

TEMBE SERVICE PROVIDERS (Pty) Ltd T/A TSP COLLEGE

Education, Training and Skills Development Services
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NATIONAL CERTIFICATE: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COURSE OUTLINE:

NC: COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT NQF LEVEL 5				
National Certificate	Field	NQF Level	Min. Credits	
SAQA ID: 80946	Field 07 - Human and Social Studies	05	147	
Qualification Rules	Core Unit Standards	Fundamental	Elective	
	106 credits	21 credits	20 credits	

EXIT LEVEL OUTCOMES

- 1. Demonstrate critical understanding of community development theories, approaches, principles and processes that can be applied within various community development contexts.
- 2. Conduct community-based research to inform community development interventions.
- 3. Examine and apply the relevant legal and regulatory framework to facilitate sustainable and integrative community development.
- 4. Explore and co-ordinate networks and partnerships, with due regard to diversity, in pursuit of meeting community requirements in an ethical manner.
- 5. Plan, design and manage a community intervention.
- 6. Select and apply appropriate leadership and/or management styles/models for the purpose of promoting community well-being.

PURPOSE OF THE QUALIFICATION

This qualification is designed to empower people who are already working, or who intend to work, in any setting relevant to community development. It provides learners with the competencies which they need to act as change agents and so add value in the practice of community development. Learners acquiring this qualification will develop the knowledge and skills to operate effectively in the community development environment, in support of individuals and organisations (both emerging and existing) in achieving their community development goals and objectives. Learners will be enabled to establish and maintain partnerships through active networking and lobbying. Learners will gain the competencies needed to identify community needs while working with communities and households, to identify and plan community projects for social change, to improve the quality of life of communities in an integrated and sustainable manner and to mobilise resources.

The competencies embedded in the set of unit standards that make up this qualification will open up employment opportunities for qualifying learners, in public sector, in non-profit organisations and in the private sector in the field of community development. The acquired competencies will assist the qualifying learner to contribute to the improvement of the quality of life of people as well as to the eradication of poverty.

Entry Requirements:	Duration	Certification Body:
Communication at NQF Level 4.	12 months	ETDPSETA
Mathematical Literacy at NQF Level 4.		



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