

# CHCSS00114 Entry to Care Roles Skill Set

## Course Overview

This skill set provides the skills and knowledge required to provide entry level support for basic client care for a range of roles and purposes required within the aged care and disability support sectors. The support provided in client care will be predominantly non-direct, with some basic direct client care, in order to maintain the safety of both the learner and client in care.

Candidates who complete this skill set would be equipped with the skills and knowledge required to undertake job tasks to support fully qualified carers, such as making beds, providing assistance to maintain a clean environment and communicating with carers as part of the support service.

# Target Audience

Target groups for the CHCSS00114 are individuals who use introductory care practices to support fully qualified carers within an aged care or disability support environment. This course is suitable for individuals:

- seeking to pursue a career in individual support.
- seeking to enter a new industry sector.
- seeking a pathway to the CHC33021 Certificate III Individual Support

#### Benefits

- Opportunity to enhance skills and job options
- Access to experienced community sector and care workers

# Learning Outcomes

In this course you will learn how to:

- Determine, provide for and monitor support needs
- Follow safe work practices for direct client care, manual handling and infection control
- Identify the importance of infection control and follow precautions for infection prevention and control
- Contribute to safe work practices in the workplace
- Reflect on own safe work practices and complete reporting and documentation

## Career Opportunities

This skill set provides a pathway to entry into the community care sector in the areas of home care, disability support and aged care. These units of competency from HLT Health and CHC Community Services Training Packages meet industry requirements to provide basic entry level care and / or provide support to fully qualified carers in aged care and disability support contexts.

Potential employment options are entry level roles as a direct support worker in aged care, disability, home and community care or other direct care work in the community services industry.



# Course Duration

This course is delivered over a ten (10) week period, 1 day per week 9 am to 3.30 pm. Students will be required to complete structured self-paced learning of approximately 8 hours per week and undertake at least four hours per week supervised work experience.

# Units of Competency

- CHCCCS015 Provide individualised support
- HLTWHS002 Follow safe work practices for direct client care
- HLTINF006 Apply basic principles and practices of infection prevention and control

#### Entry Requirements

There are no specific requirements to access this training, however, to be eligible for funding students will be:

- more than 15 years of age;
- no longer at school;
- an Australian citizen, Australian permanent resident, Australian humanitarian visa holder or New Zealand citizen;
- living or working in NSW.

Students must also have language, literacy, and numeracy (LLN) skill sufficient to complete the course, for example, to read materials relevant to the course, participate in discussions and role plays and apply numerical concepts such as time management. This will be tested through a LLN quiz as part of the course entry process which will assist the College to determine the level of support the student will need to successfully complete learning.

#### Assessment

Student will be assessed using a combination of theory and practical assessments. These assessments will be completed in class time.

## Accreditation & Award

On successful completion of your training and assessment you will be eligible to receive CHCSS00114 Entry to Care Roles Skill Set.

#### **Delivery Locations**

#### Batemans Bay

#### Fees & Funding

There may be funding available to support this training. If you would like to find out more about the course, obtain a quote or to discuss any potential opportunities to access funding, please call the College on 02 4472 9202 or email us on admin@southcoastcolleges.edu.au

