



## Expression of Interest (EOI)

### Certificate IV Mental Health Peer Work (CHC43515)

The Certificate IV Mental Health Peer Work is a nationally recognised qualification developed in conjunction with a steering committee of peer workers and organisations in the mental health field.

Providing peer workers with the fundamental skills to work effectively within an organisation, this qualification provides a framework for your practice, teaching you a combination of skills and frameworks to implement into your workplace and inform your professional practice.

**Mental Health Victoria is currently scheduling our next course.**

Please complete the following section to express your interest in participating in this course.

We will email you with course updates and notify you once this course is scheduled to commence, and give you first priority to register for a place. Your expression of interest helps us to plan the dates and locations for this upcoming course.

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**Name:**

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**Organisation:**

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**Street address:**

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**Suburb & postcode:**

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**Tel/Mobile:**

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**Email:**

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Please complete and return this form to  
Mental Health Victoria at [peerwork@mhvic.org.au](mailto:peerwork@mhvic.org.au)  
For further details please contact Lorelle Zemunik on (03) 9519 7000

## **Program Duration & Delivery**

The Certificate IV Mental Health Peer Work is delivered through monthly classes, weekly tutorials (in 2021 classes and tutorials will be a mix of face to face and online via Zoom), and self-directed learning in the learner's own time, over a period of 15 months.

## **Program Outline & Structure**

The program is delivered according to the following modules:

### **Frameworks**

CHCPWK001	Apply peer work practices in the mental health sector
CHCPWK004 / 005	Work effectively in consumer/carer mental health peer work
CHCLEG001	Work legally and ethically
CHCPRP003	Reflect on and improve own professional practice

### **Using lived experience**

CHCPWK003	Apply lived experience in mental health peer work
CHCMHS003	Provide recovery-oriented MH services
CHCGRP002	Plan and conduct group activities

### **Peer work practice**

CHCMHS008	Promote and facilitate self-advocacy
CHCADV002	Provide advocacy and representation services
CHCMHS007	Work effectively in trauma informed care
CHCMHS010	Implement recovery oriented approaches to complexity
CHCMHS011	Assess and promote social, emotional and physical wellbeing

### **Community health environment**

CHCPWK002	Contribute to the continuous improvement of mental health services for consumers and carers
HLTWHS001	Participate in WHS
CHCDIV001	Work with diverse people