

Recruiting Now!

Positions available
in Aged Care and Disability

Participating Organisations



CHARLESTOWN
CARINGGROUP



OVOC
Our Voice Our Choice



Start your career in Community Services

We are searching for **15** passionate individuals to join our participating organisations as support workers.

No previous experience or qualifications are required!

It's hard to get into jobs these days without training or experience, so this recruitment process has been designed to give you both. Selected participants will complete an entry level training program and a short (unpaid) work experience placement with one of our participating organisations. This way you get to see if this is the right career for you, and you get to show the employer why you would be an asset to their team.

Successful participants will join their new team and complete the CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support.

To be considered for this program and a position please submit your resume to **recruitment@essentialskills.com.au**

One of our team will contact you to run through the program details and to determine your eligibility. Suitable applicants will be invited to attend an information session on **Wednesday 23rd February 2022.**

About the participating Organisations



Our Voice Our Choice was established to provide support and facilitation to individuals wishing to attain goals and objectives across all aspects of their lives. The underlying principal is to provide 'enabling' resources and support in line with people's wishes and needs.

OVOC provides Disability & Mental Health Services in Newcastle and the Lake Macquarie area. We specialise in Community Access, Supported Group Accommodation (Holidays), Capacity Building & Support Coordination.



I Am Here is an NDIS provider striving to support and enhance the lives of people with acquired brain injury and other disabilities. We aim to provide person-centered and individualised service of an exceptional standard – a home away from home that is familiar, caring, and safe. Dignity, individuality, and respect are at the heart of everything we do. Operating as a boutique not-for-profit organisation, we provide 24/7 care in supported independent living and respite care.



Charlestown Caring Group provides support for the aged; including people with a disability, and their carers.

Charlestown Caring Group is a medium size not for profit community organisation established in 1986 that is funded for Commonwealth Home Support Program (CHSP) as well as being a registered provider of National Disability Insurance Scheme (NDIS). The organisation provides services to clients in the Newcastle/Lake Macquarie Region.

How the program works

Selected participants will undertake a 2 week training program starting **Monday 7th March 2022**.

The program is broken down into trainer led workshops and an unpaid work placement over a period of 2 weeks, where you will be mentored and supervised by an experienced support worker.

Upon successful completion of the program, participants will be issued with a nationally accredited Statement of Attainment for the following three units of competency;

- **HLTAID011 - Provide first aid**
- **CHCMHS001 - Work with people with mental health issues**
- **DFAADF001 - Provide first aid to a person with a disability**

Participating organisations will then confirm the participants who will join their team and complete the nationally accredited qualification – CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support, whilst in paid employment.

There is no cost associated with this program - This training is subsidised by the NSW Government.

To be eligible you must meet the following criteria:

- not already have the CHC33015 Certificate III in Individual Support
- be 18 years or older and no longer at school
- be an Australian or New Zealand Citizen or Permanent Resident
- live or work in NSW
- transport and drivers licence required
- COVID vaccination completed
- be willing to undergo a national Police Background Check
- be willing to undergo an NDIS Worker Screening Check



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We cannot guarantee employment for all participants. We reserve the right to cancel or postpone this course if the minimum numbers are not met.

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