HLT33115 · CERTIFICATE III · HEALTH

CERTIFICATE III IN HEALTH SERVICES ASSISTANCE

Work as an assistant in nursing in hospitals and acute care.



COURSE FEE	PLACEMENT	UNITS	TIME TO FINISH
$2,000	80 hours	15	6 to 9 months

WHAT YOU'LL LEARN

- ✓ Assist with nursing care in acute settings
- ✓ Recognise healthy body systems
- ✓ Use medical terminology correctly
- ✓ Apply infection prevention and control
- ✓ Communicate and work in health services

COURSE REQUIREMENTS

BEFORE YOU ENROL

Nothing required

No prior study or experience. You'll need a USI and a device that records video.

PLACEMENT

80 hours

In an acute care setting such as a hospital, supervised by a registered nurse.

HOW YOU SHOW IT

- Placement logbook
- Supervisor report
- Videos of simulated tasks with a consenting adult, never patients

CHECKS

Health checks

NSW Health student compliance: vaccinations, a national police check, a Working with Children Check and the NSW Health code of conduct.

UNITS YOU'LL STUDY

CODE	UNIT TITLE
BSBMED301	Interpret and apply medical terminology appropriately
BSBWOR301	Organise personal work priorities and development
CHCCOM005	Communicate and work in health or community services
CHCDIV001	Work with diverse people
HLTAAP001	Recognise healthy body systems
HLTINF006	Apply basic principles and practices of infection prevention and control
HLTWHS001	Participate in workplace health and safety

Plus 8 elective units, packaged for the Assisting in Nursing Work in Acute Care specialisation. Your trainer confirms your electives at enrolment.

HOW YOUR COURSE RUNS

1. **Enrol**
   Pay upfront or in 4
2. **Pre-training check**
   USI and a short LLN check
3. **Study online**
   At your own pace
4. **Placement**
   80 hours, signed off
5. **Certificate**
   Recognised Australia-wide

VIDEO RECORDING RULES

1. Hold photo ID next to your face and say your name, the date and the task at the start.
2. Record in one continuous take: no cuts, edits, filters or speeding up.
3. Keep your whole body and the equipment in frame, in good light, with clear sound.
4. Talk through what you are doing and why, as if explaining to the assessor.
5. Use the equipment listed for your course.
6. Only film people who have agreed to it. Never film children, clients or patients.
7. Upload the video to Cloudemy under the matching assessment task.

If a video doesn't show the full task, your assessor will ask for a new recording or a live video session.

CAREERS

- Assistant in nursing (AIN)
- Patient services assistant
- Ward assistant
- Health services assistant

NEXT STEP

A Diploma of Nursing, or HLT43021 Certificate IV in Allied Health Assistance.

ENROL ONLINE

www.staonline.com.au/products/certificate-iii-health-services-assistance-online-course

Questions? Call 1300 722 689 or email hello@staonline.com.au

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$2,000

or 4 × $500 with Afterpay

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