

Human Services

Industry Curriculum Framework

(Refer also to Introductory Notes: HSC VET Industry Curriculum Framework Courses)

THIS COURSE IS NOT OFFERED FOR DELIVERY BY A SCHOOL

Why study Human Services?

Human Services courses offer training opportunities to students who are interested in health care.

Working in the human services industry involves:

- legal and ethical issues
- communication strategies
- using equipment
- responding to difficult or challenging behaviour
- using medical terminology
- first aid
- working effectively with culturally diverse clients and co-workers



Students will need to undergo occupational screening and be vaccinated against infectious diseases. Your teachers will give you further advice.

Students can choose to study from one of the following

industry areas:

- ✓ Allied Health Assistance
- ✓ Health Services Assistance
- ✓ Aged Care



Course description

These courses are based on units of competency, which have been developed by the human services industry to describe the competencies, skills and knowledge required by workers in the industry.

School-based traineeships are available in this industry area, for more information:

<http://www.sbatinnsw.info/>

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Depending on area of study chosen, full or part qualifications from the Community Services Training Package (CHC08) and Health Training Package (HLT07) are available. Your teacher or VET Coordinator will advise the competencies and qualifications that may be available.

The qualifications available in the Human Services Industry Curriculum Framework are:

- Certificate III in Aged Care (CHC30208)*
- Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance (HLT32407)*
- Certificate III in Health Services Assistance (HLT32507)*

* Statements of Attainment in partial completion of these Certificates may also be available.

For more information on possible outcomes please refer to the Human Services Industry Curriculum Framework syllabus that can be found by visiting the VET Curriculum Frameworks page of the Board of Studies NSW website:

http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/voc_ed/industry-curriculum-frameworks.html

Recognition of Prior Learning

If you have already completed all or part of a similar vocational course elsewhere, such as at TAFE, your previous studies and results will be recognised. You will not have to repeat that training and assessment. Additionally if through previous work or life experiences you have already developed high level skills in this course area, these may also be able to be recognised. Your teacher or VET Coordinator can provide more details of the recognition process.