

## HLT41007 Certificate IV in Health Care (Ambulance)

This qualification covers work involving delivery of limited direct client care in an emergency response context.

The qualification focuses on work in the ambulance industry done by volunteers or workers who provide a basic emergency response and transport roles in areas where there is a relatively low workload. This qualification is suited to Australian Apprenticeship pathways.

Occupational titles may include:

- Volunteer ambulance officer
- Ambulance attendant
- Casual ambulance officer
- Industrial medic
- Ambulance community officer
- Honorary ambulance officer
- Emergency patient transport officer

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### PACKAGING RULES

19 competency units are required for this qualification, including:

- All 11 **compulsory** units
- 8 **elective** units

A wide range of elective units is available and may include:

- Relevant electives listed below the compulsory units for this qualification
- Competency units available at Certificate IV level or higher in the Health and/or Community Services Training Packages
- A competency unit may be selected from other relevant Training Package units available at Certificate IV (or higher)

### Compulsory units

- [HLTHIR301A](#) Communicate and work effectively in health
- [BSBFLM303B](#) Contribute to effective workplace relationships
- [HLTOHS300A](#) Contribute to OHS processes
- [HLTIN301A](#) Comply with infection control policies and procedures in health work
- [HLTAP401A](#) Confirm physical health status
- [HLTAMBAE403B](#) Follow procedures for routine safe removal of client
- [HLTAMBSC401A](#) Manage routine scene and promote public safety
- [HLTAMBFC301B](#) Communicate with clients and colleagues to support health care
- [HLTAMBCR401A](#) Deliver basic clinical care
- [HLTHIR402B](#) Contribute to organisational effectiveness in the health industry
- [HLTAMBPD401B](#) Manage personal stressors in the work environment

### Elective units

Elective competency units may be selected in line with the Packaging Rules outlined above. The following groups of electives may address the needs of specific work environments.

### **Work in culturally diverse and Indigenous communities**

[HLTHIR404B](#) [Work effectively with Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people](#)

[HLTHIR403B](#) [Work effectively with culturally diverse clients and co-workers](#)

### **General ambulance work**

[HLTAMBT301A](#) [Transport non-emergency clients under operational conditions](#)

[HLTAMBFC402B](#) [Communicate in complex or difficult situations](#)

[CHCCS301A](#) [Work within a legal and ethical framework](#)

[HLTAMBC403B](#) [Coordinate resources](#)

### **Emergency work**

[HLTAMBSC503A](#) [Contribute to managing the scene of an emergency](#)

[HLTAMBAE501B](#) [Implement safe access and egress in an emergency](#)

[HLTAMBT402B](#) [Transport emergency clients](#)

[HLTAMBAE504B](#) [Follow procedures for safe extrication of clients in life threatening situations](#)

[PUASAR001A](#) [Participate in a rescue operation](#)

*(Please note PUASAR001A has the following pre-/co-requisites:*

[PUAEME001A](#) [Provide emergency care](#) *(Pre-requisite)*

[PUATEA001A](#) [Work in a team](#) *(Co-requisite)*

[PUAFIR201A](#) [Prevent injury](#) *(Fire Specific requirement)*  
*(Pre-requisite for PUAEME001A)*

### **Assessment of competence**

[TAAASS301A](#) [Contribute to assessment](#)

[TAAASS401A](#) [Plan and organise assessment](#)

[TAAASS402A](#) [Assess competence](#)

[TAAASS404A](#) [Participate in assessment validation](#)