




RGR40308 Certificate IV in Racing (Harness Race Driver)

Course Code	RGR40308
Area of Study	Horse Racing Industry
General Description	Australia's equine industry is the country's fifth largest, and racing is a big part of this dynamic industry. Learn the skills needed to care for and drive standardbreds in a competitive environment. Harness your dreams today.
Delivery Venue	This course is conducted at the Harness Racing Training Centre located at the Bendigo Harness Racing Track and from Tabcorp Park in Melton
Employment Opportunities	The Certificate IV in Racing is a nationally accredited course which will equip students for employment in the racing industry. The course delivers a comprehensive range of topics designed to provide the skills necessary for prospective employees wishing to enter the racing industry as track or race drivers.
Accreditation	This Course/Qualification has National Recognition. 
Duration	Full-time: 40 weeks. As a competency based training delivery course, duration may vary with part-time or flexi delivery.
Fees	This course may attract Victorian or Commonwealth Government funding for eligible students. The qualification may also be offered on a fee for service basis. See http://www.hrtcbendigo.com.au for Fee information
Australian Apprenticeship Options	May be offered as a Traineeship
Prerequisites of Qualifications/ Experience	There are no qualification prerequisites for entry into this course, however this course includes the competency units from the Certificate III in Racing (Advanced Stablehand)



Other Course Requirements

You will need to be physically fit and capable of normal manual handling activities. Students are expected to have literacy and numeracy equivalent to year 10 standard.



Key Study Areas

- Occupational Health and Safety
- Horse Handling and Care
- Horse driving and trackwork
- The Racing Industry
- Working as a member of a team
- Self Management

Further Study and Careers

HRTC offers study pathways to:
RGR40108 Certificate IV in Racing (Racehorse Trainer)

Selection Process

Individual Interview

Assessment

May comprise Assignments, Multiple Choice Tests, Demonstration/Observation, Work Books, Third Party Reports



**Typical Course
Content**

HLTFA301B Apply first aid
PUACOM001B Communicate in the workplace
RGRCMN001A Comply with the rules of racing and related protocols
RGRCMN003A Manage personal health and fitness
RGRCMN201A Follow OHS procedures and observe environmental work practices
RGRCMN202A Achieve requirements for industry induction
RGRPSH201A Handle horses
RGRPSH202A Assist with transportation of horses
RGRPSH203A Perform basic driving tasks
RGRPSH204A Prepare to drive jog work
RGRPSH207A Perform stable duties
RGRPSH208A Attend horses at trackwork
RGRPSH209A Attend horses at race meetings and trials
RGRPSH304A Identify factors that affect racehorse performance
RGRPSH305A Develop driving skills for trackwork
RGRPSH310A Prepare for self-management in racing
RGRPSH402A Drive horses in pacework and fast work
RGRPSH403A Educate harness horses for racing
RGRPSH410A Prepare to race driving
RGRPSH411A Prepare to drive horses in trials
RGRPSH412A Prepare to drive horses in races
RGRPSH417A Participate in protests, inquiries and appeals
BSBITU203A Communicate electronically
RGRCMN402A Participate in media interviews for racing
RGRPSH418A Set goals to improve racing performance

**Recognition of
Prior Learning**

HRTC will provide applicants with the opportunity to apply for credit prior to Application for Enrolment or during the initial part of the course. HRTC will recognise past study and life experience and assess these aspects against the units and training package requirements.

HRTC will grant credit to applicants that meet the respective criteria and provide them with the result of the assessment and feedback.

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