Modification History

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| Release | Comments |
| Release 5 | This version released with AHC Agriculture, Horticulture, Conservation and Land Management Training Package Version XX |
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| AHC421XX | Certificate IV in Permaculture |
| Qualification Description  This qualification describes the skills and knowledge for individuals who work as project supervisors and designers for private clients or organisations, requiring high level permaculture design skills, and a broad knowledge of permaculture’s multi-disciplinary nature. They may be involved in supervising individuals and teams of people on urban and rural work sites and in community projects.  A Permaculture Project Supervisor may also be known by other titles such as Supervisor of a Food Growing Enterprise, Permaculture Project or Enterprise Supervisor, Community Garden Supervisor, School Garden Supervisor, Developer and Supervisor of Sustainability Projects including Overseas Aid Projects, and Permaculture Trainer.  No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this qualification at the time of publication. | |
| Entry Requirements  There are no entry requirements for this qualification. | |
| Packaging Rules  To achieve this qualification, competency must be demonstrated in:   * 12 units of competency: * 5 core units plus * 7 elective units.   Elective units must ensure the integrity of the qualification’s Australian Qualification Framework (AQF) alignment and contribute to a valid, industry-supported vocational outcome.  Any combination of electives that meets the packaging rules below can be selected for the award of the Certificate IV in Permaculture. The electives are to be chosen as follows:   * Select 1 units from Group A * Select 4 units from Group B * Select 2 units from Group B or C or this or any other endorsed Training Package or Accredited Course   Core Units   |  |  | | --- | --- | | AHCPER401 | Provide advice on permaculture principles and practices | | AHCPER404 | Plan and implement permaculture works | | AHCPER405 | Select 'appropriate technology' for a permaculture system | | AHCPER406 | Identify and analyse bioregional characteristics and resources | | AHCPER413 | Evaluate suitability of species as solutions for permaculture applications |   Elective Units  Group A   |  |  | | --- | --- | | AHCPER402 | Design a rural permaculture system | | AHCPER403 | Design an urban permaculture system |   Group B   |  |  | | --- | --- | | AHCPER3X3 | Establish a permaculture system | | AHCPER402 | Design a rural permaculture system | | AHCPER403 | Design an urban permaculture system | | AHCPER407 | Design harvesting and storage systems for permaculture products | | AHCLSK404 | Implement and monitor animal welfare programs | | AHCPER409 | Manage a permaculture seed bank | | AHCPER410 | Recommend approaches for sustainable community and bioregional development | | AHCPER411 | Operate within a sustainable community and bioregional development program |   Group C   |  |  | | --- | --- | | AHCBUS407 | Cost a project | | AHCBUS408 | Operate within a budget framework | | AHCCCF405 | Develop community networks | | AHCIRG444 | Manage irrigation systems | | AHCORG402 | Manage organic livestock production | | AHCORG403 | Manage organic soil improvement | | AHCORG404 | Arrange selling through community based marketing | | AHCSAW402 | Set out conservation earthworks | | AHCSOL407 | Develop a soil use map for a property | | TAEDEL301 | Provide work skill instruction | | |

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| Qualification Mapping Information   |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | | Code and title current version | Code and title previous version | Comments | Equivalence status | | AHC42116 Certificate IV in Permaculture Release 5 | AHC42116 Certificate IV in Permaculture Release 4 | Changes to equivalency of Core units | Not equivalent | |
| Links  Companion Volumes, including Implementation Guides, are available at VETNet: https://vetnet.gov.au/Pages/TrainingDocs.aspx?q=c6399549-9c62-4a5e-bf1a-524b2322cf72 |