

# Diploma in Social and Human Services



LOCATION	QTAC CODE	START
Sunshine Coast	015181	Semester 1, Semester 2
Moreton Bay	014181	Semester 1, Semester 2
Fraser Coast	019181	Semester 1, Semester 2
Gympie	016181	Semester 1, Semester 2
Caboolture	018683	Semester 1, Semester 2

Want to make a difference in people's lives? Begin your career with the knowledge needed for future studies in counselling, psychology, social work, human services or community health.

In this program you will:

- Learn how people think and behave and how to relate to different communities, including children, families, Indigenous Australians and older people
- Learn about the importance of ethics and social justice, and start to build skills to interact with clients
- On successful completion, receive direct entry and up to 96 units of credit towards a Bachelor of Counselling, Bachelor of Human Services, Bachelor of Behavioural Science (Psychology), or Bachelor of Social Work

Career opportunities

- Disability support
- Community health
- Research
- Telephone counselling
- Working with individuals
- Families and groups
- Non-government organisations
- Government departments
- Youth work
- Welfare work
- Child protection
- Corrections
- Aged services
- Community development
- Education
- Mental health
- Administration of counselling services

Duration

1 year

Full-time or equivalent part-time

Indicative 2024 fees

A\$15,398 - 2024 Fees (CSP)

Fees are indicative only and will change based on courses selected and are subject to yearly increases

Delivery mode

Blended Learning,

Total courses

8

Total units

96

UniSC program code

UC104

## Program structure

[usc.edu.au/uc104](http://usc.edu.au/uc104)

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Study options and teaching period of offer can vary depending on the study location. For full details, visit [usc.edu.au](http://usc.edu.au).

College Courses (3)

UCC101 Academic and Professional Skills: Planning for Success

UCC102 ICT for Academic and Professional Applications

UCC106 Professional People Skills for Study, Community and Society

Discipline Courses (5)

SCS130 Introduction to Indigenous Australia

Plus choose 4 introductory discipline courses from the following:

COU101 Theories of Counselling: From Freud to Integrative Practice

COU176 Group Processes and Practice

COU180 Therapeutic Communication Skills

PSY100 Introduction to Psychology A

PSY101 Introduction to Psychology B

SCS101 Foundations of Human Behaviour

SCS110 Australian Society: How does(n't) it work? - An Introduction to Sociology

SWK100 Introduction to Social Work Practice Theories

SWK172 Introduction to Social Work and Human Services