Certificate II in Community Services

Course code: CHC22015

The Certificate II in Community Services aims to enhance student’s employment prospects or further education opportunities within a broad range of community services related industries. Further study and careers are available in related fields such as: nursing, disability support, youth work, occupational therapy, psychology, aged care, child protection and children’s services.

On successful completion of a VETiS course, students are guaranteed a place in a Swinburne Vocational Education program (subject to entry requirements for the course they wish to undertake are met).

Location and times

Year 1
Wantirna campus
Wednesday 1.00pm–4.00pm

Year 2 (2018)
TBA

Mode of delivery

• A small amount of field work
• Classroom/workplace simulation
• Possible off-campus activities

Duration
Two years part-time

Outcomes
On successful completion of this program, students will:

• VCE: be eligible for up to 3 VCE VET units on their VCE Statement of Results at Units 1 and 2 level.
• VICAL: meet the requirements for the Industry Specific Skills strand and may also contribute to the Work Related Skills Strand of VICAL.
• Qualification: be eligible for a nationally recognised qualification CHC22015 Certificate II in Community Services.

Structured Workplace Learning
Structured Workplace Learning (SWL) is not required but is strongly recommended by the Victorian Curriculum and Assessment Authority [www.vcaa.vic.edu.au/](http://www.vcaa.vic.edu.au/).

The finding and management of SWL is the responsibility of the school.

Complementary studies

• Health and Human Development
• Psychology

Pathway opportunities

• Certificate III/IV in Community Services in the following streams:
  • Aged Care Work
  • Alcohol and Other Drugs
  • Child Protection/Justice
  • Children’s Services
  • Community Work
  • Disability Work
  • Mental Health Work (non-clinical)
  • Youth
• Certificate III in Allied Health or Health Service Assistant
• Diploma/Advanced Diploma in Community Services
• Diploma of Nursing

Fees and application
Contact the Secondary School VET Coordinator or Careers Practitioner.

Career opportunities

• Aged care attendant
• Childcare assistant
• Health care counsellor
• Nanny
• Nurse
• Nutritionist
• Social worker
• Sociologist
• Welfare worker
• Youth worker

Information for students

More information
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Registered Training Organisation Provider No: 3059
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### Units of competency

#### Year 1

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**Total nominal units** 145

Year 2 competencies (for 2018) to be advised

Information is current at the time of publication (July 2016) but is subject to change.