

SKILLS RECOGNITION APPLICATION – GRADUATE DIPLOMA OF ARTS PSYCHOTHERAPY (Information and Application Form)

What is RPL / RCC or Skills Recognition?

Recognition of Prior Learning (RPL)/ Recognition of Current Competency (RCC) or Skills Recognition is a process whereby knowledge and skills you already have may be recognised, irrespective of where or how they were acquired.

Skills Recognition or RPL/RCC can apply to a wide range of skills, including those gained through employment, community involvement, formal study, informal training or life experience.

The maximum RPL/RCC/credit that can be awarded is 50% of an Ikon VET course.

Applications for RPL/RCC must be submitted PRIOR to enrolling in the course.

If you are granted RPL/RCC for a particular module/unit, you do not need to complete the module/unit and a pass is recorded on your Training Record in the same way as any other student enrolled in the unit. You may also be granted RPL for a part of a unit of competency, and speed up the process of demonstrating competence.

Why apply for RPL / RCC?

To reduce your program load and the overall learner devoted time.

To reduce costs associated with completing the course.

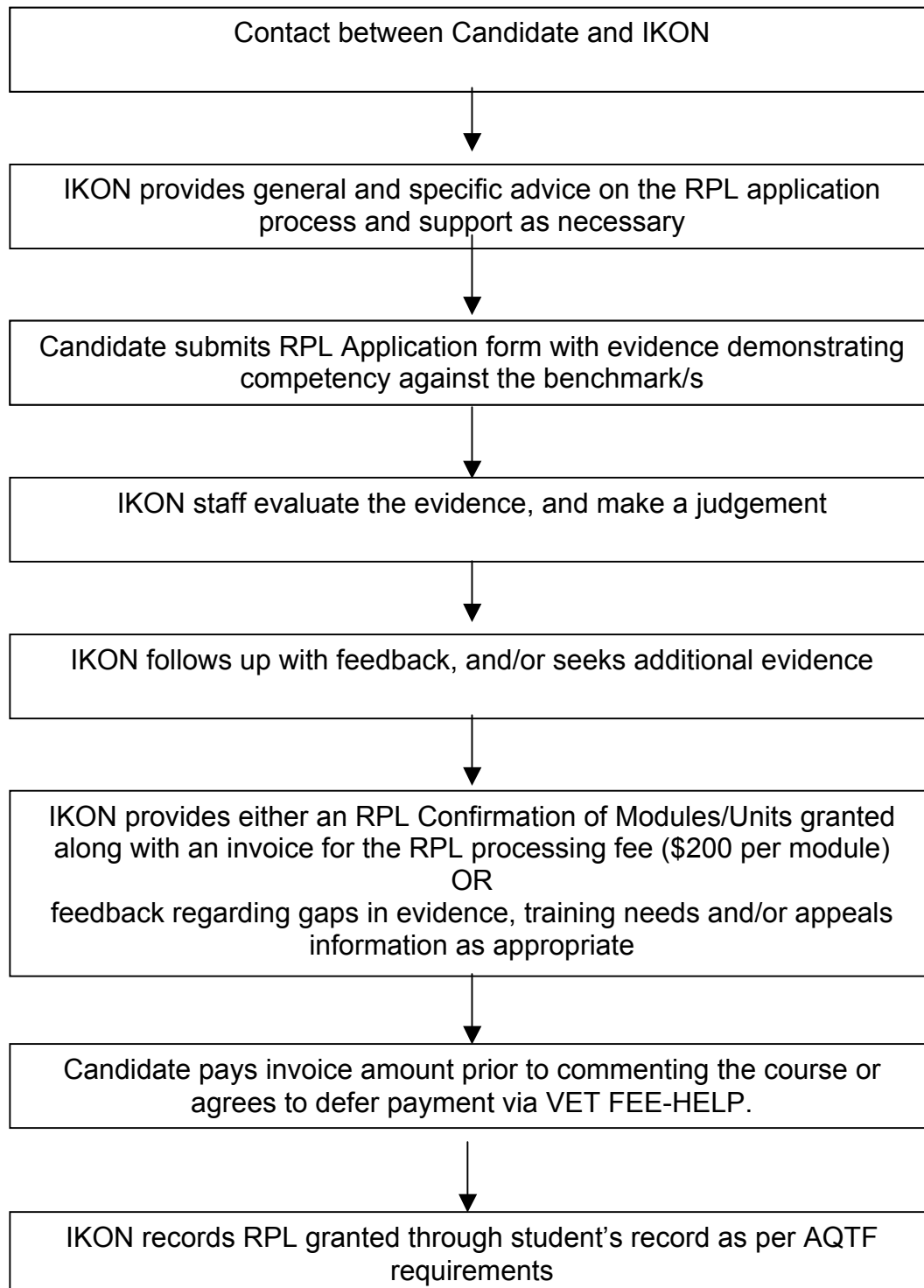
To avoid repeating learning in areas where you already have skills.

