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# Statement of Fees – 2024 Skills First (VIC) and Skills SA (TOID 6832) v2.3

		Student Contribution (How much the Student Pays)					
	Government Contribution (per hour)	Tuition Fees			Additional Course Fees (as relevant)		
		<b>A</b> Concession (Funded – Skills First Program)	<b>B</b> Non- Concession (Funded – Skills First Program)	C Fee for Service (FFS)	RPL Assessment (Per Unit)	Resources (Incl. GST)	
FULL QUALIFICATIONS							
Face-to-face Delivery CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing and Disability)	\$9.00	\$70 (\$0.10 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.54 per hr)	\$4,062 (\$6.24 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
Blended Delivery CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing and Disability)	\$9.00	\$70 (\$0.10 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.54 per hr)	\$3,112 (\$6.24 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
Online Supported Delivery CHC33021 Certificate III in Individual Support (Ageing and Disability)	\$9.00	\$70 (\$0.10 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.54 per hr)	\$2,150 (\$6.24 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
Face-to-face Delivery HLT33115 Certificate III in Health Services Assistance	\$10.50	\$70 (0.11 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.65 per hr)	\$3,535 (\$6.61 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
Blended Delivery HLT33115 Certificate III in Health Services Assistance	\$10.50	\$70 (0.11 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.65 per hr)	\$3,116	\$150	N/A	
Online Supported Delivery HLT33115 Certificate III in Health Services Assistance	\$10.50	\$70 (0.11 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.65 per hr)	\$2150 (\$6.24 per hr)	\$150	N/A	



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Face-to-face CHC43121 Certificate IV in Disability Support	\$7.50	\$70 (\$0.75 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.37 per hr)	\$4,115 (\$4.38 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
Blended Delivery CHC43121 Certificate IV in Disability Support	\$7.50	\$70 (\$0.75 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.37 per hr)	\$3,116	\$150	N/A	
Face-to-face HC43415 Certificate IV in Leisure and Health	\$7.50	\$70 (\$0.61 per hr)	\$350 (\$0.33 per hr)	\$4,155 (\$3.98 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
Blended Delivery CHC62015 Advanced Diploma of Community Sector Management	\$6.50	N/A	\$500 (\$0.30 per hr)	\$7,912 (\$6.20 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
Face-to-face HLT54121 Diploma of Nursing	\$10.00	N/A	\$13,000 (\$7.72 per hr)	\$28,594 (\$16.98 per hr)	\$300	\$750	
SKILL SETS							
CHCSS00070 Assist Clients with Medication Skill Set	\$8.75	N/A	\$62 (\$0.41 per hr)	\$645 (\$4.30 per hr)	N/A	N/A	
CHCSS00114 Entry into Care Roles Skill Set	\$10.50	N/A	\$61 \$(0.77 per hr)	\$601 (\$7.61 per hr)	N/A	N/A	
CHCSS00130 Individual Support - Disability Skill Set	\$10.50	N/A	\$62 (\$0.41 per hr)	\$645 (\$4.30 per hr)	\$62 (\$0.41 per hr)	\$645 (\$4.30 per hr)	
CHCSS00129 Individual Support - Ageing Skill Set	\$10.50	N/A	\$62 (\$0.41 per hr)	\$645 (\$4.30 per hr)	\$62 (\$0.41 per hr)	\$645 (\$4.30 per hr)	

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22558VIC Course in Supporting People with Disability to use Medications	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$390 (\$6.00 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
HLTSS00083 Infection Prevention and Control Skill Set	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$468 (\$18.72 per hr)	\$150	N/A	
HLTAID009 Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation	N/A	N/A	N/A	\$350	N/A	N/A	

Eligibility criteria apply. Student tuition fees as published are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment. Unless otherwise stated, all courses are 'current' as published on the National Register.

#### **Skills First Program Entitlement**

To be eligible for a Skills First Program training subsidy an individual must be an Australian citizen, a holder of a permanent visa or a New Zealand citizen and must be undertaking a higherlevel course than that already held (exceptions may apply). An individual is eligible to:

- Commence a maximum of two (2) subsidised courses in a calendar year
- Undertake a maximum of two (2) subsidised courses at any one time.

Accessing the Skills First Program entitlement may impact individual's future eligibility for further government subsidised training. Individual eligibility for the Skills First Program is assessed by a Course Advisor prior to enrolment. The Skills First Program is delivered with Victorian and Commonwealth Government funding.

#### **Skills SA Program Entitlement**

A student may be eligible for a subsidised training place if they live or work in South Australia, and:

- are an Australian or New Zealand citizen, or
- are a permanent Australian resident, or
- hold a state sponsored visa on a pathway to permanent residency (see Eligible visa types)

#### and are:

• 16 years or over and not enrolled at school.

