

COMMUNITY SERVICES PATHWAYS





PACKAGES IN COMMUNITY SERVICES.

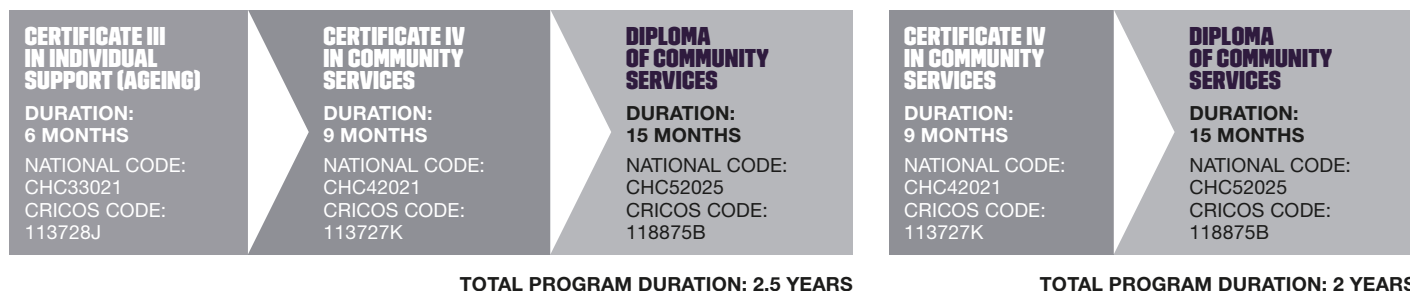
Graduate ready to support individuals and communities with TAFE SA's Community Services pathway.

Choose your starting point: begin with the Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing) (113728J, CHC33021) to build foundational knowledge and gain entry-level employment in care settings, or start directly with the Certificate IV in Community Services (113727K, CHC42021) if you're ready for more advanced training.

Progress through to the Diploma of Community Services (118875B, CHC52025) to deepen your skills in case management, advocacy and crisis response. Develop technical capability through over 200 hours of industry placement across a range of community service agencies.

Train with experienced educators at campuses across Adelaide and regional South Australia.

It's your career, you decide where it takes you.



ENTRY REQUIREMENTS TO CERTIFICATE III COURSES

- > Academic IELTS score of 6.0 Overall with minimum of 5.0 in all bands or equivalent.
- > Satisfactory completion of Year 10 or overseas equivalent.
- > The physical ability to perform manual handling tasks.

Work Placement Duration: 120 hours

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS TO CERTIFICATE IV COURSES

- > Academic IELTS score of 6.0 Overall with minimum of 5.5 in Listening and Speaking and 5.0 in Reading and Writing or equivalent.
- > Satisfactory completion of Year 11 or overseas equivalent.

Work Placement Duration: 80 hours

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS TO DIPLOMA COURSES

- > Academic IELTS score of 6.0 Overall with minimum of 5.5 in Listening and Speaking and 5.0 in Reading and Writing or equivalent.
- > Satisfactory completion of the Certificate IV in Community Services (113727K, CHC42021).

Work Placement Duration: 200 hours

CAREER OUTCOMES

These pathways prepare you for roles in aged care, disability support, youth work, housing, and crisis intervention. Start with the Certificate III to gain early employment in support roles, or progress to the Diploma for more advanced case management and leadership opportunities.

Graduates are in demand across government and non-government sectors, and can pathway into further study in social work, counselling or human services.

COURSE FEES 2026

Individual Support pathway (Cert III + Cert IV + Diploma):
\$33,375

Community Services pathway (Cert IV + Diploma): \$24,700

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