



Need new skills to get a job?

Now's the time to get skills ready with **fee-free*** training!

This skill set is 100% fee-free for everyone – that means you pay no tuition, resource or administration fees.

Get skills ready – enrol now!

INTRODUCTION TO DIRECT SUPPORT SKILL SET

State ID AE456

Overview

The *Introduction to direct support skill set* provides entry level training to get you job ready for employment as a direct support worker in aged care or disability services*. You will learn practical skills to meet personal support needs, learn how to undertake manual tasks safely, and build your communication skills.

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This skill set includes 70 hours of workplace experience which will give you the chance to apply your skills and knowledge in a real workplace, and prepare you for employment. The work experience placement will be coordinated by TAFE college or training provider you are enrolled with.

Further study options

The units in this skill set may lead to the qualifications listed below and other qualifications that allow selection of these units.

Half price courses†:

- » Certificate IV in Ageing Support
- » Certificate IV in Disability
- » Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing)
- » Certificate III in Individual Support (Disability)
- » Certificate III in Individual Support (Home and Community)
- » Certificate II in Introduction to Disability Care (Pre-traineeship)

**LOWER FEES
LOCAL SKILLS**

†Eligibility requirements apply. Talk to your training provider or local Jobs and Skills Centre.

Other courses:

- » Certificate III in Active Volunteering

How to enrol

Visit jobsandskills.wa.gov.au/skillsready for a list of training providers approved to deliver this skill set, or alternatively visit your local Jobs and Skills Centre or contact them on 13 64 64.

For more information

Check out the frequently asked questions under the 'Skills Ready' section of the Jobs and Skills WA website at jobsandskills.wa.gov.au/skillsready.



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**Eligibility requirements apply for free training – See website for details*



Units of competency

Unit code	Unit title
HLTINF001	Comply with infection prevention and control policies and procedures
CHCCCS011	Meet personal support needs
CHCCOM005	Communicate and work in health or community services
HLTWHS005	Conduct manual tasks safely

Eligibility criteria

This course is 100% fee-free for eligible students.

Please read the FAQs at jobsandskills.wa.gov.au/skillsready for full eligibility for free training.

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