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## Changes to Prerequisites for the ACE Dementia Series

**Applies to all papers received at Health Ed Trust office after 1<sup>st</sup> June 2003**

Students who start dementia education are required to have knowledge and experience in some areas and this is specified in course prerequisites. Following consultation with the CSSITO National Moderator, we have been requested to alter our prerequisites to more specifically meet the requirements of unit standard 17029, which is in the ACE Dementia Series.

### **Prerequisites:**

Students who have successfully completed the following have met the **new** ACE Dementia Series prerequisites:

- **Caregivers**

The ACE Core Programme with Supplement

**OR**

The National Certificate in Support of the Older Person (NCSOP)

**OR**

Unit standards 5012, 5019 & 5020.

- **Registered Nurses/Enrolled Nurses**

The **new** ACE Prerequisites Checklist for the ACE Dementia Series (attached)

### **What to send:**

#### **Caregivers:**

- A photocopy of their NCSOP **OR**
- Their record of learning showing the required unit standards.

You do **not** need to send a copy of the students ACE Core Programme results or evidence of unit standard 5012, 5019 and 5020 **if** these have been achieved through Health Ed Trust (ACE) as we hold this evidence on our database.

#### **Registered Nurses/Enrolled Nurses**

- Completed prerequisites checklist **and**
- A copy of their Annual Practising Certificate, or other proof of Registration or Enrolment

### **When to send it:**

The above evidence **must** accompany the students completed 8 modules of the ACE Dementia Series when they are sent to the Health Ed Trust office for moderation.

**Date: Feb 2003**