

Certificate in Complementary Healthcare Products - Homoeopathic Medicines and Flower Essences



2011 Course Outline

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The healing ability of the body is remarkable and homoeopathic medicines harness this ability to bring about healing efficiently. It does this through the use of therapeutically active micro doses of natural mineral, botanical and biological substances. In use for over 200 years, this often misunderstood area of the complementary healthcare industry is used widely for a variety of health conditions.

Increase your expertise in Homoeopathic Medicine and Flower Essences

Specifically designed for the complementary healthcare industry, the Certificate in homoeopathic medicine and Flower Essences is an introductory course for people without a background in health science.

Providing students with sound understanding of homoeopathic principals and their individual uses, students will graduate with confidence for accurately guiding customers to the homeopathic medicine best suited to their need. With Bach Flower, Australian Bush Flower & North American Flower Essences also covered in this course, students will graduate with a well rounded understanding of this subject.

Learning Goals

- Understand the role homoeopathic medicines and flower essences in the complementary healthcare industry;
- Speak meaningfully about individual homoeopathic medicines and flower essences, their impact on the body, main uses, dosage, potency & adverse effects;
- Confidence for accurately guiding customers to homoeopathic medicines and flower essences that best match their needs.
- Clarifying controversies about homoeopathic medicines and flower essences, thus improving customer confidence and subsequently sales; and
- Build on your skill levels and enhance your career opportunities.

Career Opportunities

A 'must do' course for people with aspirations in the complementary healthcare industry. The skills gained upon graduation of this course will be of particular benefit to:

- Complementary healthcare retailers & pharmacy assistants;
- People new to the complementary healthcare industry; and
- Staff of industry businesses all of whom should have this level of working knowledge:
 - Sales and Marketing staff;
 - Laboratory & product development staff; and
 - Office and Customer Service staff.

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Course Highlights

- Self paced on-line learning with easy to understand, printable modules;
- Email tutor assistance; and
- Stand alone certificate or as part of the Diploma of Complementary Healthcare Products.

Additional Course Information

Course Duration – Although designed to allow you to study at your own pace, it is expected to take students between 80-100 hours to complete this course, depending on previous knowledge.

Study Mode – On-line with printable study notes.

Entry requirements – Completion of application form on-line at <http://moodle.chc.org.au> Students may seek recognition of prior learning (RPL) or recognition of current competency (RCC), where appropriate.

Assessments - On-line assessment to be taken on satisfactory completion of all modules. The 100 true/false questions must be successfully completed to graduate from the certificate.

Cost

	Member	Non Member
Individual Certificate Enrolment	\$480	\$600
2 Certificate Package Enrolment	\$880	\$1100
Full Diploma (6 certificate) Enrolment	\$2600	\$3200

* Where required Individual Modules can be purchased for \$75 (\$60 for Members)

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EXPLORE THE COURSE CONTENT

Module	Module Name	Module content
One	Introduction to Homoeopathy	Discovery, principles, making homoeopathic medicines, how homoeopathy works, types of homoeopathic medicines, dosage & potency, reactions, effective use, evidence for homoeopathy, product regulation in Australia. Key features of selected homoeopathic medicines.
Two	Respiratory Homoeopathic Medicines	Colds and catarrh, coughs, sinus inflammation, sore throats.
Three	Homoeopathic Medicines for: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The skin • Muscles & joints • Prostate & urinary system 	Skin infections, skin inflammation Muscular and Joint inflammation, muscle cramps
Four	Homoeopathic First Aid Homoeopathic Medicines for mental and emotional disorders	Minor injuries, bites & stings, minor burns, motion sickness, nosebleeds, mild shock, headaches Insomnia, mild anxiety, low mood, dementia
Five	Homoeopathic Medicines for women, infants and children	Women: nausea in pregnancy, childbirth, premenstrual syndrome, menstrual disorders, menopausal symptoms Infants & children: colic, teething, sleeping difficulties, bedwetting, infections
Six	Tissue Salts Flower Essences	Introduction, Tissue salt profiles Introduction, Bach Flower Essence profiles
Seven	Australian Bush Flower Essences	Introduction, Australian Bush Flower Essence profiles
Eight	FES (North American) Flower Essences	Introduction, FES flower essence profiles

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