

Specialised ageing support and care

Certificate IV in Ageing Support

After successfully completing this nationally recognised qualification you will have the skills and knowledge required to work and take responsibility for your own work and some limited responsibility for the outputs of others working in a wide range of support roles.

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Future growth:

Employment is projected to increase by 28%*



Weekly pay: \$1,283

Average salary for Aged and Disabled Carers before tax *



Employers who would recommend MCIE: 90%

*Statistics from JobOutlook

** Data from 2021 VET Stat

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For pricing, job outcomes, further education options, entry & eligibility requirements & all course information, scan the QR code.

Course structure

18 units - 15 core and 3 elective units are delivered over 52 weeks, including 120 hours of work placement:

- 52 weeks of classes and tutorials
- 120 hours of work placement (included)
- 4 weeks holiday breaks for courses running over summer break

Total course duration can vary depending on student progress.

Career pathways

- Residential Care Worker
- Residential Care Officer
- Care Supervisor
- Day Activity Worker
- Personal Care Worker
- Care Team Leader
- Aged Care Supervisor

Delivery and assessment

This 12 month program is delivered in a blend of virtual and class sessions supported by online assessments.

Assessment for this program includes written tasks, long and short answer questions, group tasks, oral presentations, role plays, scenarios, case studies, work placement journals, logbooks, portfolios and projects. Assessments are delivered online via MCIE's learning management system.

Eligibility for government funded place

This course is delivered with Victorian and Commonwealth funding for eligible students. Contact us for more details.

Locations

Classes will be conducted in the classroom or via Microsoft TEAMS. Our head office is located at Level 8, 250 Collins St Melbourne, 3000.

Core units

HLTWHS002	Follow safe work practices for direct client care
CHCLEG003	Manage legal and ethical compliance
CHCDIV001	Work with diverse people
CHCCCS023	Support independence and wellbeing
CHCAGE001	Facilitate the empowerment of older people
CHCCCS011	Meet personal support needs
CHCAGE005	Provide support to people living with dementia
CHCCCS025	Support relationships with carers and families
CHCCCS006	Facilitate individual service planning and delivery
CHCADV001	Facilitate the interests and rights of clients
CHCAGE004	Implement interventions with older people at risk
CHCAGE003	Coordinate services for older people
HLTAAP001	Recognise healthy body systems
CHCPRP001	Develop and maintain networks and collaborative partnerships
CHCPAL001	Deliver care services using a palliative approach

Elective units

CHCCCS019	Recognise and respond to crisis situations
CHCCOM005	Communicate and work in health or community services
HLTAID011	Provide First Aid

Elective units have been chosen by MCIE based on industry consultation and feedback.

Pre-requisites

There are no pre-requisite requirements for this qualification. Candidates must provide evidence that they have applied for:

- NDIS Check
- Police Check
- Working with Children Check
- Working with Vulnerable People Registration
- must agree to providing evidence that the required Flu and COVID-19 vaccinations have been taken one month before placement

Work placement

Students must complete 120 mandatory placement hours in a regulated Aged Care facility for the work-based training component of this program. The MCIE Work Placement Coordinator will organise a local placement for you with one of our host employers or will support you in organising your own.

- ▶ **Job Readiness program** available at the time of enrolment - Start studying whilst seeking work in the Early Childhood sector
- ▶ Victorian and Commonwealth **Government funding** available to eligible candidates
- ▶ **Get employed:** Recognised qualification for entry level jobs in Early Education and Care



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