

UWA Plus Micro-credentials

Critical Information Summary

Title and brief description	HPEDM504 Foundations of Clinical Teaching. Build confidence and capability as a clinical educator. This micro-credential introduces the foundations of effective clinical teaching, with a strong focus on planning, adaptability, and responding to real-world complexity. Grounded in interprofessional learning and collaborative healthcare practice, participants explore how to design meaningful teaching experiences across diverse clinical environments, including urban and rural contexts. A particular emphasis is placed on navigating challenging or “difficult” teaching situations with professionalism and skill.
Certified learning	(1) explain key theories and principles underpinning clinical teaching and learning ; (2) design structured clinical teaching activities aligned to learner needs and context; (3) apply strategies to support interprofessional learning in clinical environments ; (4) analyse and respond to challenging clinical teaching situations using evidence-informed approaches; and (5) develop a plan for effective clinical teaching practice.
How learner participated	Online only
Effort required (indicative)	4 x 3 hr online modules and 40 hours of self directed work and assessment
Main assessment task	Application of a skill to a complex problem, Application of multiple skills to complex problems
Indicative equivalent level	Postgraduate
Industry recognition	This micro-credential aligns with short courses that have been offered in person for WA Health employees since 2007. Offering this group of micro-credentials will enhance accessibility which is supported by different groups within WA Health including WACHS and CAHO. Industry endorsement does not require company logo.
Quality assurance	The quality of UWA Plus micro-credentials is assured through The University of Western Australia’s standards and academic integrity processes.
Successful learner earns PD Points for conversion to:	2
. Admission to an award course	No
. Credit towards an award course	Yes
. If yes, how much credit?	Credit is less than one unit