

# Occupational Certificate: Health Care Cleaner

**Duration: 12 Months**



## **COURSE OUTLINE**

**PROGRAM Title** : Occupational Certificate: Health Care Cleaner

**NQF Level** : 2

**SAQA ID** : 118730

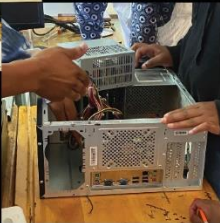
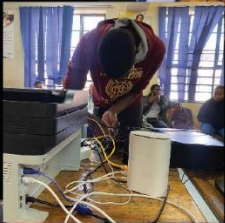
**Minimum Credits** : 120

**Purpose** : The purpose of this qualification is to prepare a learner to function as Health Care Cleaner

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## COURSE OVERVIEW

The Occupational Certificate: Healthcare Cleaner course is designed to equip learners with the necessary skills and knowledge to work effectively as a cleaner in a healthcare setting. This includes understanding cleaning procedures, hygiene protocols, and the safe use of cleaning chemicals and equipment in various healthcare environments such as hospitals, clinics, and care homes. The course emphasizes the importance of maintaining a clean, safe, and sanitized environment to prevent the spread of infection and promote patient and staff safety.

## COURSE OUTCOMES

**On completion of the program, you will be able to:**

- Understand and implement cleaning procedures in healthcare settings.
- Apply hygiene and infection control practices to ensure a safe environment.
- Safely use and maintain cleaning equipment and chemicals.
- Perform cleaning tasks in different areas of healthcare facilities, including patient rooms, wards, and public areas.
- Recognize and manage potential health and safety risks in a healthcare cleaning environment.

## Accreditation status:

- NQF Level 2 – Accredited by the Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO)
- SAQA ID: 118730
- 120 Credits

## Course duration:

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## Entry requirements:

- National Senior Certificate NQF 4 and Communication OR
- National Certificate NVC

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## SUBJECTS

### Knowledge Modules

- Introductory Studies for Healthcare Cleaners
- Communication in a Healthcare Environment
- Healthcare Cleaning
- Personal Hygiene and Safety
- Healthcare Laundry Handling
- Healthcare Waste Handling
- Healthcare Cleaning Associated Biology and Infection Control

### Practical Modules

- Maintain Personal Hygiene and Infection Control Precautions
- Provide Cleaning and Sanitation Services in Public Areas and Offices
- Provide Cleaning and Sanitation Services in Patient Consulting, Treatment Areas and Wards

### Workplace Module

- Cleaning and Sanitation Services in Public Areas and Offices
- Conduct Cleaning and Sanitation Services in Patient Consulting, Treatment Areas and Wards
- Attend to Handling of Healthcare Laundry Items

### Eligibility requirements for the external summative assessment:

- You will receive an **Occupational Certificate: Health Care Cleaner** from the QCTO upon the completion of the External Integrated Summative Assessment