TAFE delivered HSC VET (TVET) courses for schools 2006

AGED CARE WORK - INTRODUCTION

TAFE Course No. for enrolment

Credential available

Statement of Attainment in Community Services Aged Care Work

TAFE Curriculum Centre

Community Services, Health, Tourism & Recreation

BOS Course No./Unit value

Exclusions

Some modules also part of Traineeship course?

Yes

Yes

4850

4850 Credential available

43393 – 2 units x 1 yr
43396 – 2 units x 2 yrs
43394 - 3 units x 1 yr
43395 – 4 units x 1yr

Yes. Refer to BOS exclusions for further information

Advanced Standing in other TAFE courses (Note: All TAFE courses are AQF credentials)

4480 Certificate III in Aged Care Work
4481 Certificate IV in Aged Care Work

Who is this course for?

Preliminary and HSC year students

The course provides skills related to providing care to clients in an aged care setting. The occupational outcomes for a Certificate III in Aged Care work course include: Assistant in Nursing, Personal Care Assistant and Care Assistant

What is this course about? What will students be doing?

Students studying compulsory modules will develop the knowledge and skills to:

- communicate appropriately with clients and colleagues
- establish and maintain appropriate relationships with older people
- demonstrate an understanding of the structure and profile of the aged care sector
- participate in safety procedures for direct care work including identifying manual handling hazards, risks to personal safety, sources of infection and following risk minimisation procedures
- participate in the work environment by contributing to the effective operation of the workgroup through working co-operatively with others

Recognition from HSC to TAFE courses (credit transfer opportunities)

Please refer to the Credit Transfer website http://www.det.nsw.edu.au/hsctafe/ for the most current information regarding credit transfer arrangements.

*First Aid: Students with a current Workcover Authority NSW accredited Senior First Aid certificate (min 18 hrs) can gain exemption from Apply Basic First Aid. However recognition of the unit cannot be counted as TVET hours, ie. students will be required to undertake a replacement module in order to meet BOS indicative hours.
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### Additional Information:

The Board of Studies limits participation of Year 10 students in VET courses for the School Certificate to students in the following categories of schools, (i) schools identified as rurally isolated, (ii) juvenile justice centres, and (iii) schools for students with behaviour difficulties.

Principals responsible for students in these categories of schools may apply to the Board, using the Board Endorsed Course process, for permission to deliver this course to Year 10 students.