

CREDITS:  
20

AVERAGE  
DURATION:  
6 months

COST: ~~\$110~~  
(incl GST)  
FREE ENROLMENT\*

\*This programme has **free** enrolment via the **Targeted Training and Apprenticeships Fund (TTAF)**



## Dementia LCP (Limited Credit Programme) Level 4

This Limited Credit Programme (LCP) consists of four unit standards and focuses on the essential skills, knowledge and attitudes required to support a person with dementia in a residential facility.

### Programme overview

This programme supports care-givers working in or entering the dementia field and represents the essential knowledge and skills required for working with residents affected by dementia.

Learning and assessment for this qualification occurs in the workplace.

### Programme outline

#### The Dementia LCP covers the following topics:

- knowledge of dementia and communicating with a person with dementia.
- providing person-centred care to a person living with dementia.
- knowledge of the effects of dementia and how to manage them.
- supporting a person with dementia when their behaviour presents challenges.

#### Enrolment requirements

There are no prerequisite qualification requirements for trainees enrolling into the Dementia LCP.

To enrol in the Dementia LCP (Limited Credit Programme) Level 4, the trainee must meet the following requirements:

- be employed as a support worker in a health, disability or aged support organisation.
- have one of the following residency statuses:
  - New Zealand citizen (including Cook Islands, Niue and Tokelau citizens)
  - New Zealand permanent resident
  - New Zealand work permit/work visa
  - Australian citizen
  - hold refugee status in New Zealand.

## Learning and assessment resources

Online learning and assessments can be done through Aka Toi, the Careerforce online learning platform. Access to interactive learning activities, theory content and assessment is now available for this programme.

Paper-based learning and assessment resources are also available on our Library <https://library.careerforce.org.nz/>

## Dementia LCP (Limited Credit Programme) Level 4 requirements

### Compulsory section

No	Title	Level	Credit
23920	Demonstrate knowledge of dementia, person-centred care, and communication for a person living with dementia	4	6
23921	Provide person-centred care when supporting a person living with dementia	4	6
23922	Demonstrate knowledge of effects of dementia and how to manage them, for those caring for a person living with dementia	4	4
23923	Demonstrate knowledge of support for people living with dementia when their behaviour presents challenges	4	4

### Unit standard exemptions

People holding these unit standards...				are exempt from completing these unit standards:			
US No.:	Title	L	C	US No.:	Title	L	C
17029	Assist a person who is affected by dementia to meet daily living activities	4	6	23920	Demonstrate knowledge of dementia, person-centred care, and communication for a person living with dementia	4	6
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				23921	Provide person-centred care when supporting a person living with dementia	4	6

### Get in touch with your regional Workplace Advisor:

Across New Zealand, we have Careerforce Workplace Advisors ready to help. Tap into their expertise to find a suitable qualification for your staff at different levels, and ask about the grants and funding available. We'll work together to develop your workforce.

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