



INTERNATIONAL LEVEL 4 HYBRID

2025

Programme Brochure



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INTRODUCTION

Vision:

Enabling others to improve the life of the vulnerable person

Mission:

Transforming care through developing and sharing innovative education

Purpose:


In a world dominated by an ageing society, the demand for the provision of care that older people expect and deserve is rapidly outstripping current support staff numbers and ability. Kalandra's purpose is to meet that demand and, by extending Health Care Assistant knowledge and skills, to optimise the standard of care received by aged people in New Zealand and internationally. Kalandra is built on a value system that holds caring, respect and knowledge at its core

Why Kalandra?

Transparent - no hidden fees! No admin fees if visas are not granted.

Clear policies regarding refunds, assessments and expectations.

History - long history in the provision of healthcare training as well as in the healthcare industry.



“Billie” the spirit behind Kalandra with founder and CE Dr Christine Clark

CAMPUS

Campus



NEW ZEALAND CERTIFICATE IN HEALTH AND WELLBEING (LEVEL 4)

Certificate in Health and Wellbeing (Level 4)

HYBRID

Programme Overview:

NZQA Approved

NZQF: Level 4

Total credits: 120

Delivery length: 50 weeks (including 2 holiday weeks as set prior to the programme commencing)

Theory (Part A): 37 weeks

Practical (Part B): 11 weeks

Total learning hours: 1200

Directed learning: 25 learning hours per week

Work placement: 400 hours required (non paid) arranged by Kalandra

Strand options: Dementia Care OR Palliative Care

Entry Criteria:

- Aged 18 years of age and over
- IELTS academic overall band score of 5.5 with no individual band lower than 5.0 or recognized equivalent (result no more than 2 years old and from one test)
- Healthcare sector qualifications / experience equivalent to Level 3
- Clear criminal check
- Physically able to do the job
- Willingness to work with the older person
- Access to the internet and a device
- Interview with academic staff



Delivery:

This programme is very unique. It is broken down into two distinct parts.

Part A: Theory (37 weeks)

- Undertaken in current location (country of origin)
- Online and supported
- Students can continue to work while they study
- 37 weeks
- 25 hours learning per week

Students MUST achieve Part A to gain entry to Part B

Part B: Practicum (11 weeks)

- Undertaken in New Zealand
- Weeks 1 & 2 are face to face with Kalandra lecturers on campus
- 9 weeks of arranged placement / unpaid internship at an appropriate facility
- Placement can be at various locations around New Zealand

Upon successful completion of both Part A and Part B - students will be awarded either

The New Zealand Certificate in Health and Wellbeing (Social and Community Services (Level 4) - Mental Health and Addition (Dementia Care strand)

OR

The New Zealand Certificate in Health and Wellbeing (Social and Community Services (Level 4) - Community Health Work (Palliative Care strand)

Visitor visa information

-We recommend - 6 months

-11 weeks of practical

-Remainder is time to find employment and change to a work visa

-Requirement is \$1000 per month (for immigration NZ - as per immigration NZ website)

-We recommend you have a minimum of \$2000 per month for living in New Zealand

Kalandra cannot provide immigration advice but can refer students to an immigration advisor if assistance is required

Working as a Level 4 Healthcare Assistant in New Zealand may lead to Permanent Residence!

Programme Content:

Module 1: Relationships in Healthcare
Module 2: Personal Growth
Module 3: Contributions to the Workplace
Module 4: ELECTIVE
Module 5: ELECTIVE
Module 6: Communication and Engagement
Module 7: Cultural Identity and Related Issues

Modules 4 and 5 elective:
 Dementia Care
 OR
 Palliative Care

Employment Pathways:

Graduates can be employed in roles such as:

- Healthcare Assistant – Aged Care and/or Dementia Care Unit (dementia strand) Hospice (palliative care strand)
- Healthcare Assistant - Primary and Acute Care, Therapeutic Programme Care
- Medical Practice Assistant
- Homecare Support Worker / Caregiver

Education Pathways:

This qualification may lead on to the New Zealand Certificate in Public Health and Health Promotion (Level 5), New Zealand Diploma in Addiction Studies (Applied) (Level 6) or bachelor's degrees in related health and wellbeing subject areas.

Cost: INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS

Part A: Theory
\$5500 NZD

Part B: Practical
\$6500

Made up of:

\$4500 student fees
\$2000 placement

Additional expenses the student will need to pay for separately (relocation - should placement require it, insurance - medical insurance, accommodation and living costs)



Total:
\$12.000
NZD

ENROLMENT PROCESS

Level 4

Send the following documents;

- Completed enrolment form
- Copy of ID (Passport/Birth Certificate/Marriage Certificate)
- Academic Transcripts
- Criminal Check
- IELTS (or equivalent) transcript / results / certificate

Once accepted, the student will be sent an 'Offer of Place', they will then pay their fees into Public Trust (information will be provided) and apply for their student visa.
