

# 2018

## New Zealand Certificate in Health and Wellbeing (Level 3) with strand in Health Assistance

Delivered on behalf of Nelson Marlborough Institute of Technology ([NMIT](#))



**Level**  
3



**Credits**  
70



**Duration**  
43 weeks



**Location**  
Auckland

### Programme Aim

The aim of this Level 3 Programme is to enable students to develop the skills and knowledge required to provide effective person-centred support in the health sector, the family/whanau, and the wider community, and to develop a range of transferable skills that are highly valued in the caring professions.

It aims to produce work-ready graduates with the personal attributes, specialised knowledge and practical skills necessary to work under limited supervision under the guidance of health professionals and/or to personal plans, and to make an immediate contribution to the health sector and community.

### Duration

*Full time:*

22 weeks fulltime study plus up to 4 study break weeks

*Part time:*

43 weeks part time study plus up to 6 study break weeks

### Entry Requirements

- NZ Citizenship or Permanent Residency (Birth Certificate or Passport required)
- Current employment in a relevant role
- Applicants under 20 years of age must have NCEA Level 1 or equivalent
- For applicants over 20 there are no minimum academic requirements.
- English language requirements: all applicants must have a level of English sufficient to study at this level. Those applications for whom English is not their first language should have an IELTS General or Academic score of at least 5.0 with no band score lower than 5.0 OR equivalent.
- In order to comply with the provisions of the Vulnerable Children's Act, 2014 and Child Protection Policies for all 'specified organisations' providing a 'regulated service', where all candidates/students will be subjected to safety checks. These may include but are not limited to:
  - Police Vet Check
  - Formal discussion
  - Information session
- In exceptional circumstances an applicant who does not meet the full entry requirements may be granted admission to the programme on the approval of the Head of Department or delegate if he/she is confident of the applicant's ability to successfully undertake the programme with a reasonable likelihood of success.

### Modes of Delivery

Blended (a combination of face to face and online)

## Programme Structure

<b>CHW301 Ethical and Professional Practice</b>		
28521	Recognise and describe responses to vulnerability and abuse in a health or wellbeing setting	5
28543	Describe culturally safe Maori operating principles and values, and their application in a health or wellbeing setting	5
28542	Demonstrate and apply knowledge of professional and ethical behaviour in a health or wellbeing setting	5
<b>Total credits</b>		<b>15</b>

<b>CHW303 Recognising and Responding to Change</b>		
23385	Demonstrate knowledge of advocacy and self-advocacy in a health or wellbeing setting	4
27459	Observe and respond to changes in people in a health or wellbeing setting	4
23388	Provide support to a person whose behaviour presents challenges in a health or wellbeing setting	4
<b>Total credits</b>		<b>12</b>

<b>CHW302 Fundamentals of Safe Practice</b>		
28535	Demonstrate knowledge of procedures for infection control in a health and wellbeing setting	4
26981	Describe risks, impacts and actions for falls and minimise risk of falls in a health or wellbeing setting	3
27833	Support people to use assistive equipment and move in a health or wellbeing setting	5
<b>Total credits</b>		<b>12</b>

<b>CHW304 Ageing and Support Services</b>		
23387	Describe the ageing process and its effects on a person's lifestyle and wellbeing	7
1810	Provide information about resources and support services in a health or wellbeing setting	2
<b>Total credits</b>		<b>9</b>

<b>CHW305 Supporting Health and Wellbeing</b>		
16871	Describe physical disability and the support needs of a person with a physical disability	4
23386	Support a person to meet personal care needs in a health or wellbeing setting	5
28546	Describe incontinence and interventions to assist a person in a health or wellbeing setting	5
26975	Describe interaction, supports, and reporting for people with dementia in a health or wellbeing setting	8
<b>Total credits</b>		<b>22</b>

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