



Learning and Development Framework

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FUNCTION	Competency	Learning and Development	Competency	Learning and Development	Competency	Learning and Development
Community engagement	Facilitates inclusion Develops and maintains networks and collaborative partnerships	Access and Inclusion Developing and maintaining networks / partnerships	Identifies and creates community engagement opportunities Promotes and represents the organisation effectively Manages partnerships between service providers Maintains and use a broad range of networks	Developing and delivering presentations Influencing, consulting and negotiating	Identifies and creates community engagement opportunities Advocates for organisation	Public speaking Designing and running workshops Creating engagement
Operational planning and execution	Develops and implements service/support plans for new customers	Disability Services Standards and relevant legislation Developing service performance measures Understanding the NDIS Planning and supporting the achievement of outcomes Person centred planning and co-design Developing and implementing personalised supports	Develops and implements new service programs Manages and monitors contracts and Agreements	Developing proposals, submissions and business cases Contract compliance and reporting NDIS Operational policies and their implementation	Leads /designs /reviews new projects/ enterprise systems/ service offerings	Strategic thinking and execution Best practice in organisational systems to support service delivery Use of data as a strategic asset
Risk management	Manages legal and ethical compliance Ensures a safe workplace Reports risk and incidents Conducts Audits	Disability Services Standards and relevant legislation and frameworks Safeguarding and protection Restrictive practices Workplace health and Safety 101 Conducting workplace audits 101 Risk identification and management Serious Incidents reporting	Manages workplace risk Develops Business Continuity Plans	Risk identification, analysis, elimination and reduction Workplace health and Safety management Business Continuity Management Serious incident management and reporting Taking and managing risk	Profiles/manages/ advises on complex risk	Risk management, frameworks and methodologies





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People management	Supports staff/ volunteers Adheres to human resource management protocols Manages workplace issues Manages high performance teams	Staff performance and development Performance management Managing High Performance Teams Giving and receiving feedback Difficult conversations Managing grievances Delegation skills Managing upwards Managing bullying and harassment	Staff / volunteer recruitment and selection Manages and coaches staff/ volunteers performance Facilitates teamwork Manages complex workplace issues Manages complex staff issues including disciplinary and grievances Manages and promotes diversity Understands/ participates in workforce planning.	Collaboration and cooperative work practices Managing conflict Industrial relations Developing staff performance Developing and implementing diversity plans, including targets Managing bullying and harassment Investigating misconduct	Coaches, motivates, mentors and develops individuals. Practices contemporary human resources management Measure and augments teams performance	Strategic workforce planning Workforce utilisation Workforce data, metrics and analytics Developing talent Mediation skills HR systems and processes, including industrial relations and awards/EBAs
Financial management	Follows budgetary processes	Understanding budgets Finance for non-finance managers	Prepares, manages and monitors budgets	Managing and preparing budgets Financial and contractual analysis	Plans and manages finances Manages / monitors contracts and cost effectiveness	Budget development, analysis and management Measuring return on investment Contract negotiation, development and management
Organisation relationships	Fosters an innovative work environment	Maintaining professional relationships	Leads teams Works with other teams	Key elements of effective collaboration	Develops and cultivates collaborative partnerships and relationships	Principles and practices for collaboration Stakeholder management Strategic partnership building Fostering a collaborative environment Managing partnership Disagreements and Conflicts





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Sector and organisation purpose and values	Manages operational plans Engages in responsible environmental work practices	Understanding operational planning Understanding values and ethics Environmental sustainability 101	Develops and implements business plans Embeds a human rights approach in planning and delivery services	Business planning Best practice in person centred service delivery	Leads strategic and business planning activities	Formulating strategic goals to achieve vison, Intent and values Understanding strategic failure
Leadership and teamwork	Leads and manages team effectiveness Manages own workload Communicates with influence Fosters workplace diversity Engages in reflective practice	Workplace coaching and mentoring Coaching, supervision and mentoring skills Communication skills for leaders Managing and facilitating meetings Implementing change Cultural awareness and diversity training Cultural safety Creating a positive work environment Reflective practice Creating a positive work environment	Leads and influences change	Leadership Situational leadership Staff engagement and facilitation Planning and implementing projects Change Management Policy development	Leads teams to success Leads service development	Project planning and management Advanced negotiation skills





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Communication	Manages effective workplace relationships Develops and maintains collaborative partnerships	Listening skills Professional documentation and report writing Privacy and confidentiality Developing and maintaining networks / partnerships Assertive communication Influencing and negotiating Dealing with conflict and confrontation Protocols regarding use of social media Negotiation and influencing skills	Manages internal and external stakeholder relationships and negotiations	Advanced communication skills for leaders Networking Communication uncertainty Obtaining buy-in	Develops & maintains internal/ external strategic networks Ensures a partnership approach within and between teams	Communication techniques Communicating on controversy Debating Creating value propositions Systematic Strategic Communication
Customer relationships	Develops and maintains positive customer relationships Manages quality customer service Supports organisational marketing	Maintaining professional relationships Customer services, managing enquiries/ requests Complaints management Creating ethical and power-sharing relationships Marketing at the frontline =	Promotes and represents the organisation effectively Support customers with planning and problem solving	Developing and managing customer relationships Excellence in customer service Facilitation skills Strength based approach and practices Referring on	Ensures customer relationship/ complaint processes are in place Strategically markets service offerings	National Disability Strategy Using complaints as opportunities Market analysis Partnerships and agreements, including negotiation terms and conditions Strategic customer relationship management Social media
Personal accountability	Reflects and improves on own professional practice Develops and uses emotional intelligence Uses a human rights approach in planning and delivery services	Emotional intelligence Managing stress Self-assessment and peer review Time management Human rights 101	Leads and influences change Develops and uses emotional intelligence	Change Management Developing continuous improvement strategies Policy development Emotional Intelligence in leadership Mindfulness in management	Oversees/ assists with the management of major changes in practices	Leading with EI Managing resistance Coaching teams through change Building team/ organisational change management capacity Behavioural change strategies and tools



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Innovation	Leads and supports innovative thinking and creativity Leads sustainable work practices Supports change in the workplace Leads and supports process improvement	Complex / creative problem solving Lead innovative thinking and practice Understanding quality improvement Change management training Process improvement 101	Leads and supports continuous improvement, innovative thinking and creativity	Developing continuous improvement strategies Creating Innovative workplaces Creative thinking and problem solving Transforming talent and technology into a competitive edge	Fosters innovation in the team and organisation. Supports the organisation to identify and establish research opportunities (internal / external)	Creative Capacity Building TRIZ/ TIPS Idea-generation facilitation Leadership behaviours for innovation Six Sigma