




RGR10108 Certificate I in Racing (Stablehand)

Course Code	RGR10108
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. Gain the practical experience and knowledge required for initial employment as a stablehand in a harness or thoroughbred racing stable. Learn skills such as grooming, transporting and handling horses. Harness your career 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	Careers as a stablehand in the racing or general equine industry
Accreditation	This Course/Qualification has National Recognition. 
Duration	Full-time: 4 months. 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. The course is an introduction and is conducted under close supervision with suitably quiet horses.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Occupational Health and Safety• Horse Handling and Care• Working as a member of a team
Further Study and Careers	HRTC offers study pathways to: RGR20108 Certificate II in Racing (Stablehand) RGR30208 Certificate III in Racing (Advanced Stablehand) RGR40108 Certificate IV in Racing (Racehorse Trainer) RGR40308 Certificate IV in Racing (Harness Race Driver)
Selection Process	Individual Interview
Assessment	May comprise Assignments, Multiple Choice Tests, Demonstration/Observation, Work Books, Third Party Reports
Typical Course Content	RGRCMN201A Follow OHS procedures and observe environmental work practices RGRPSH101A Catch and Handle quiet horses under supervision RGRPSH102A Perform basic stable duties RGRCMN002A Investigate job opportunities in racing and related industries RGRPSH203A Perform basic driving tasks
Recognition of Prior Learning	<p>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.</p> <p>HRTC will grant credit to applicants that meet the respective criteria and provide them with the result of the assessment and feedback.</p>
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