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HLT21112 Certificate II in Emergency Medical Service First Response

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Modification History

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HLT21107 Certificate II in Emergency Medical Service First Response	HLT21112 Certificate II in Emergency Medical Service First Response	Updated in V5 - Updated core units HLTFA311A Apply first aid and HLTWHS200A Participate in WHS processes

Description

This qualification covers workers who provide first response care in line with Australian Resuscitation Council Guidelines. This involves provision of first aid care.

Occupational titles may include:

- Community based first responder
- Emergency medical responder
- Workplace first responder
- Volunteer first aider
- EMS first responder

Pathways Information

Not Applicable

Licensing/Regulatory Information

Not Applicable

Entry Requirements

Not Applicable

Employability Skills Summary

Refer to the Topic: Introduction to the Employability Skills Qualification Summaries

Packaging Rules

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9 units of competency are required for this qualification, including:

- 6 core units
- 3 elective units

A wide range of elective units is available, including:

- Relevant electives listed below
- Units of competency to address workplace requirements and packaged at the level of this qualification or higher in Health and/or Community Services Training Packages
- Where appropriate, to address workplace requirements, up to 2 units of competency packaged at the level of this qualification or higher in other relevant Training Packages or accredited courses where the details of those courses are available on the TGA or other public listing

Core units

BSBWOR203B Work effectively with others

HLTFA311A Apply first aid

HLTFA412A Apply advanced first aid (Note pre-requ: HLTFA301C)

HLTHIR301C Communicate and work effectively in health

HLTIN301C Comply with infection control policies and procedures

HLTWHS200A Participate in WHS processes

The importance of culturally aware and respectful practice

All workers undertaking work in health need foundation knowledge to inform their work with Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander clients and co-workers and with clients and co-workers from culturally and linguistically diverse backgrounds. This foundation must be provided and assessed as part of a holistic approach to delivery and assessment of this qualification. Specific guidelines for assessment of this aspect of competency are provided in the Assessment Guidelines for the Health Training Package.

Relevant electives

Elective units of competency may be selected in line with the Packaging Rules outlined above. The following sample selection of electives may facilitate a pathway towards higher-level qualifications involving direct client care.

BSBMED301B Interpret and apply medical terminology appropriately

CHCAC318B Work effectively with older people

CHCCS400C Work within a relevant legal and ethical framework

CHCDIS301C Work effectively with people with a disability

HLTAMBFC301D Communicate with clients and colleagues to support health care

HLTAMBT301B Transport non-emergency clients under operational conditions
HLTAP301B Recognise healthy body systems in a health care context
HLTFA302C Provide first aid in remote situation