



Health

HLT40113

Certificate IV in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care

This course is directed specifically at Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples and students must identify as Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Students at the time of enrolment.

All information correct as of Jan 2022

ABOUT THE COURSE

This qualification reflects the role of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people working to provide a range of non-clinical primary health care services to Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander clients and communities, including specific health care programs. These workers can be expected to flexibly assume a variety of job roles and undertake a broad range of tasks either individually or as a member of a multidisciplinary team.

JOB ROLES

The following job roles are defined for this course:

- Aboriginal Health Worker

PATHWAYS FROM THIS QUALIFICATION

Students that completed this qualification are eligible to apply for admission to a Bachelor degree at a Higher Education Provider.

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

There are no entry requirements for this course.

COURSE LOCATION, DURATION AND MODE OF STUDY

Locations: Batchelor Campus

Duration: 2 years full time study - 4 years part time study

Mode: Workshop (on campus), Workplace

Workshops: This course includes approx. 6X2 week workshops in one year.

Student must undertake 500hrs in a primary health care health facility to practice skills.

COURSE FEES

Students who are Northern Territory (NT) residents and wish to enrol in a course that is subsidised by the Northern Territory and/or Commonwealth Government will also be charged fees.

Interstate students who enrol in the Certificate III, IV or Diploma in Media and the Certificate IV or Diploma of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care, will be charged the same rate as a NT resident.

The fees will be charged at:

- \$2.20 per nominal hour for enrolment
- \$50.00 per Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) application

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Students are eligible to apply for a fee exemption in accordance with Fee Exemption rules for the relevant year
<https://www.batchelor.edu.au/students/fees/>

More information regarding course fees and paying course fees can be found on the Batchelor Institute website
<https://www.batchelor.edu.au/students/fees/>

MATERIALS AND EQUIPMENT

The learner must provide the following materials and equipment:
➤ Basic stationery—paper, pencil, pen

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

To achieve HLT40113 Certificate IV in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care a total of 21 units of competency must be completed comprising of 14 core and 7 elective units as detailed in the packaging rules and listed below.

The core units are mandatory. The elective units have been selected following consultation with local industry requirements. The elective units may vary between delivery locations.

Core Units (14 required)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Nominal Hours
CHCLEG001	Work legally & ethically	50
HLTAHW005	Work in a ATSI primary health care context	40
HLTAHW006	Facilitate & advocate for the rights & needs of community members	120
HLTAHW007	Undertake basic health assessment	120
HLTAHW017	Assess & support client's SEWB	140
HLTAHW018	Plan, implement & monitor health care in a PHC context	200
HLTAHW019	Deliver PHC programs for ATSI communities	60
HLTAHW021	Provide nutrition guidance for specific health care	120
HLTAHW022	Address social determinants of ATSI health	120
HLTAHW023	Plan, develop and evaluate health promotion and community development programs	150
HLTAHW037	Support the safe use of medications	180
HLTAID003	Provide first aid	18
HLTINFO01	Comply with infection prevention and control policies & procedures	25
HLTWHS001	Participate in workplace health & safety	20

Elective Units (7 units required)

Unit Code	Unit Title	Nominal Hours
CHCCCS014	Provide brief intervention	75
CHCCDE003	Work in a community development framework	80
CHCMHS005	Provide services to people with coexisting mental health and AOD issues	90
HLTAHW013	Respond to emergencies	120
HLTAHW028	Provide information and strategies in chronic condition care	60
HLTAHW038	Assess and promote physical and emotional wellbeing of children	120
HLTOHC001	Recognise and respond to oral health issues	30

General information

BACHELOR INSTITUTE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Literacy and Numeracy

When you enrol in a course at Batchelor Institute, you should be able to speak, read and write in English at the level required for the course you are undertaking. If you need help to improve your literacy and numeracy skills, there are specific courses and other assistance available.

Minimum age for students

Students must meet the minimum age requirement to be able to enrol with Batchelor Institute. The minimum age will depend on several factors.

Where:

- Training is delivered in a regional or remote community, and the student no longer engages and/or participates in secondary schooling, the student must be 15 years or older at the time training commences
- Training is delivered on the Batchelor Campus or Desert People Centre Campus, and where the student attends training during the day, but are not accommodated overnight, the student must be 17 years or older at the time training commences; or
- Training is delivered in any location, and the student requires to be travelled by Batchelor Institute to a training delivery location, the student must be 18 years or older at the time training commences.

ABSTUDY

You will need to apply to ABSTUDY once you have enrolled at Batchelor Institute so your travel can be arranged (if travel is applicable). To do this you will need to obtain a VET Enrolment and Fees Invoice from the Institute and then take it to your nearest Centrelink Office, to complete an ABSTUDY application.

STUDENT TRAVEL

If you have to live away from home while you are attending a workshop, your travel, accommodation and meals will be organised and paid for, by Batchelor Institute, if you are in receipt of ABSTUDY and are enrolled in a course subsidised by the NT Government.

RECOGNISING YOUR KNOWLEDGE

Batchelor Institute recognises the importance of skills and knowledge that you may already have. You may have gained these through other work or study you have done or through life experience.

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL) is a process that tries to match these skills and knowledge to the outcomes of your course to assess whether you have achieved the required learning outcomes. If you think you are eligible for RPL, contact us for more information.

Batchelor Institute also recognises qualifications and statements of attainments gained from any other Australian Registered Training Organisation, where nationally accredited training has been undertaken. This form of recognition may include Credit Transfers.

EDUCATIONAL AND STUDENT SUPPORT

Students who have been identified as needing extra support services besides those already identified will have the extra support identified within their individual training plan and the support services will be arranged accordingly.

Student Support

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TIMETABLES

Timetables for students attending workshops at the Batchelor or Desert Peoples Centre Campuses can be found here: <https://www.batchelor.edu.au/students/timetables/>

OTHER COURSES

Batchelor Institute offers many VET courses across a range of different disciplines. You can study courses relating to community services, construction, health, business, education, resource and infrastructure and creative arts.

To get more information about Batchelor Institute and the courses we offer, go to:

<https://www.batchelor.edu.au/students/courses/vet-courses/>

FOR MORE INFORMATION

Please visit: <https://training.gov.au/Training/Details/HLT40113>