



**Australian Government**

# **DEF53415 Diploma of Institutional and Operational Chaplaincy**

**Release 3**

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## Modification History

Release 3. Addition of three new units to the electives.

Release 2. Modifications have been made to the Qualification Description and the Elective Unit imported codes.

Release 1. This qualification was released in DEF Defence Training Package release 1.0 and meets the Standards for Training Packages.

## Qualification Description

This qualification has been designed to provide a package of competencies reflecting the responsibilities of a chaplain. The role of the chaplain is principally to do with religious ministry; however, in the Australian Defence Force (ADF) that ministry extends well beyond the community model of a minister of religion. Chaplains remain active members of their denominational church organisation and they cannot continue to practice without the endorsement of their church, yet they are also commissioned members of the ADF. Their role is governed by two disparate yet culturally sympathetic entities, a military chaplain must provide spiritual ministry to all members of Defence, regardless of faith or denomination. This qualification was developed within Defence but could be used by other organisations.

This Diploma is not designed as an entry level qualification but to benchmark additional ADF chaplain skills in the broader aspects of their role beyond those of an ordained minister, including on deployments, exercises and to the wider ADF community.

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

## Entry Requirements

Nil

## Packaging Rules

**10 units of competency** are required for this qualification:

- **4 core units**
- **6 elective units.**

Choose a minimum of **4 elective units** from the list below.

Choose the remaining **2 elective units** either from the list below or from elsewhere within this Training Package, or from another endorsed Training Package, or from an accredited course.

All elective units selected from outside this qualification must reflect the occupational and learning outcomes of this AQF qualification level. Seek further advice on selecting imported units of competency in the DEF Defence Training Package Companion Volume Implementation Guide.

**Elective units selected must not duplicate content already covered by other units in this qualification.**

### **Core units**

DEFCHP001	Provide pastoral care
DEFCHP002	Provide ethical and pastoral advice
DEFCHP003	Plan the delivery of chaplaincy support
DEFCHP004	Conduct and facilitate religious observances and activities

### **Elective units**

BSBHRM413	Support the learning and development of teams and individuals
DEFCHP005	Perform as an effective member of the Chaplains' branch
DEFCHP006	Perform the duties of a chaplain in a deployed environment
DEFCHP007	Assist personnel with Moral Injury through Pastoral Narrative Disclosure (PND)
DEFCHP008	Prepare to implement Moral Injury Pastoral Narrative Disclosure (PND)
DEFCHP009	Conduct Moral Injury Pastoral Narrative Disclosure (PND)
DEFGEN003	Lead a team
DEFGEN005	Develop relationships with other organisations
DEFGEN012	Provide technical advice
PSPPCM028	Carry out basic procurement
PUAPRO001	Promote a learning environment in the workplace
TAEDEL401	Plan, organise and deliver group-based learning
TAEDEL404	Mentor in the workplace

## **Qualification Mapping Information**

No equivalent qualification.

## **Links**

Companion Volume Implementation Guides are found on VETNet -

<https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=6bdbab1e-11ed-4bc9-9cba-9e1a55d4e4a9>