



Australian Government

**Assessment Requirements for CHCDIS017
Facilitate community participation and
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Modification History

Not applicable.

Performance Evidence

Evidence of the ability to complete tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit in the context of the job role, and:

- assist at least three people with disability to develop and implement community engagement plans within their individualised plan, including:
 - identifying the person's needs and preferences through a process of collaboration
 - matching services and networks to the person's needs and preferences
 - facilitating access to opportunities for the person to establish connections and minimise isolation
 - identifying and addressing barriers to participation
 - identifying and addressing risks.

Knowledge Evidence

Demonstrated knowledge required to complete the tasks outlined in elements and performance criteria of this unit:

- elements of best practice in the area of community participation and social inclusion
- the impact of social devaluation on an individual's quality of life
- principles of:
 - active support
 - lifespan development
 - strengths-based and person-centred practice
 - risk assessment and mitigation
 - social and emotional wellbeing frameworks
- human rights framework for service
- systemic and structural barriers impacting individual and community participation
- funding frameworks and their impact on community participation
- legal and ethical considerations relevant to working with people with disability:
 - duty of care
 - dignity of risk
 - human rights, including the United Nations Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities (UNCRPD)
- strategies for:

- identifying interests, abilities and requirements of people with disability
- communication to assist with community participation
- supporting the person's participation in work
- strategies that can be used by employers to facilitate the person's inclusion and engagement in the workplace
- organisational policies and procedures for:
 - accessing resources
 - evaluating implementation of strategies.

Assessment Conditions

Skills must be demonstrated in the workplace or a simulated environment that reflects workplace conditions.

Assessment must ensure access to:

- facilities, equipment and resources that reflect real working conditions and model industry operating conditions and contingencies
- information on local resources, programs, agencies, transport services, aids and equipment available to people with disability
- organisational policies and procedures
- individualised plans
- equipment and resources outlined in individualised plans
- risk assessment tools
- opportunities for engagement with people with disability.

Assessors must satisfy the Standards for Registered Training Organisations' requirements for assessors.

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=5e0c25cc-3d9d-4b43-80d3-bd22cc4fe53>