



Wesley Vocational Institute

RTO Code 90091

CHC33021 – Certificate III in Individual Support – Ageing

Course details

Information session: TBA



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Course dates: Taking Expressions of Interest to start March 2024

Course duration: 22 weeks

Face to Face Workshops: 2 days per week, Monday and Friday, 9:30am-2:30pm

Location: Wesley Vocational Institute Wollongong-65 Burelli Street,
Wollongong

Work experience/placement: 120 hours

Trainer/Assessor: Julie Waugh

About the course

This program offers individuals the opportunity to gain a qualification and experience supporting adults within the care sector; with pathways to employment within the aged care, home care or disability services.

Who should enrol

Passionate and caring individuals seeking the opportunity to receive accredited training in the care sector. Applicants should possess a calm, patient nature and should be capable of operating within a team as well as with some independence.

Learning outcomes

Successful completion of this course will enable you to gain a nationally accredited qualification in an industry which offers a broad range of employment opportunities.

Attendance, study load and student support

You will be required to:

- Attend all scheduled tutorials, workshops and simulated activities including two tutorials per week (10 - 12 hours per week spanning 22 weeks);
- Undertake theory and practical assessment activities (up to an average 20 - 25 hours per week of the program);
- Undertake self-paced learning activities over 22 weeks of the program, including individual research in your own time (estimated at 8 - 10 hours per unit of competency for the average learner).

Details and expectations on activities will be provided in individual training plans. Student support is available prior to and at the end of each session. Scheduled support sessions will also be available.

Work experience/placement

- Complete a minimum of 120 hours of work placement.
- Work placement will be organised as you progress through the course and could include both morning and afternoon shifts.
- Your Trainer/Assessor or WVI representative will consult with you regarding your work placement, options available to you and your availability. Your work placement will commence shortly after you reach midway in the course.
- Rosters for work placement will be developed in consultation with your industry host provider and your Trainer/Assessor will undertake skills and observation assessments at appointed intervals throughout your work placement period. You will be visited by your Trainer/Assessor throughout your work placement; your course schedule/timetable will provide additional information about visits and observation and assessments.

Assessment

Assessment will include a range of activities such as written tasks, oral questions and skills demonstration within a simulated and/or actual work environment.

N.B. Students need to be aware of, and consent to video record themselves for the purpose of gathering and submitting workplace assessment evidence relating to specific performance tasks.

Entry requirements

Wesley Vocational Institute has set the following entry requirements for enrolment in this course:

- Ability to commit to the attendance and study load requirements of this course.
- Satisfactory level of language, literacy and numeracy.
- Be an Australian/New Zealand citizen, Australian Permanent Resident or Humanitarian visa holder.
- Satisfy NSW Public Health Orders and Industry Work Health and Safety requirements.
- Reliable computer and internet access.
- Willingness to complete, a volunteer 'Working with Children Check' and;
- Australian National Police Check **
- Some host employers will additionally require an NDIS screening check.

***Due to the duty of care requirements of service providers, individuals with disclosable court outcomes may not be given access to services for the purpose of completing their work experience – please consider this prior to enrolling. If you wish to have a confidential discussion regarding this matter, please contact our office via the details provided below.*

Course fees

This training is subsidised by the NSW Government. Student fees may apply.

See **www.smartandskilled.nsw.gov.au** for further information and contact us to find out if you are eligible for fee concessions. All course materials are provided inclusive of any course fee.

How to apply

Step 1: Click QR code above or call Michelle Konstandaras on (02) 4231 8200 or Sonia Lyon on 0437 906 087.

Step 2: A WVI representative will contact you to arrange your receipt of pre-course paperwork.

Step 3: The WVI Course Advisor will provide you with your Smart and Skilled eligibility quote, advising you of any course fees that may be applicable.

Step 4: Attend WVI information session and complete mandatory Language, Literacy and Numeracy assessment.

Step 5: WVI representative will advise you if you have been accepted into the course and provide you with your detailed Training plan.

Step 6: Complete and return enrolment paperwork.

Step 7: Wesley Vocational Institute representative will contact you with additional information to prepare you for your course.

Enrolment documentation

- ☐ Unique Student Identifier (USI) number (apply here www.usi.gov.au)
- ☐ Photo ID (e.g. driver's license, photo card, passport)
- ☐ Medicare card
- ☐ Proof of NSW residency
- ☐ Proof of eligible welfare payment (e.g. Centrelink income statement – if applicable)

Other important information

Participant numbers for this course are strictly capped to ensure optimal learning conditions. Please contact us on 1800 676 039 if you have any questions.

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CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people	CHCCCS015 Provide individualised support
HLTWHS002 Follow safe work practices for direct client care	CHCAGE011 Provide support to people living with dementia**
CHCCOM005 Communicate and work in health or community services	CHCAGE013 Work effectively in aged care**
CHCLEG001 Work legally and ethically	CHCPAL003 Deliver care services using a palliative approach**
HLTAAP001 Recognise healthy body systems	CHCAGE007 Recognise and report risk of falls**
CHCCCS023 Support independence and wellbeing	CHCCCS017 Address the needs of people with chronic disease**
HLTINF006 Apply basic principles and practises of infection prevention and control	CHCCCS036 Support relationships with carer and family**
CHCCCS038 Facilitate the empowerment of people receiving support	

**Elective units of competency are subject to change dependant on industry need or qualification specialisation.

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