

# **DISABILITY TRAINING**

CHCDIS007 Facilitate the empowerment of people with disability Fee Free Training Program!

#### Overview

Are you newly employed in the disability sector without any formal training?

# Do you need relevant training to build capacity and capability for your job role?

**If so**, this **fee free training program**, subsidised by the NSW Government will provide you with the foundations needed to work effectively with people with a disability.



The CHCDIS007 Facilitate the empowerment of people with disability unit has been designed to provide students with the skills and knowledge required to facilitate the empowerment of people with disability, through the delivery of services driven by a person-centred, rights-based approach.

Students will learn how to:

- Demonstrate commitment to empowerment for people with disability
- Foster human rights
- Facilitate choice and self-determination

In addition, the program will cover:

- Getting the facts straight
- Discrimination and anti-discrimination law
- The Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities
- An overview of the disability service system
- Communicating effectively with service users
- Achieving cultural awareness in your work
- Person-centred practice in action

This is a fabulous professional development opportunity that is available at no cost.





On successful completion, students will be awarded with a nationally recognised Statement of Attainment.

#### Structure

This program combines face to face training over 1 day, plus required pre-course learning and assessment tasks to be completed after the workshop which includes a competency conversation to be arranged with the trainer over the phone

Workshop Date: Monday 21<sup>st</sup> June 2021

Venue: ET Australia Training College, 125 Donnison Street, Gosford

Workshop Time: 9.00am to 5.00pm

#### Units of Study

Code	Title
CHCDIS007	Facilitate the empowerment of people with disability

### Eligibility for a Fee-Free Training Place

This training is fully subsidised by the NSW Government (Smart and Skilled <u>and</u> Skilling for Recovery eligibility criteria applies). There are **no** associated student fees for this program.

To be eligible for a Smart and Skilled subsidised training place, at the time of enrolment an individual must:

- Be an Australian citizen, a permanent Australian resident, a humanitarian visa holder or a New Zealand citizen, and
- Be aged 15 years or older, and
- Live or work in New South Wales, and
- No longer be at school or equivalent

Skilling for Recovery eligibility must also be met for participation in this program.

People eligible for Skilling for Recovery <u>must</u> meet the Smart and Skilled eligibility criteria <u>and</u> fit into at least one of the categories below:

- Unemployed (with or without a benefit); or
- At risk of unemployment \*; or
- 17-24 years old (employed or not)
- In receipt of a Commonwealth Government benefit as specified in Attachment 1 (excluding dependents)

\* Examples of people at risk of losing their job definition/categories:



• Stood down/furloughed employee: Employee that has been stood down and at risk of becoming unemployed. Requires upskilling or reskilling for new role and employment elsewhere

• Person returning to work (employed for 6 months or less): employed on condition of receiving training to build capacity and capability for the job role. This would be within the first 6 months of employment

• Low skilled/unskilled employee: Existing employee, with or without relevant skills or previous qualification up to Certificate III, that requires training to upskill to secure ongoing employment or future employment

• Workers in declining industries: Workers at any company in an agreed declining industry (e.g. international travel industry) who require upskilling/reskilling for redeployment.

#### **Entry Requirements**

To participate in the program, students must be an existing worker who are currently working with at least 2 different people with disability. Students must also meet the Smart and Skilled and Skilling for Recovery eligibility.

Students must have the opportunity to demonstrate their skills in the disabilities workplace. They will need access to individualised plans and any equipment outlined in the plan. Confirmation of employment in a disabilities workplace will be required prior to enrolment.

Students will need access to a computer or device with internet access for learning / assessment purposes.

Sound language, literacy and numeracy skills are required.

#### How will I be assessed?

A variety of assessments will be used including question and answer activities, case studies and workplace reflections, and a competency conversation with your Assessor. Assessment tasks will be undertaken after the workshop and will have a specified due date for submission.

#### How can I enrol?

To register your interest please call ET Australia on 4323 1233 or email email@etaustralia.com

All students will need to obtain a Unique Student Identifier (USI) before enrolment. For more information visit <u>http://www.usi.gov.au/Pages/default.aspx</u> or speak with an ET Australia representative.



## **Attachment 1 - Fee exemptions and concessions**

Students who qualify for a fee exemption are:

- Australian Aboriginal or Torres Strait Islander people
- People with a disability (ie people who meet the disability fee exemption criteria, including the dependent child, spouse or partner of a recipient of a Disability Support Pension).
- Recipients of Fee-Free Scholarships

A student who receives a specified Commonwealth benefit or allowance is eligible for a **concession fee** for a qualification up to and including a Certificate IV. A student who is receiving an eligible benefit or allowance at the time of enrolment is eligible for a concession.

The concession fee is also available to a student who is a dependant of a person receiving a specific Commonwealth benefit or allowance. To be eligible for the concession the person who the student is a dependant of must be receiving the benefit or allowance at the time of enrolment.

The specified Commonwealth benefits and allowances for concession fees include:

- Age Pension
- Austudy
- Carer Payment (this category does not include the Carer Allowance or Carer Adjustment Payment)
- Disability Support Pension
- Family Tax Benefit Part A (maximum rate)
- JobSeeker Payment
- Farm Household Allowance
- Parenting Payment (Single)
- Special Benefit
- Veterans' Children Education Scheme
- Veterans' Affairs Pensions
- Widow Allowance
- Youth Allowance