Student Entitlement to subsidised training:

- One training place at Certificate III level or above
- Access to foundation skills courses as required
- Up to five fee-free foundation skills bridging units of competency for those assessed to need them
- Up to five vocational bridging units of competency for those assessed to need them.



# **Concession Rates**

Concession rates apply only to Certificate IV level courses and below. To be eligible for the concession rate an individual must be eligible for a government subsidised training place and at course commencement, must hold a current and valid Commonwealth Health Care Card, Pensioner Concession Card or Veteran's Gold Card.

# Fee for Service

Fee for service rates apply to those applicants who do not meet the eligibility criteria for government funding.

# **Payment Terms**

Payment Plan is available via a third party, *DebitSuccess Pty Ltd*. The exact fees and charges for a Payment Plan will be set out in your contract. Examples of fees and charges that apply under the contract include:

- A non-refundable, one-off administration fee of \$12.00 (payable with your first instalment)
- 4.4%\* surcharge for each direct debit (based on amount of payment plan)
- A reversal fee of \$14.95 for each failed direct debit

**NOTE:** Discounts and/or Payment Plans <u>do not</u> apply to Qualifications and Skill Sets if the course fee is \$300 or less.

# Course fee option for 'HLTSS00064 Infection Control Skill Set'

<b>Option 1</b> : Payment in full on enrolment (10% Discount)	\$421
Option 2: Payment of deposit on enrolment	\$160
2 <sup>nd</sup> Payment prior to placement	\$160
3 <sup>rd</sup> Payment prior to certificate issue	\$160

# Refund Policy (excluding HLT54115 Diploma of Nursing)

Students who provide EmployEase with written notification of their withdrawal from a course within 4 weeks of their **Course Start Date** as stated in their **Training Plan** will be eligible to receive a refund. Refunds are calculated as follows:

- Written notification received within a period of no less than 3 working days prior to the Course Start Date = full refund minus any Payment Plan Agreement Contract fees, if applicable.
- Written notification received after Course commencement = no Refund

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- Written notification received within a period of no less than 3 working days prior to the Course Start Date = full refund minus \$1,000 and any *Payment Plan Agreement Contract* fees, if applicable.
- Written notification received less than 3 working days, or within 28 days of Course Start Date = full refund minus \$2,200 and any *Payment Plan Agreement Contract* fees, if applicable.
- Written notification received more than 28 days from Course Start Date = no refund



# Initial Holding Deposit – HLT54115 Diploma of Nursing

Candidates who progress to the panel interview stage are required to pay a holding deposit of \$250.00. The holding deposit is refundable if the candidate is not offered a position in the course. However, the holding deposit is non-refundable if the student chooses not to accept the position following receipt of a Letter of Offer or withdraws their application prior to a Letter of Offer being made.

#### **Payment Plan Agreement**

Payment Plan Agreement <u>continues</u> after course withdrawal. Students on a payment agreement who withdraw from a course within 28 days from the Course Start Date are eligible for early termination of the payment agreement. Terminations are calculated in accordance with the terms above.

# **Fee Protection**

EmployEase holds an unconditional financial guarantee (Bank Guarantee) from the HSBC bank, for the total amount of prepaid fees held by us in excess of the \$1,500 prepaid threshold per learner for services to be provided by EmployEase to those learners.

# **Cancellation of a Course**

Should a course be cancelled by EmployEase prior to commencement, all fees paid will be automatically refunded, unless the student chooses to transfer to another EmployEase course. No additional costs will be incurred. Should EmployEase cancel a course after course commencement, every reasonable step will be taken to support students to complete their training with another EmployEase group without financial disadvantage. Discretion may be applied as deemed reasonable by EmployEase. Should EmployEase be advised to transfer continuing students to another RTO, EmployEase would seek guidance from ASQA and would, through established professional networks with ACPET secure training places with reputable RTOs.

# **Failure to Attend Mandatory Classes**

A fee of \$150 will be applicable to students who do not attend a designated mandatory class unless a medical certificate is provided.

# **Course Outline**

EmployEase is responsible for the quality of training and assessment in compliance with the Standards for RTOs 2015. For course specific information including delivery methods, course duration, locations and work placement requirements please refer to the Course Outline. Course Outlines are available on the EmployEase website at <u>www.employease.com.au</u>

#### **Certificates and Statements of Attainment**

EmployEase is responsible for the issuance of AQF certification documentation. Certificates are issued to students who successfully complete all aspects of their training. Certificates and Statements of Attainment are issued within 30 business days of the final competency being recorded. Hard copies and replacement certificates and Statements of Attainment are available upon request, reprints will incur a charge of \$33.00 (incl. GST) each.

#### **Complaints and Appeals**

EmployEase Complaints and Appeals Policy and Procedure is available on the EmployEase website www.employease.com.au

# Student Handbook, Student Information Handbook – HLT54115 Diploma of Nursing

A copy of the Student Handbook and Student Information Handbook – HLT54115 Diploma of Nursing are available on the EmployEase website www.employease.com.au