



**CERTIFICATE III IN  
INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT**  
• COURSE GUIDE •

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Department of Training  
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# **CERTIFICATE III IN INDIVIDUAL SUPPORT (AGEING)**

## **MIRRABOOKA**

### **QUALIFICATION:**

CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing)

### **COURSE LOCATION**

Herb Graham Recreation Centre  
38 Ashbury Crescent  
Mirrabooka WA 6061

The Centre is opposite the Mirrabooka Square Shopping Centre, about 500 m from Reid Highway.

### **COURSE DATES (CLASSROOM)**

Commencing: Weekly, Three days per week (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday)  
Completion: 12 weeks after commencement date (dependent on public holidays)

Students are also required to undertake flexible self directed learning activities in addition to classroom learning

### **COURSE TIMES**

Start: 8.30am  
Finish: 3.30pm

### **PRACTICAL PLACEMENT**

All students in order to achieve a full assessment must undertake 160 hours of practical placement within an Aged Care environment. AEATS has dedicated Practical Placement Coordinators who will arrange your placement on your behalf. Placements can be undertaken as voluntary or paid work dependent on the individual arrangements between the student and the Aged Care facility.

Students are also required to have a current National Police Certificate available to our Practical Placement Coordinator at least 2 weeks prior to undertaking their Practical Placement. Practical Placement facilities reserve the right to reject students who do not have a clean National Police Certificate. If in doubt you should consult AEATS in relation to this matter prior to enrolment.

## **COURSE OVERVIEW**

CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support is the newest qualification in the aged care industry.

This specialisation will provide sound employment opportunities within aged care industries either in a facility of home care environment.

The CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support designed for individuals who want to work in the aged care industry either in an home and community care environment or aged care facility.

Students who complete this qualification are able to provide personal, in person care to the elderly in a variety of settings including people's homes, residential facilities, retirement villages, nursing homes and hospitals.

AEATS provides a range of delivery methods. For those who like the structure and support of class based learning AEATS delivers a 12 week program led by industry experts.

## **AIMS OF THE COURSE**

Students may do this course as an entry pathway into the aged care industry. Our CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support course is directed towards developing multi-skilled workers for the broad range of services supporting aged people in residential and community settings.

The course comprises of 13 units (7 Core and 6 Elective) Successful completion of this course requires the fulfillment of all 13 units of competency. It is possible to undertake a dual specialisation.

## **CORE UNITS**

- CHCCCS015 Provide individualised support
- CHCCCS023 Support independence and well being
- 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

## **ELECTIVE UNITS**

- CHCAGE001 Facilitate the empowerment of older people
- CHCAGE005 Provide support to people living with dementia
- CHCCCS011 Meet personal support needs
- CHCPAL001 Deliver care services using a palliative approach
- HLTWHS005 Conduct manual tasks safely
- CHCCCS001 Address the needs of people with chronic disease

## **ADMISSION CRITERIA**

Applicants seeking entry into CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support course should meet the following criteria.

- Are 18 years old and above.
- Have successfully completed year 10 of secondary school or equivalent, or be of mature age.
- Be able to use and respond to written language, including some unfamiliar material in a variety of contexts.
- Successfully complete a Language, Literacy and Numeracy test (LLN).
- Obtain a satisfactory clear National Police Certificate.
- There are no prerequisite units of competence.

## **Additional Criteria for Govt. Funding in WA**

- Primary place of residence must be in Western Australia.
- Must be an Australian Citizen /Permanent Resident /Temporary Visa holder of sub-class 309, 310, 820, 826, 851 /Dependant of sub-class 457 visa holder.

Please contact AEATS 1300 630 366 for further clarification on your eligibility.

## **FEES**

Interest Free flexible payment plan options are available to suit the convenience of students.

NOTE: Fees are calculated inline with the WA Department of Training and Workforce Development Fees and Charges Policy 2019.

The Student tuition fees are indicative only and are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment. Additional fees may apply such as student service and resource fees.

## WESTERN AUSTRALIA COURSE FEES 2019:

FUNDED STUDENT	LUMP SUM PAYMENT	PAYMENT PLAN OPTION
Standard Fee: \$1852.50	\$1852.50	8 fortnightly payments of \$231.56
Concession Fee: \$552.90	\$552.90	8 fortnightly payments of \$69.11

\*The following students are entitled to the concession rate on course fees:

- a) Persons and dependants of persons holding:
  - i) A Pensioner Concession Card
  - ii) A Repatriation Health Benefits Card issued by the Department of Veterans' Affairs
  - iii) A Health Care Card
- b) Persons and dependants of persons in receipt of AUSTUDY or ABSTUDY
- c) Persons and dependants of persons in receipt of the Youth Allowance
- d) Persons who are inmates of a custodial institution

\*The following students are entitled to the Jobseeker course fees:

- Students who hold a Newstart or Youth Allowance card and are unemployed.
- Students who are referred by an approved Participation program broker.

### **PROOF OF ELIGIBILITY FOR CONCESSION MUST BE PROVIDED AT THE TIME OF ENROLMENT**

This course has been approved for Centrelink student allowances. More information on assistance available can be found on the Centrelink website [www.centrelink.gov.au](http://www.centrelink.gov.au). For information regarding your individual eligibility please contact Centrelink on 132490 or visit your local Customer Service Centre.

For more information, please refer to Fee Payment Policy and Refund Policy



## **HOW TO APPLY**

The application process involves: application, interview (including a Language, Literacy and Numeracy test), payment and confirmation of enrolment. Applicants must successfully complete each stage in order to enrol.

There are two ways which applicants can submit their initial application: Students may complete the initial Application Form online or ask to have one forwarded to them by contacting us.

If you have any other questions, feel free to contact us on:

Toll Free: 1300 630 366

Email: [info@aeats.com.au](mailto:info@aeats.com.au)

## **COURSE ASSESSMENT**

Assessment strategies are implemented for collecting evidence and making judgments about whether competency has been achieved by the student.

The assessments confirm whether an individual can perform to the standards expected in the workplace, as expressed in the relevant endorsed unit of competency. Students will be assessed in both formative and summative way. These assessment methods and strategies are consistent with the Training Package Assessment Guidelines.

Assessment tools used include:

- Portfolio of evidence
- Knowledge based tests
- Simulation based assessments
- Workplace competency record
- Third party report

## **COURSE PATHWAY**

The CHC43015 Certificate IV in Ageing Support is the applicable pathway for this qualification. Candidates may also like to progress to higher level qualifications within the aged care sector and across the community sector.

## **POSSIBLE JOB OUTCOMES**

CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support is an appropriate qualification for people seeking work in the aged care industry and direct care work. Possible job outcomes are:

- Accommodation support worker
- Field officer
- Home care assistant
- Care assistant
- In-home respite worker
- Care service employees
- Care worker
- Personal care assistant
- Community care worker
- Personal care giver
- Community house worker
- Personal care worker
- Community support worker
- Support worker
- Disability service

## **QUALIFICATIONS AND STATEMENT OF ATTAINMENT**

Students who successfully complete all of the required units of competency of this course will be issued a testamur and a statement of results. The statement of results will list all of the units of competency achieved.

A statement of attainment will be issued if a student successfully completes one or more units of competency of this course, but does not meet the requirements for a qualification (as specified in the Training Package). The statement of attainment will list all of the units of competency achieved.

## **HAVE MORE QUESTIONS ABOUT YOUR STUDY OPTIONS?**

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