



Nganampa Health Council

Nganampa Health Council is a Registered Training Provider (RTO National Number 0644), and we offer the nationally recognised course HLT33207 Certificate 111 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

- Develop and apply independent study skills

- Identify, explain and apply concepts and principles of Primary Health Care and community development in health
- Develop practical skills to investigate and explore issues and information regarding Aboriginal Primary Health Care
- Implement the principles of Primary Health Care in the provision of Health Care services
- Develop and refine their assessment, treatment and communication skills.
- Provide culturally appropriate health services and programs within a broad definition of health.
- 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 form clinics), interview by Health Committee and community references. A reasonable level of numeracy and literacy is required . Students may have completed Certificate 11 or may commence directly at Cert level 111. [For further information contact Course Coordinator: Cyndi Cole or AHW Trainer: Jennifer Summerfield on 08 89567009 or fax 08 89567850](#)

<p>Course Content: 14 Competency units are required for award of this qualification:- including 13 compulsory competency units and 1 elective competency units. A competency unit may be selected from other relevant training package units available at Certificate 111 level or higher.</p> <p>Compulsory Competency Units:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • HLTAHW301A Work in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care context • HLTAHW302A Facilitate communication between clients and service providers • HLTAHW303A Advocate for the rights and needs of community members • HLTF301B Apply First Aid • HLTAHW304A Undertake basic health assessments • HLTAHW305A Plan and implement basic health care • HLTAHW306A Provide information about social and emotional support • HLTAHW307A Identify community health issues, needs and strategies • HLTOHS300A Contribute to OHS processes. • HLTIN301A Comply with infection control policies and procedures in health work 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BSBCMN206A Process and maintain workplace information • HLTAHW308A Assist with Basic Health Screening, promotion and education services • HLTPOP307B Provide information and support on environmental health issues. <p>Elective Competency Units:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CHCCS304A Assist with self medication • HLTAHW309A Assist with substance misuse care • CHCAOD2C Orientation to alcohol and other drugs work • CHCMH1B Orientation to mental health work • HLTF302B Apply advanced first aid • HLTAHW310A Respond to emergencies • BSBCMN205A Use Business technology • WRPDIS202A Delivery of medication • CHCCM1C Undertake case management • CHCCM2C Establish and monitor a case plan • CHCCD13C Work within specific communities • 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 24 months to 48 months part time or longer depending on cultural requirements / obligations. Some one to one support and mentoring may be provided if needed. High levels of numeracy and literacy in English is required to complete this course.</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 1V in Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander Primary Health Care and will receive credit transfer for some of the competency units completed in Cert 111 level.</p>
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