



*Make a difference and
enjoy the rewards.*

CHC53315 Diploma of Mental Health



The community services industry of which Mental Health is an integral part, is one of the fastest growing sectors in Australia. With the government investing heavily in preventative programs and subsidising courses such as this one, the emphasis is on trying to attract people like you to the industry.

The CHC53315 **Diploma of Mental Health** is a Nationally Recognised qualification, that will not only ensure you have the skills and knowledge to help individuals and their families get their lives back on track, but also to be rewarded for your invaluable contribution to the community. *If you are an Australian citizen whose primary place of residence is in WA, you may qualify for a training subsidy under the WA government's Jobs & Skills WA program.*



Giving back to your **community** can be very **rewarding**.

This course covers establishing and setting up recovery programmes for mental health patients – and promoting social, emotional and physical well-being. You will explore counselling and how to manage stressors in the workplace. On completion of the course you will be qualified to work in counselling, referral, advocacy and education/health promotion services.

How you will learn

This 12-month course is a Nationally Recognised qualification and is offered online – so you can study in your own time at your own pace. You will also be required to complete 160 hours of work placement experience within the mental health field.

What this means for you

There are plenty of job opportunities in this area and this qualification will ensure you have the right skills and competencies to work as a counsellor or support worker within mental health where you can reap the rewards of making a dramatic difference to someone's life.

Flexible, supportive online learning

Learning is self-paced over a 12-month period, to best suit your individual needs and lifestyle. All your learning resources will be available online and you will receive Trainer support to assist and encourage you throughout your studies.

Student entry requirements

TrainSmart Australia will assess a student's 'academic suitability' to ensure the student has the best chance of success. This is determined by either: The student providing TrainSmart Australia with a copy of an Australian Year 12 certificate; or, the student providing TrainSmart Australia with a copy of Certificate IV qualification (or above); or, the student completing the Core Skills Profile for Adults online assessment passing at or above Exit Level 3 in the Australian Core Skills Framework in both reading and numeracy.

Academic Suitability

In addition to the entry requirements, the College will consider whether the student applying to enrol is academically suited to undertake the course, and demonstrates the capacity to meet the demands of their chosen course. Student academic suitability is determined through a one to one career counselling session where the student is invited to provide details of their previous work history and/or prior education relevant to the course. The student will be advised whether he or she is considered to be academically suited, or alternative study pathways may be offered.

Payment options

• Up-front payment • Payment plan – or • VET Student Loans*. Talk to us about the best payment option for you.



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WORKPLACE MANAGEMENT

HLTWHS006	Manage personal stressors in the work environment
CHCPOL003	Research and apply evidence to practice
CHCMHS009	Provide early intervention, health prevention and promotion programs
CHCPRP003	Reflect on and improve own professional practice
CHCDIV001	Work with diverse people

CLIENT ASSESSMENT

CHCDIV002	Promote Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural safety
CHCADV005	Provide systems advocacy services
CHCCSL001	Establish and confirm the counselling relationship
CHCCSL003	Facilitate the counselling relationship and process
CHCCSL007	Support counselling clients in decision-making processes
CHCMHS011	Assess and promote social, emotional and physical wellbeing

PROVIDE MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

CHCMHS005	Provide services to people with co-existing mental health and alcohol and other drugs issues
CHCMHS012	Provide support to develop wellness plans and advanced directives
CHCMHS013	Implement trauma informed care
CHCCCS017	Provide loss and grief support
HLTWHS004	Manage work health and safety
CHCMHS010	Implement recovery oriented approaches to complexity
CHCMHS002	Establish self-directed recovery relationships
CHCMHS003	Provide recovery oriented mental health services
CHCMHS004	Work collaboratively with the care network and other services

Complimentary Career Guidance

For more information, speak to a TrainSmart Australia Career Advisor – phone **1300 855 517** or visit tsa.edu.au

Total Tuition Cost • JOBS & SKILLS WA Government subsidised total course fee: **\$6,775**

Must meet eligibility criteria to qualify. Additional fees may apply such as student services and resource fees. Student tuition fees are indicative only and are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment. Western Australian government program.



*VET Student Loan allows you to study now and pay later. It can be used to fund part or all of your tuition fees and is a loan which must be paid back. VET Student Loans will not be approved for students who do not meet eligibility requirements. VET Student Loan give rise to a HELP debt that continues to be a debt due to the Commonwealth until it is repaid and the VET Student Loan may attract a 20% Government loan fee.



Learn new skills
– and watch your career take off



Flexible Learning
Online, Face-to-Face or Blended Learning, to fit in with your lifestyle



VET Student Loan and Self-funded options
also available



Nationally Accredited and Recognised Qualifications



Specially dedicated Trainer support



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