QUALIFICATION CODE	HLT51020
QUALIFICATION TITLE	Diploma of Emergency Health Care
QUALIFICATION DESCRIPTION	This qualification reflects the role of pre-hospital and out-of-hospital workers employed by State/Territory ambulance authorities, the Australian Defence Force and the private sector to provide patient assessment, healthcare and transport services. These workers possess clinical skills and theoretical knowledge and provide clinical assessment and pre-hospital and out-of-hospital interventions to patients in an emergency, including providing advanced skills in life support. This qualification applies to a variety of roles including ambulance officer and medic.
	To achieve this qualification, the candidate must have completed at least 160 hours of work as detailed in the Assessment Requirements of units of competency.
	No occupational licensing, certification or specific legislative requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication.
ENTRY REQUIREMENTS	There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

PACKAGING RULES	17 units must be completed:
	<ul> <li>9 core units</li> <li>8 elective units, consisting of:         <ul> <li>at least 4 units from the electives listed below,</li> <li>up to 4 units from the elective listed below, any endorsed Training Package or accredited course - these units must be relevant to the work outcome.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	The selection of electives must be guided by the job outcome sought, local industry requirements and the complexity of skills appropriate to the AQF level of this qualification.

CORE UNITS	Core
	CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people
	CHCLEG001 Work legally and ethically
	HLTAAP002 Confirm physical health status
	HLTOUT001 Implement safe access and egress
	HLTOUT005 Assess and deliver standard clinical care
	HLTOUT010 Communicate in complex situations to support health
	HLTINF001 Comply with infection prevention and control policies and procedures
	HLTWHS002 Follow safe work practices for direct client care
	HLTWHS006 Manage personal stressors in the work environment

ELECTIVE UNITS	Electives
	BSBFLM303 Contribute to effective workplace relationships
	BSBMED301 Interpret and apply medical terminology appropriately
	CHCCCS020 Respond effectively to behaviours of concern
	CHCDIV002 Promote Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural safety
	CHCPRP003 Reflect on and improve own professional practice
	HLTOUT006 Transport emergency patients
	HLTOUT009 Manage the scene of a major incident
	HLTOUT008 Manage a scene
	HLTOUT007 Transport non-emergency patients under operational conditions
	HLTHPS008 Provide clinical mentoring in the work environment
	HLTWHS005 Conduct manual tasks safely

QUALIFICATION MAPPING INFORMATION	HLT51015 Diploma of Paramedical Science
LINKS	Companion Volume Implementation Guide