

Occupational Certificate: Community Development Worker

Duration: 12 Months



COURSE OUTLINE

PROGRAM Title : Occupational Certificate: Community Development Worker

NQF Level : 4

SAQA ID : 97708

Minimum Credits : 150

Purpose : The purpose of this qualification is to prepare a learner to operate as a Community Development Worker.

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COURSE OVERVIEW

Community Development Workers are equipped to engage in activities and initiatives aimed at enhancing the well-being, empowerment, and development of communities. Their work involves collaborating with community members to identify needs, plan and implement projects, and mobilize resources to address various social, economic, and environmental challenges faced by communities.

This qualification will help learners improve their understanding of the role and responsibilities of community development workers and will enable them to acquire relevant knowledge, skills and attitudes to operate in an effective and efficient manner within the community development arena

COURSE OUTCOMES

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

- Collect relevant community information and provide communities with accurate information relevant to their community development initiatives.
- Operate effectively in groups, teams and forums and act ethically and professionally in data collection and the coordination of forums and meetings.
- Communicate the fears, concerns and needs of the community effectively to the relevant institutions, structures and forums.
- Compile integrated community and household profiles.
- Identify the capacity challenges of community structures and recommend appropriate interventions to build appropriate capacity.

Accreditation status:

- NQF Level 4 – Accredited by the Quality Council for Trades and Occupations (QCTO)
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Entry requirements:

- National Certificate Vocational (NCV) at NQF Level 3, OR
- Any other NQF Level 3 qualification.

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SUBJECTS

Module 1:

- Fundamentals of Development Practice
- Fundamentals of Sociology of Developing Societies
- Fundamental Communication Practices
- Collect information regarding community development needs and strengths

Module 2:

- Identify the relevant groups of beneficiaries and stakeholders
- Participate in collaborative community dialogues and engagements
- Report progress and status of data collection to supervisor
- Execute own personal development
- Support the process of facilitating meetings and forums

Module 3:

- Arrange and communicate logistics for forums and meetings/events
- Mobilise community support for identified initiatives
- Record the minutes of community development forums and meetings
- Communicate the outcomes of forums and meetings to stakeholders
- Provide relevant and clear community development information to stakeholders
- Establish, mobilise and maintain community participation and support

Module 4:

- Support the identification of capacity building needs and the delivery of capacity building initiatives to community members
- Support intervention initiatives within communities
- Support the integration of community wellbeing indicators
- Support alignment with legislative and policy frameworks relevant to the initiatives

Module 5:

- Exposure to information collection in rural, urban, inner city or peri-urban community settings
- Exposure to the coordination of a full range of community forums and meetings
- Exposure to the operations of formal and informal structures

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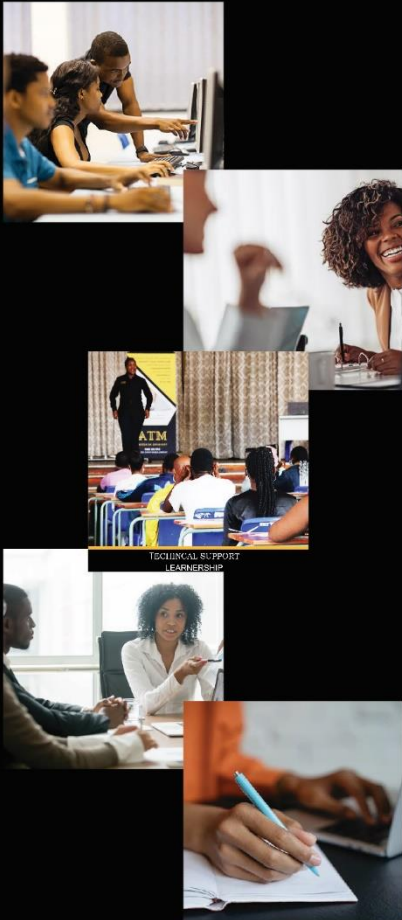
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Eligibility requirements for the external summative assessment:

- You will receive an **Occupational Certificate: Community Worker** from the QCTO upon the completion of the External Integrated Summative Assessment



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