

<b>QUALIFICATION CODE</b>	<b>CHC50119</b>
<b>QUALIFICATION TITLE</b>	<b>Diploma of Early Childhood Education and Care</b>
<b>QUALIFICATION DESCRIPTION</b>	<p>This qualification reflects the role of educators in early childhood education and care who work according to the requirements of the National Quality Framework. Educators at this level are responsible for designing and implementing curriculum that meets the requirements of an approved learning framework and for maintaining compliance in other areas of service operations. They use specialised knowledge and analyse and apply theoretical concepts to diverse work situations. They may have responsibility for supervision of volunteers or other educators.</p> <p>Early childhood educators work in long day care centres, family day care, pre-schools or kindergartens.</p> <p>Under the Education and Care Services National Law (2011) the Australian Children's Education and Care Quality Authority (ACECQA) publishes lists of approved early childhood education and care qualifications and information regarding regulatory requirements here: <a href="http://www.acecqa.gov.au">www.acecqa.gov.au</a>.</p>
<b>ENTRY REQUIREMENTS</b>	<p>Entry to this qualification is open to individuals who:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ hold a CHC30119 Certificate III in Early Childhood Education and Care or an equivalent qualification</li> </ul> <p>OR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ have at least one year of full time employment experience as an early childhood educator where they have applied the skills and knowledge covered in the above (or equivalent) qualification.</li> </ul>

<b>PACKAGING RULES</b>	<p>Total number of units = 15</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>■ 12 core units</li> <li>■ 3 elective units, consisting of: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ 2 units from the list below</li> <li>○ 1 unit may be selected from the list below, elsewhere in the CHC Training Package, or any other current Training Packages or accredited course.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> <p>To achieve this qualification, the individual must have completed a total of least 280 hours of work in a children's service, of which 240 hours must be in a regulated education and care service in Australia as detailed in the Assessment Requirements of the units of competency. The total number of hours may be applied across all the units of competency that include the requirement for workplace hours.</p> <p>The selection of electives chosen must be guided by the job outcome sought, local industry requirements and the complexity of skills appropriate to the AQF level of this qualification.</p>
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<b>CORE UNITS</b>	<p><b>Core Units</b></p> <p>BSBLDR502 Lead and manage effective workplace relationships</p> <p>CHCECE041 Maintain a safe and healthy environment for children</p> <p>CHCECE042 Foster holistic early childhood learning, development and wellbeing</p> <p>CHCECE043 Nurture creativity in children</p> <p>CHCECE044 Facilitate compliance in an education and care service</p> <p>CHCECE045 Foster positive and respectful interactions and behaviour in children</p> <p>CHCECE046 Implement strategies for the inclusion of all children</p> <p>CHCECE047 Analyse information to inform learning</p> <p>CHCECE048 Plan and implement children's education and care curriculum</p> <p>CHCECE049 Embed sustainable practices in service operations</p> <p>CHCECE050 Work in partnership with children's families</p> <p><b>CHCPRP003</b> Reflect on and improve own professional practice</p>
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<b>ELECTIVE UNITS</b>	<b>Elective Units</b>  <b>BSBINN502</b> Build and sustain an innovative work environment  <b>BSBLED401</b> Develop teams and individuals  <b>BSBLDR501</b> Develop and use emotional intelligence  <b>BSBMGT517</b> Manage operational plan  <b>BSBSUS501</b> Develop workplace policy and procedures for sustainability  <b>CHCDIV003</b> Manage and promote diversity  <b>CHCINM002</b> Meet community information needs  <b>CHCMGT003</b> Lead the work team  <b>CHCPOL002</b> Develop and implement policy  <b>CHCPOL003</b> Research and apply evidence to practice  <b>CHCSAC010</b> Foster holistic middle childhood learning, development and wellbeing
<b>QUALIFICATION MAPPING INFORMATION</b>	No equivalent qualification.
<b>LINKS</b>	Companion Volume Implementation Guide: