 Participate in planning, implementation and monitoring of individual leisure and health programs	E
CHCMHS001 Work with people with mental health issues	E
CHCPAL001 Deliver care services using a palliative approach	E
HLTAHA001 Assist with an allied health program	E
HLTHPS006 Assist clients with medication	E
HLTINF001 Comply with infection prevention and control policies and procedures	E
GROUP E electives – OTHER ELECTIVES	
CHCADV001 Facilitate the interests and rights of clients	E
CHCAOD001 Work in an alcohol and other drugs context	E
CHCCCS006 Facilitate individual service planning and deliver	E
CHCCCS009 Facilitate responsible behaviour	E
CHCCCS024 Support individuals with autism spectrum disorder	E
CHCLAH001 Work effectively in the leisure and health industries	E
CHCLAH002 Contribute to leisure and health programming	E
CHCPRP001 Develop and maintain networks and collaborative partnerships	E
CHCPRP003 Reflect on and improve own professional practice	E
BSBCUS301 Deliver and monitor a service to customers	E
BSBINM201 Process and maintain workplace information	E
BSBMED301 Interpret and apply medical terminology appropriately	E
BSBWOR204 Use business technology	E
BSBWOR301 Organise personal work priorities and development	E

Qualification, codes, units of competency and titles will be confirmed upon endorsement of the new qualification.