The RPL / RCC Process

The RPL / RCC process consists of the following stages:

1. Staff will provide you with information on how to make an RPL Application.
2. You complete the RPL Application form and submit it with supporting information.
3. Academic Staff trained in assessing RPL/RCC applications will assess your evidence. You may be required to attend an interview to discuss your application.
4. You are notified of the outcome of your application by email or post. If you have been granted RPL, your notification will include an invoice for \$200 per module.
5. The RPL charge of \$200 per module is paid to Ikon prior to commencing the course or deferred via VET FEE-HELP.

Skills Recognition Process



Skills Recognition (RPL/RCC) APPLICATION FORM
(Candidate to fill out and return to Ikon with the \$200 non-refundable RPL Application Fee)

1 Personal Details

First name Last Name

Address

.....Postcode

Phone (WK) (HM) (Mobile)

Email Date of Birth

Workplace Name

Workplace Address

2 Course Details

Name of Course: **Graduate Diploma of Arts Psychotherapy**

Please list the Modules/Units you are seeking Recognition for:

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3 Support Details

Formal Qualifications or Training

List of any formal courses or training sessions you have attended. If possible, attach copies of Certificates and details of course outline and content (with dates).

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Informal Study Programs

List any informal training sessions you have attended. If possible, attach Certificates, and details of course outline and content (with dates).

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Relevant Work Experience

List any relevant work you have performed. Give details of your employer, including a telephone number and contact person if possible. Include details of dates and duration of employment.

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Relevant Life Experience

List any community involvement, personal interests, hobbies or skills which may support your application.

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Personal Verification

Please indicate the name and contact address or telephone number(s) of a person or persons who can substantiate your application.

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Attachments

Please list the attachments you have attached in support of this application.

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I agree to pay the RPL fee of \$200 per module/unit (or part thereof) in the following way (please tick one)

- Payment in full prior to commencing the course
- Payment deferred via VET FEE-HELP loan system

Signed (candidate): Dated:

**Skills Recognition - Examples of evidence
(Candidate to fill out)**

Examples of evidence presented in support of RPL application may include: Qualifications, CV, Job Descriptions, Work Experience, 3rd Party Reports, Work Samples/Documents, Referral Letters, Oral Questions. Credit Transfer – can be through an exact unit match or similar subject.

Graduate Diploma of Arts Psychotherapy Module	Examples of Evidence (or list here any separate evidence that you have attached to this application (eg. "CV attached"))
Module 1: Introduction to Arts Psychotherapy	
Module 2: Media and Therapeutic Qualities	
Module 3: Modalities and Therapeutic Qualities	
Module 4: Externalised Models and Therapeutic Qualities	
Module 5: Models of Psychotherapy	
Module 6: Counselling Skills in Arts Psychotherapy	
Module 7: Integrated and Multidisciplinary Practice	
Module 8: Supervised Clinical Practice	
Module 9: Professional Practice and Practicum	

Declaration of authenticity

The information I have provided to support this application is true and correct. I authorize my assessor to make any inquiries necessary to assist in the assessment and verification of my recognition application and to use any information supplied in this application for this purpose.

