Course Comparison





Certificate IV in Veterinary Nursing

At AIRC, we know that choosing the right course can be a daunting and often confusing process. To help you compare providers and assist you to ask the right questions, we've created this handy course comparison tool to assist you to ask the right questions, and ensure that you choose the course that's right for you!

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COURSE FEES				
What is the course fee? And is this an annual fee, or is this for the full course?	Total course fee of AU\$6990 (In Australia). Includes online Course Notes and handy 320+ page Pocket Reference (Mosby's PDQ)			
Is there an additional fee if I would like to receive printed course notes?	Printed and bound notes available for AU\$500			
DEFERMENTS				
Are deferments allowed?	Deferments of up to 6 months are allowed under special circumstances			
What is the fee if I need to defer my course?	No additional fee			
ASSESSMENT EXTENSION FEES				
Are there any fees if I require an extention for an individual assessment submission?	Allowed No additional fees			
COURSE END DATE EXTENSION FEES				
If I reach the end of my course and have not finished, what happens? Do I have to enrol again? And if yes, how much will that cost?	Re-enrolment not required. Only \$200 to extend the course end date by three months.			
RESUBMISSION FEES				
If I don't pass my assessment the first time, will I incur any additional fees to resubmit my work?	You are given two attempts to submit your work. After this, a resubmission fee of \$45 may be incurred unless special circumstances apply.			
ADMINISTRATION, EQUIPMENT OR MATERIALS FEE				
Are there any addional course fees in addition to the above?	No additional admin, equipment or materials fees associated with this course			

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COURSE SUPPORT AND GUIDANCE			
How can I access support and guidance from my trainers?	Phone Email Live Chat Face-to-Face		
Who will my trainers be? What are their qualifications and experience?	All trainers and assessors have up-to-date Vet Nurse qualifications and still work in practice as nurses.		
What additional course training and support is provided alongside the theoretical notes?	Free Monthly training webinars. Our trainers run monthly training webinars to support our students. And best of all they're completely free!		
	Free Online Resource Library Our iLearnLounge provides students with a library of short videos, articles and web resources to support your learning.		
COURSE DELIVERY			
How long does the course take to complete?	Standard course duration is 2 years		
How is the course delivered - full time or part time?	Part-time, approximately 5-10 hours study time per week.		
Is the course delivered by distance education, or do I need to attend lectures?	Distance education		
Do I need to be employed to complete the course?	Yes. We suggest a minimum of 8 hours per week (average) over the duration of the course. Practicing the skills in your workplace as you learn about them makes learning relevant.		
ASSESSMENT			
How will I be assessed?	Written case studies, online exams, practical skills record and face-to-face practical assessments.		
RECOGNITION OF PRIOR LEARNING	(RPL)		
If I already have some/all of the skills in the qualification, can I have those recognised for unit credits? If yes, what is the process?	Yes. Comprehensive, detailed and individually tailored process involving submission of evidence, interviews and practical demonstrations with one of our assessors.		

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