Diploma of Dementia Care

Gain the knowledge to address the major health and social issue of the 21st century

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Access to study for everyone, anywhere in the world

About this course
Dementia is a neurological condition that affects tens of millions of people across the globe – one that poses significant challenges to their quality of life as well as that of their families and communities. During this course, you will gain a deeper knowledge of the condition, the changes that occur in the brain, the behaviours and needs associated with the changes, and the practical strategies necessary to care for people living with dementia.

Key course information
In each semester 1-2 units are considered part-time and 3-4 units full-time.

Students who are new to online learning, are returning to study or are currently in the workforce are advised to consider part-time enrolment in their first semester.

• No pre-requisites, this is an Open Access course
• Course is delivered entirely online, with no face to face component
• No exams (assessments may include quizzes, discussion boards, essays, and presentations)
• Dedicated Student Advisors guide students’ learning

Further study
Upon completion of the Diploma of Dementia Care, students may consider further studies. The Diploma of Dementia Care will count as year 1 toward the Bachelor of Dementia Care.

The people behind the program
The Wicking Dementia Research and Education Centre was established with core funding from the J.O. and J.R. Wicking Trust (Equity Trustees) and is located at the University of Tasmania.

The Wicking Dementia Centre is a global leader in dementia research and education, with a mission to transform the understanding of dementia worldwide and to build a workforce to lead positive change in dementia care.

It combines quality research in the themes of Care, Cause and Prevention of dementia, with advanced online learning technologies, to achieve its purpose of addressing the global impact of dementia.

How to apply

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