Diploma of Community Welfare and Development (DCWD) - DipCWD

QTAC code (Australian and New Zealand applicants): Ipswich campus: 939211; External: 909215; Toowoomba campus: 909211

CRICOS code (International applicants): 065020C	
This program is offered only to continuing students. No new are interested in this area of study should contact us.	admission will be accepted. Students who

- knowledge of the key principles and indicators of sustainability and an awareness of the economic, social and environmental contexts of current sustainability issues
- ability to initiate critical analyses of their social, economic, cultural, and political context, as these pertain to the community sector in order to make informed decisions
- qualities of collaboration, resourcefulness, sensitivity to diverse needs and a commitment to equity and social justice
- professional skills in planning, implementing and evaluating a range of community development strategies appropriate to the community welfare and development context
- ability to utilise resources available to community organisations effectively
- a critical, reflective and ethical professional approach
- basic communication skills applicable to community workplaces.

Program Information Set

View USQ's admission criteria, student profiles and a summary of all offers made under Course Admission Information Set via the QTAC website.

Admission requirements

To be eligible for admission, applicants must satisfy the following requirements:

Students will have completed either (a) year 12 or (b) its equivalent, with a satisfactory achievement in English (the overall position or its equivalent will be used as a general basis for selection).

All students are required to satisfy the applicable English language requirements.

If students do not meet the English language requirements they may apply to study a University-approved English language program. On successful completion of the English language program, students may be admitted to an award program.

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Required Courses (six units)	CMS1000 Communication and Scholarship				
	CDS1000 Community Welfare and Development				
	CDS1001 Human Relations and Communications				
	CDS2000 Ethical Issues and Human Rights in the Human Services (students				
	cannot study both CDS2000 and HMT2000 within the one degree)				
	HSW1000 Foundations of the Human Services Disciplines				
	EDC2200 Indigenous Perspectives				
Elective course (one unit)	One course selected from the Bachelor of Human Services core or any major				
Elective course (one unit)	One course selected from available university offerings				

Required time limits

Students have a maximum of 3 years to complete this program.

Electives/Approved courses

The Diploma requires one elective to be chosen from the Bachelor of Human Services program, either a core course (e.g. PSY1010) or from one of the majors.

The Diploma requires one other elective chosen from the University's offerings.

Recommended enrolment pattern

Students are able to enrol in any offered mode of a course (on-campus, external or online), regardless of the program mode of study they enrolled in.