



*Providing Quality Adult Education*

## CHC30308 Certificate III in Home and Community Care

### What does the course involve?

This course is designed to equip students with skills to provide physical and social support to elderly individuals and people with disabilities in hostels, group homes and community settings. With a strong practical focus, you will gain the skills required to become a home and community care worker. Students will learn how to communicate appropriately with clients and colleagues, how to deliver the best service to clients and how to support group activities. Undertaking this course will also support you in studying areas such as providing care and support to aged people with disabilities.

Units of competency that form the qualification are:

#### 10 Compulsory Units

- CHCAC318A** Work effectively with older people
- CHCAC319A** Provide support to people living with dementia
- CHCCS411A** Work effectively in the community sector
- CHCDIS301A** Work effectively with people with a disability
- CHCHC311A** Work effectively in a home and community care
- CHCICS301A** Provide support to meet personal care needs
- CHCICS302A** Participate in the implementation of individualised plans
- CHCICS304A** Work effectively with carers
- CHCOHS312A** Follow safety procedures for direct care work
- HLTHIR403B** Work effectively with culturally diverse clients and co-workers

#### 4 Elective Units

- CHCAC317A** Support older people to maintain their independence
- CHCICS303A** Support individual health and emotional well being
- CHCPA301B** Deliver care services using a palliative approach
- HLTFA301B** Apply first aid

### What are my employment opportunities?

Graduates will be able to work in the aged care industry, hospitals, in local government bodies, community organisations, Home and Community Care (HACC) services and health agencies.

### How long does it take?

The External Delivery is individually tailored self-paced program. The duration of this program is up to 30 weeks. Students will be issued with a logbook for recording evidence of competencies.

### Field Placement

Field Placement forms an essential part of your competency-based assessment and provides you with practical job skills and work experience. There is one placement of up to 100 hours that an educator will assist you in organising. You are able to do this at your place of work if you are currently working in the care industry.

### Entry requirements

Students must be competent in Literacy in order to fulfil course requirements. If you feel you have literacy needs that may impair your ability to work in this program please discuss this with an educator and an assessment interview can be arranged.

Students under 18 years of age must have parental/guardian approval.

### Support

Ongoing email and phone support is offered during the duration of the course.

King's undertakes a duty of care towards its student body and offers course counselling as required.



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### Recognition of Prior Learning

Recognition of Prior Learning provides students an opportunity to have their current skills and competencies recognised. These skills and competencies may relate to units you are about to commence and as a result can exempt you from studying these units. However, there is a cost related to obtaining Recognition of Prior Learning.

The process requires students to gather evidence confirming their competency. An educator will advise you in this task. Enquire if you think you qualify.

### Costs & Further Information

Total Upfront Course Fee: \$1,500.00

Payment plans are available

Please contact the College for further information

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