

# EDUCATE LEAN EMPOWER LEAD



# WHY STUDY THIS UNIT?

This is a nationally recognised unit of competency that assists students to gain the knowledge and skills required to identify Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural safety issues in the workplace, model cultural safety in own work practice, and develop strategies to enhance cultural safety.

It is targeted at workers in the financial counselling, financial capability and community services sector who work with Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander clients including those involved in direct service, program planning, development, and evaluation contexts.

The course is delivered by an Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander trainer.

# WHAT SKILLS WILL STUDENTS GAIN?

Upon completion of the unit students will have the capacity to promote Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander cultural safety in the workplace; develop a better understanding of the culture and history of Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people and communities including the impact of European settlement, loss of land and culture and the importance of lore and kinship; and communicate effectively with Aboriginal and/or Torres Strait Islander people.

### **ABOUT THE COURSE**

This is one nationally recognised unit of competency.

### **ENTRY REQUIREMENTS**

There are no course prerequisite qualifications, however students are required to demonstrate literacy and numeracy skills in line with diploma level studies and be able to commit to 2-4 hours of personal study time in addition to class time. Applicants should have interest and/or relevant experience in the social and community services field and have the appropriate maturity and interpersonal skills to work with a diverse range of people. Students must also have good computer skills.

### **DELIVERY MODE & DURATION**

This course is usually delivered over two 3-hour sessions, live online with the option of a during or after-hours delivery. Please visit our website for upcoming course details.

## **COURSE FEES**

The cost of the course is \$500. More information about fees and payment options can be found on the ICAN Learn website www.icanlearn.edu.au or call us on 03 5471 7777.

ICAN Learn is an arm of the **Indigenous Consumer Assistance Network** (ICAN) and a not-for-profit registered training organisation focusing on financial counselling and financial capability education. Incorporated in 2007, ICAN has become a national leader in consumer advocacy, financial counselling and financial literacy for Indigenous people.



