

Student Vocational Placement Practice Framework

A project initiative
as part of the
NTSSS Employment
Pathway Program



Project Profile:

Placement through co-design

For this project **Community Resource Unit (CRU)** will explore the **potential for assessment and vocational placements** to be led by people with lived experience of disability and conducted in their home. This would **give students real life experience of supporting people individually**, in keeping with the principles of the NDIS.

Project Aim

The project aims to include people with lived experience in the co-design of a potential framework that would facilitate vocational placements being conducted in the homes of people with lived experience of disability who are self-managing. A small range of potential models will be developed and tested, as well as providing an experiential learning opportunity to four students enrolled in relevant qualifications. A final report will include tools and resources that may support the delivery of the framework. This project is a targeted initiative that will complement the learnings of an action research project led by TAFE Queensland that also explores vocational placements with a focus on human service organisations.

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