

## Allied Health Assistance

<b>TAFE course enrolment number</b>	17595	<b>Is this course available for school-based trainees?</b>	Yes
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<b>VET credential available</b>	Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance (HLT32407)
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<b>BOS course name</b>	<b>Pattern of study</b>	<b>BOS course number</b>	<b>Schools Online entry advice</b>
Allied Health Assistance (360 hours)	3 units x 2 years	43610	Enter this course number for both Preliminary (Year 11) and HSC (Year 12)

<b>Exclusions</b>	Health Services Assistance, Nursing and Indigenous Primary Health Care
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<b>Access including access by students in Stage 5</b>	<p>Students must be 16 years of age to access this course as they will be in a work placement with vulnerable people and duty of care requires a substantial level of maturity.</p> <p>In certain circumstances students in Stage 5 may access a Stage 6 VET course while also completing the requirements for the award of the School Certificate. Further information is available on the Board of Studies website at <a href="http://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/voc_ed/stage-5.html">www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/voc_ed/stage-5.html</a></p>
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### HSC unit credit and course requirements

HSC unit credit for VET courses can be accredited to the Preliminary and/or HSC pattern of study.

#### Allied Health Assistance (360 indicative hours)

- accredited for a total of 6 units at the Preliminary and/or HSC level
- attempt units of competency as directed in the table below
- undertake a minimum of 50 hours of mandatory work placement.

For a course to count towards the HSC program of study students must satisfy the course completion criteria as required by the Board of Studies. Refer to Section 8.4 of the *Assessment, Certification and Examination (ACE) Manual*.

Under some circumstances, students' part-time work in an appropriate workplace may be used to fulfil work placement requirements. Refer to the *Assessment, Certification and Examination (ACE) Manual* or relevant Board of Studies Official Notices for further details.

### AQF VET credential

To attain Certificate III in Allied Health Assistance (HLT32407) students must achieve 15 units of competency including:

- all units of competency from Stage 1 (5 core and 2 electives)
- 8 units of competency from Stage 2 (5 core and 3 electives).

# TAFE delivered HSC VET Content Endorsed Course Description (2009)

## Course content

Unit code	Unit title	Core (C) or elective (E) for AQF VET qualification	Prerequisites	Indicative hours for HSC credit
<b>STAGE 1</b> (Year 11) <i>Attempt ALL units of competency</i>				
HLTAH301A	Assist with an allied health program	C	nil	30
HLTAP301A	Recognise healthy body systems in a health care context	C	nil	30
HLTCSD304B	Support the care of clients	listed E	nil	15
HLTFA301B	Apply first aid	other E	nil	20
HLTHIR301A	Communicate and work effectively in health	C	nil	20
HLTIN301A	Comply with infection control policies and procedures in health work	C	nil	25
HLTOHS200A	Participate in OHS processes	C	nil	20
<b>STAGE 2</b> (Year 12) <i>Attempt ALL units of competency</i>				
BSBCMN305A	Organise workplace information	C	nil	20
BSBFLM303B	Contribute to effective workplace relationships	C	nil	20
BSBMED201A	Use basic medical terminology	C	nil	30
HLTCSD201B	Maintain high standard of client service	C	nil	20
HLTCSD305B	Assist with client movement	C	nil	15
<i>Plus a minimum of 3 of the following units of competency</i>				
HLTAH402A	Assist with physiotherapy treatments and interventions	other E	HLTAP301A HLTCSD305B HLTAH301A	20
HLTAH407A	Assist with the rehabilitation of clients	other E	none	20
HLTAH410A	Support the development of speech and communication skills	other E	HLTAH301A	20
HLTHIR403B	Work effectively with culturally diverse clients and co-workers	listed E	none	20
HLTHIR404B	Work effectively with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people	listed E	none	25
HLTNA302B	Plan and evaluate meals and menus to meet recommended dietary guidelines	other E	none	20

### For further information

Refer to the following websites:

[www.det.nsw.edu.au/vetinschools/vet/tvet/index.html](http://www.det.nsw.edu.au/vetinschools/vet/tvet/index.html)

[www.tafensw.edu.au](http://www.tafensw.edu.au) → Find a course → TVET for schools