



Kickstart your Career in Health and Community Services

About this course

This introductory course is for participants who want to gain employment in the health and/or community services sector. It is suitable for participants who have a genuine interest in helping others and a desire to make a difference in their community.

Health and Community service workers are in high demand with several job opportunities.

This is a pre-accredited course.

Entry Requirements

All participants must:

- Be a minimum of 17 years of age;
- Be an Australian or New Zealand citizen;
- Not be attending school;
- Be able to read, understand and interpret written information.

Following industry mandates, participants may be required to provide proof of vaccination records to undertake placement or live work activities.

What you will learn

You will learn about:

Working in the Care industries
Types of roles and responsibilities
Understanding the legislative and ethical environment
Understanding safe work practices
Cultural awareness, communication skills and skills for working effectively with others
Employability skills and transferrable skills
Practical skills (physical fitness)
Employment preparation including mock interviews with our industry partner.

Delivery

This course is delivered 2 days per week for 6 weeks from our Hastings campus. Sessions run Monday and Tuesday from 9:30am to 3:00pm.

Assessment Methods

The assessment in this course involves non-formal classroom-based workshops and volunteer placement. Upon successful completion, participants will be issued with a Certificate of Participation.

Course Fees

Government subsidised concession fee: \$16.00*
Government subsidised tuition fee: \$80.00*

**This course is subsidised by the Victorian Government through Adult, Community and Further Education (ACFE). Eligibility criteria apply.*

How to enrol

You can send an online course enquiry @ advance.vic.edu.au

Send an email to:

rosebud@advance.vic.edu.au

hastings@advance.vic.edu.au

mornington@advance.vic.edu.au

Call your nearest campus.

Please visit our online course calendar to find out when the next course is being held.

Contact us

Advance Community College (RTO 4016)

6 Henry Wilson Drive, Rosebud | P: **5986 4623**

1973 Frankston Flinders Road, Hastings | P: **5979 1398**

43 Mitchell Street, Mornington | P: **5977 2976**

If you have a debt from fines (e.g. infringement notices) participation in this course may be able to reduce it.

This course is an approved Work and Development Permit Scheme activity.

This course may count towards your Points Based Activation System (PBAS).