



Nganampa Health Council

Nganampa Health Council is a Registered Training Provider (RTO National Number 0644), and we offer the nationally recognised course HLT21307 Certificate 11 in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care which is part of the Health Training Package HLT07

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Nganampa Health Council works for the health of Aboriginal people living on the Anangu Pitjantjatjara Yankuntjatjara (APY)Lands by providing effective, accessible and appropriate primary health care. Nganampa Health Council provides comprehensive primary health care, including medical clinics, 24 hour emergency care, Aboriginal Health Worker Education program, Women’s health, Men’s Health, Dental Program, STI Control and HIV prevention Program, Environmental health, Health Promotion, Community health programs, Aged and Disability programs, Dog Health Program etc. To support these services to the community and ensure accountability for funds, Nganampa Health also has an administration section.

Aims & Objectives of the Course

Aims:-

- To contribute to the advancement of Health outcomes for Aboriginal communities and individuals and to bring these to a level at least equal to the standard enjoyed by the rest of the population within Australia by the empowerment of Aboriginal Health Workers through :
- The provision of education and training for Aboriginal Health Workers within a Primary Health Care construct which will enable the provision of culturally appropriate, competent, safe and professional services and programs for and with Aboriginal people.
- That the provision of knowledge, skills and attitudes will enable Aboriginal Health Workers to bring about change and facilitate self determination.
- The provision of professional knowledge, skills and attitudes which will enable Aboriginal people to take leadership roles in the management, development and operation of health programs, projects and organisations.
- The provision of future career pathways and options for students who successfully complete this award

Objectives :

- Use and decipher essential workplace texts relevant to the role of the Aboriginal Health Worker by using literacy and numeracy competency and language support.
- Implement the principles of Primary Health Care in the provision of Health Care services
- Communicate effectively with clients and contribute to the maintenance of a safe and healthy work environment.
- Act as an advocate for and on behalf of individuals, families and communities in health matters.
- Contribute to the planning , implementation and evaluation of health services and programs.

Student Selection :

Student selection will be upon application (Application forms avail from clinics), interview by Health Committee and community references. There are no prerequisites for the course, however, experience in health care would be an advantage.

For further information contact Course Coordinator: Cyndi Cole or AHW Trainer: Jennifer Summerfield on 08 89567009 or fax 08 89567850

<p>Course Content: 11 Competency units are required for award of this qualification:- including 8 compulsory competency units and 3 elective competency units. A maximum of 2 competency units may be selected from other relevant training package units available at Certificate 11 level or higher.</p> <p>Compulsory Competency Units:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HLTAHW201A Work with Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander clients • HLTHIR301A Communicate and work effectively in health. • HLTOHS200A Participate in OHS processes • HLTIN301A Comply with infection control policies and procedures in health work. • HLTAHW202A Support clients to obtain access to health services • HLTF301B Apply First Aid • BSBCMN206A Process and maintain workplace information • CHCCOM1B Communicate with people accessing the services of the organisation 	<p>Elective Competency Units:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HLTAHW203A Provide basic health information to clients • BSBCMN105A Use Business equipment • BSBCMN107A Operate a personal computer • BSBCMN202A Organise and complete daily work activities • BSBCMN203A Communicate in the workplace • HLTCSD208B Transport Clients • HLTRAH301B Undertake visits to remote communities • WRPDIS101A Accept prescriptions for dispensing • CHCCHILD1C Identify and respond to young people at risk of harm • CHCCHILD2C Support the rights and safety of children within duty of care requirements. 	<p>Course Duration :- The course can take 15 months to 36 months part time. Students will be released for 3 to 5 day blocks for training at Umuwa. Blocks are usually held once a month but students may not have to attend every one. On the job training is provided in the clinics by trainers and other staff (ie. Senior AHWs, RN's, Doctors, Women's & Men's Health Coordinators, other NHC staff). The course Coordinator and AHW Trainer will also visit you in your clinic and do some on the job training while there.</p> <p>Fees: There are no fees for this course. While attending training you will receive your ordinary salary from work.</p> <p>Formal Recognition Upon successful completion of the course, students will receive a Certificate. You will also be eligible for statements of attainment for each competency unit – these will be given to you should you leave your employment,</p> <p>Pathway: Students completing this course will be eligible for acceptance into Cert 111 in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care and will receive credit transfer for some of the competency units completed in Cert 11.</p>
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