

Field Community and Social Services**Review of *Practical and Professional Skills for Disability Support* unit standard**

Subfield	Domain	ID
Human Services	Practical and Professional Skills for Disability Support	18686

Careerforce, the Community Support Services ITO Limited, has completed the revision of the unit standard listed above.

Date new versions published **November 2011**

Planned review date **December 2016**

Summary

This unit standard has been reviewed to ensure it meets current needs of industry.

An expert panel representing the disability sector was established in August 2010 to identify which unit standards in the *lapsing* domain Practical and Professional Skills for Disability Support would be useful components of qualifications in Health, Disability, and Aged Support. The priority standards were subsequently reviewed and reclassified. Members of that panel were asked in August 2011 to advise on updating the unit standard listed above to reflect current practice and make it fit for purpose.

Main changes

- The title has been updated.
- The standard has been reclassified.
- Explanatory notes have been updated.
- Outcomes, evidence requirements and range statements have been modified to better reflect current sector requirements.

Impact on existing organisations with consent to assess

Current consent for			Consent extended to		
Nature of consent	Classification or ID	Level	Nature of consent	ID	Level
Subfield	Community and Social Services > Human Services	5	Standard	18686	5
Domain	Community and Social Services > Human Services > Practical and Professional Skills for Disability Support	5	Standard	18686	5

Impact on registered qualifications

Key to type of impact	
Affected	The qualification lists a reviewed classification (domain or subfield) in an elective set The qualification lists a standard that has changes to level or credits The qualification lists a C or D category standard
Not materially affected	The qualification lists a standard that has a new title The qualification lists a standard that has a new classification

The following Careerforce qualification is impacted by the outcome of this Review and will be updated when it is reviewed in 2012.

Ref	Qualification Title	Classification or ID
929	National Diploma in Human Services (Level 5)	18686

Detailed list of unit standards – classification, title, level, and credits

All changes are in **bold**.

Key to review category	
A	Dates changed, but no other changes are made - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
B	Changes made, but the overall outcome remains the same - the new version of the standard carries the same ID and a new version number
C	Major changes that necessitate the registration of a replacement standard with a new ID
D	Standard will expire and not be replaced

Community and Social Services > Human Services > Practical and Professional Skills for Disability Support

Community and Social Services > **Health, Disability, and Aged Support > Health and Disability Principles in Practice**

ID	Title	Level	Credit	Review Category
18686	Demonstrate knowledge of risk management in human services Assess risk, develop risk management strategies, and prepare a risk management plan within a health organisation	5	6	B