











CHC41808 Certificate IV in Youth Work

This qualification is for workers who develop and facilitate programs for young people through a range of community based programs designed to address the social, behavioural, health, welfare, developmental and protection needs of young people.

This work may be undertaken through employment in community, government and welfare agencies and workers will be:

- Responsible for implementing policies and guidelines of the employing organisation
- Organises programs and activities for young people
- Can make decisions on suitable activities on the needs of a young person/s

Youth Workers can be known as:

Community Development Worker (youth), Recreational Youth Activities Worker, Youth Alcohol and Other Drugs Worker, Youth Worker, Youth Case Worker, Youth and Family Service Worker or Youth and Family Resource Officer

Course duration:

The course will be delivered over 1 Semester full time (20 weeks). Students will attend theory classes and work placement.

Course

CHCCD412A Work within a community development framework
CHCCOM403A Use targeted communication skills to build relationships
CHCCS400A Work within a relevant legal and ethical framework
CHCCS422A Respond holistically to client issues and refer appropriately

CHCICS406A Support client self-management
CHCYTH401A Engage respectfully with young people

CHCYTH402A Work effectively with young people in the youth work context CHCYTH403A Support young people to create opportunities in their lives HLTHIR403B Work effectively with culturally diverse clients and co-workers

HLTOHS300A Contribute to OHS processes CHCYTH407D Respond to critical situations

Electives

HLTFA301B Apply first aid

CHCAOD402A Work effectively in the alcohol and other drugs sector

CHCMH301A Work effectively in mental health CHCGROUP403D Plan and conduct group activities

CHCCS411A Work effectively in the community sector













Campus Information:

The course will be delivered in Fiji in July 2012, Vanuatu in July 2012 and January 2013, and PNG in January 2013

Selection Criteria:

APTC is open to citizens of Pacific Island Forum countries over the age of 21.

Selection for entry will be based on the applicant's industry experience and relevant training. A minimum of 1 year's work experience is required.

Selected applicants will be required to:

- Attend a Skills Assessment Interview and a Literacy and Numeracy Assessment.
- It is a condition of entry to the courses that students have a National police check which is free of any serious criminal convictions

Recognition of Prior Learning

Some participants may be granted an exemption from some of the units based on their work experience, skill and knowledge already acquired.

For further information please visit

www.aptc.edu.au.

Scholarships

Scholarships are made available to ensure equity in access to the APTC. To be considered for a scholarship applicants must meet the eligibility criteria as listed on the APTC website, www.aptc.edu.au.

Scholarship forms are available from the APTC offices listed on the back of this brochure or from www.aptc.edu.au and should be returned with the completed application form.

Fees and Charges

The estimated cost of the course is:

Fiji - FJD \$1260.87

Vanuatu VT 65,118.09

This includes materials and consumables needed for the course.

Fees are based on an accelerated delivery structure. Students are required to have a base level of relevant skills and knowledge to enrol.

Applications

Application forms may be obtained online at www.aptc.edu.au, or direct from APTC. Completed application forms should be mailed directly to the offices listed on the back page of this brochure.













Further Information

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