



Australian Government

AHC40516 Certificate IV in Parks and Gardens

Release 3

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Modification History

Release	Comments
Release 3	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 3.0.
Release 2	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 1.1.
Release 1	This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version 1.0.

Qualification Description

This qualification allows individuals to develop post-trade skills and knowledge to become a senior or head gardener. The parks and gardens industry expect this qualification to be achieved to meet job outcomes at this level.

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

Entry Requirements

There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

Packaging Rules

To achieve this qualification, competency must be demonstrated in:

- 14 units of competency:
 - 7 core units plus
 - 7 elective units.

Elective units must ensure the integrity of the qualification's Australian Qualification Framework (AQF) alignment and contribute to a valid, industry-supported vocational outcome. The electives are to be chosen as follows:

- select 4 units from the list below
- 3 units may be selected from the list below or this or any other endorsed Training Package or Accredited Course.

Selected units must be relevant to job outcomes in parks and gardens and must be chosen to ensure the integrity of the qualification outcome at AQF level 4.

Core Units

AHCBUS402	Cost a project
AHCPCM401	Recommend plants and cultural practices
AHCPCM402	Develop a soil health and plant nutrition program
AHCPGD402	Plan a plant establishment program
AHCTRF401	Develop a sports turf maintenance program
AHCWHS401	Maintain work health and safety processes
PSPPM402B	Manage simple projects

Elective Units

AHCCHM403	Prepare safe operating procedures for calibration of equipment
AHCCHM404	Develop procedures to minimise risks in the use of chemicals
AHCCHM405	Plan and implement a chemical use program
AHCIRG402	Determine hydraulic parameters for an irrigation system
AHCIRG431	Supervise irrigation system installation
AHCLSC401	Supervise landscape project works
AHCMOM401	Conduct major repair and overhaul of machinery and equipment
AHCMOM402	Supervise maintenance of property, machinery and equipment
AHCNSY401	Plan a growing-on program
AHCNSY402	Plan a propagation program
AHCPGD401	Design plant displays
AHCPMG410	Implement the pest monitoring and evaluation plan
AHCPMG411	Ensure compliance with pest legislation
AHCSOL401	Sample soils and interpret results

AHCTRF402	Plan and implement sports turf renovation
AHCWRK401	Implement and monitor quality assurance procedures
AHCWRK402	Provide information on issues and policies
AHCWRK403	Supervise work routines and staff performance
BSBDES403	Develop and extend design skills and practice
BSBITU401	Design and develop complex text documents
BSBSMB421	Manage small business finances
TLIR4002	Source goods/services and evaluate contractors

Qualification Mapping Information

Code and title current version	Code and title previous version	Comments	Equivalence status
AHC40516 Certificate IV in Parks and Gardens Release 3	AHC40516 Certificate IV in Parks and Gardens Release 2	Updated Chemical unit codes and removed prerequisite requirements table	Equivalent qualification

Links

Companion Volume implementation guides are found in VETNet -

<https://vetnet.education.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72>