



AMEP - Pathways to Employment Program (PEP)

Introduction to Nursing

Course Description:

The Pathways to Employment Program (PEP) will develop your employability and language skills. It will give you an introduction to the Australian workplace and culture.

This course will provide you with the skills and knowledge to support nurses in caring for patients with various needs within the aged care industry. You will also learn how to provide personal support to a diverse range of people and learn how to respond to emergency health situations.

Vocational units offered in the course:

- HLTAID012 - Provide First Aid in an education and care setting
- CHCDIV001 Work with diverse people

Possible career opportunities can include health service assistant, personal care assistant, nursing assistant and patient support assistant.

This course provides:

- 120 hours of English classes
- 40 hours of vocational training
- 40 hours of work experience

To be eligible for PEP, you must:

- currently be enrolled in AMEP or attended in the last 12 months
- have language skills to participate in a workplace
- be ready to work or go on to further studies
- be able to obtain a Working with Children Check and police check (required)
- be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 and Influenza (the Flu)

How to get involved:

- Talk to a Pathway Guidance Officer at your local TAFE NSW AMEP campus
- Contact the Pathways to Employment Team on 7920 3275, email amep.pep@tafensw.edu.au
- Visit <https://www.tafensw.edu.au/programs/pathways-to-employment>

Location

TAFE NSW St George
President Avenue &, Princes Hwy, Kogarah NSW 2217

Duration

10 weeks (full-time)
Monday, 13 October to Thursday, 18 December 2025

Week 1 to 8 - Classroom based training

Monday, 13 October to Thursday, 4 December 2025

Week 9 and 10 - Work placement and graduation

Monday, 8 December to Thursday, 18 December 2025

Study commitment

20 Hours, 4 days per week

Cost

Fee free[^]

Childcare

Free childcare is available for children younger than school-aged.

Applications close

Friday, 19 September 2025

Scan the QR code to register for the information session

