CHC51015 Diploma of Counselling

Modification History

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Qualification Description

This qualification reflects the role of counsellors, who work with clients on personal and psychological issues using established counselling modalities. They use communication, micro-counselling and interviewing skills and draw on varied counselling therapies to assist clients. At this level, the counsellor will be working in defined and supported counselling roles in established agencies rather than in independent practice.

No licensing, legislative, regulatory or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication.

Packaging Rules

Total number of units = 17

- 13 core units
- 4 elective units, consisting of:
  - up to 4 units from the electives listed below, any endorsed Training Package or accredited course – these units must be relevant to the work outcome

All electives chosen must contribute to a valid, industry-supported vocational outcome.

Core units

CHCCCS019 Recognise and respond to crisis situations
CHCCSL001 Establish and confirm the counselling relationship
CHCCSL002 Apply specialist interpersonal and counselling interview skills
CHCCSL003 Facilitate the counselling relationship and process
CHCCSL004 Research and apply personality and development theories
CHCCSL005 Apply learning theories in counselling
CHCCSL006 Select and use counselling therapies
CHCCSL007 Support counselling clients in decision-making processes
CHCCSM005 Develop, facilitate and review all aspects of case management

CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people
CHCDIV002 Promote Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural safety

CHCLEG001 Work legally and ethically

CHCPRP003 Reflect on and improve own professional practice
Elective units
CHCADV001 Facilitate the interests and rights of clients
CHCAGE001 Facilitate the empowerment older people
CHCCCS003 Increase the safety of individuals at risk of suicide
CHCCCS014 Provide brief interventions
CHCCCS015 Provide individualised support
CHCCCS017 Provide loss and grief support
CHCCCS018 Provide suicide bereavement support
CHCCCS023 Support independence and wellbeing
CHCDFV001 Recognise and respond appropriately to domestic and family violence
CHCDIV003 Promote and manage diversity
CHCFAM002 Work with a child-focused approach
CHCFAM003 Support people to improve relationships
CHCGMB001 Assess the needs of clients with problem gambling issues
CHCGMB002 Provide counselling for clients with problem gambling issues
CHCGRP002 Plan and conduct group activities
CHCGRP003 Plan, facilitate and review psycho-educational groups
CHCGRP004 Deliver structured programs
CHCMHS001 Work with people with mental health issues
CHCPRT001 Identify and respond to children and young people at risk
CHCPRT004 Work effectively in child protection to support children, young people and families
CHCSET001 Work with forced migrants
CHCSET002 Undertake bicultural work with forced migrants in Australia
CHCYTH001 Engage respectfully with young people
Qualification Mapping Information

No equivalent qualification

Links

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