

## INTRODUCTION TO DISABILITY SERVICES

<b>COURSE DURATION:</b>	<b>7 hours (9.00am - 4.00pm)</b>
<b>COURSE LOCATION:</b>	<b>John Henry Institute - Suites 5&amp;6, 68 Clarence St, Port Macquarie</b>
<b>COST:</b>	<b>\$200 per person</b>

### Summary

This course is for all new and existing staff of a disability service. This course covers the important basic information required to commence a career in disability service. This training session will equip the new/existing employee with an understanding of care principles and the carer role in modern day disability care.

### Content

- Key issues in the disability sector (NDIS; Person Centred Guiding Principles)
- Professional boundaries, duty of care and legal responsibilities
- Communication and documentation in the workplace
- Work health and safety legislation
- Infection control
- Manual handling
- Fire and other emergencies

### Prerequisites

There are no prerequisites to attend this course.

### Assessment Requirements

Skills and knowledge will be assessed in the simulated environment during the training session. In order to achieve competency, the learner must attend the training session and participate in all learning activities.

If deemed competent, you will be issued with a *Certificate of Completion*.

### Course Numbers

In order for this course to proceed, a minimum of seven (7) and maximum of ten (10) participants is required.

### Course Length

Duration: 7 hours, including breaks.

Refreshments: morning tea and a light lunch provided.

### Contact

For more information or if you would like to enrol, please contact our friendly team on 02 6583 2321 or [info@jhi.edu.au](mailto:info@jhi.edu.au).