

Occupational Certificate

Social Auxiliary Work Level 5

129 Credits

Certification Body

Quality Council for Trade and Occupations
(QCTO)

Course Details / outline

Introduction

The need for social auxiliary workers in South Africa was identified more than 10 years ago, leading to the role and functions of social auxiliary work being defined in the Regulations to the Social Service Professions Act, 1978. Social Auxiliary Work complements and supports social work in its focus areas with services to individuals, families, groups and communities.

Entry requirements

Learners who want to register for this qualification must have the following;

- Grade 12 or FETC: Social Auxiliary Work Level 4

Duration

1.5 years (18 Months)

Articulations Options

- Higher Certificate: Social Auxiliary Work Level 5
- Diploma: Social Work

Workplace Opportunities

Learners are attached but not limited to the following organizations:

Clinics, Rehabilitation centers, testing and counseling centers, Hospices, old age homes, Health Research centers...

Course Outline

This course is made up of the following compulsory knowledge, practical skill and workplace experience modules:

Knowledge Modules:

1. Social Auxiliary Work and Social Welfare Services In The South African Context, at NQF Level 5, 28 Credits
2. Social work - Methods and principles, at NQF Level 5, 9 Credits
3. Communication and Life Skills in Social Auxiliary Work, at NQF Level 5, 13 Credits.

Practical Modules:

1. Render basic counselling and support. Support the counselling processes, at NQF Level 5, 7 Credits.
2. Support the processes to intervene with individuals and families, at NQF Level 5, 4 Credits.
3. Facilitate educational, life skills and support group programs, at NQF Level 5, 7 Credits.
4. Assist in implementation of community development process, at NQF Level 5, 8 Credits.
5. Assist with obtaining and keeping data that inform social services intervention strategies, at NQF Level 4, 7 Credits.

Workplace experience Modules:

1. Exposure to the client counselling and referral processes, at NQF Level 5, 10 Credits.
2. Exposure to the facilitation of non-therapeutic group processes, at NQF Level 5, 14 Credits.
3. Exposure to community development processes, at NQF Level 5, 12 Credits
4. Exposure to the social work administration processes, at NQF Level 4, 10 Credits.

Course fees structure

1. Registration	R1 000.00 + Deposit	R1 500.00 = R2500.00	(Admission Fee)
2. Monthly Fees	R1 500.00 * 18 Months	Total Course fees	R27000.00 (Tuition only)

Other Course requirements

1. SACSSP Fees R1000.00 (Paid before end of March)
2. Practical Workbooks R1500.00 (Paid before end of May) / Textbooks : R3500.00 (9 Manuals)

College banking details

NB: All deposit slips must be submitted to the college for recording

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