Signed (candidate): Dated:

**Skills Recognition ADVANCED DIPLOMA OF TRANSPERSONAL ART THERAPY
(Assessor to fill out)**

Student Name: Course Offer Group

Assessor's Name:

Compulsory Core Units	RPL requested by student	RPL granted by Assessor	Assessor Initials
Module 1: Introduction to Arts Psychotherapy			
Module 2: Media and Therapeutic Qualities			
Module 3: Modalities and Therapeutic Qualities			
Module 4: Externalised Models and Therapeutic Qualities			
Module 5: Models of Psychotherapy			
Module 6: Counselling Skills in Arts Psychotherapy			
Module 7: Integrated and Multidisciplinary Practice			
Module 8: Supervised Clinical Practice			
Module 9: Professional Practice and Practicum			

ASSESSOR'S NOTES:

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Signed by the Assessor Date

Module # and Name	Units of Competency	After the successful completion of this module, students will have completed the following units:
Module 1: Introduction to Arts Psychotherapy	CUVGRD501A - Research visual communication history and theory APSRHT001 - Research and apply arts psychotherapy history and theory	CUVGRD501A - Research visual communication history and theory
Module 2: Media and Therapeutic Qualities	APSAMM002 - Determine suitability of arts media and modalities for specific client issues APSAMM003 - Apply arts media and modalities to therapeutic encounters	
Module 3: Modalities and Therapeutic Qualities	APSAMM002 - Determine suitability of arts media and modalities for specific client issues APSAMM003 - Apply arts media and modalities to therapeutic encounters	
Module 4: Externalised Models and Therapeutic Qualities	APSAMM002 - Determine suitability of arts media and modalities for specific client issues APSAMM003 - Apply arts media and modalities to therapeutic encounters APSEXT004 - Incorporate externalised arts modalities into therapeutic encounters	APSAMM002 - Determine suitability of arts media and modalities for specific client issues APSAMM003 - Apply arts media and modalities to therapeutic encounters
Module 5: Models of Psychotherapy	APSRHT001 - Research and apply arts psychotherapy history and theory APSMOD005 - Understand and apply diverse models of psychotherapy to arts psychotherapy	APSRHT001 - Research and apply arts psychotherapy history and theory
Module 6: Counselling Skills in Arts Psychotherapy	APSTHE006 - Apply arts psychotherapy to a therapeutic encounter APSGRP007 - Provide group arts psychotherapy to diverse cultural and human groups CHCCS805B - Undertake professional reflection	
Module 7: Integrated and Multidisciplinary Practice	APSTHE006 - Apply arts psychotherapy to a therapeutic encounter APSGRP007 - Provide group arts psychotherapy to diverse cultural and human groups CHCCS805B - Undertake professional reflection	
Module 8: Supervised Clinical Practice	APSEXT004 - Incorporate externalised arts modalities into therapeutic encounters APSMOD005 - Understand and apply diverse models of psychotherapy to arts psychotherapy APSTHE006 - Apply arts psychotherapy to a therapeutic encounter APSGRP007 - Provide group arts psychotherapy to diverse cultural and human groups CHCCS805B - Undertake professional reflection	APSEXT004 - Incorporate externalised arts modalities into therapeutic encounters APSTHE006 - Apply arts psychotherapy to a therapeutic encounter APSGRP007 - Provide group arts psychotherapy to diverse cultural and human groups
Module 9: Professional Practice and Practicum	APSMOD005 - Understand and apply diverse models of psychotherapy to arts psychotherapy CHCCS805B - Undertake professional reflection	APSMOD005 - Understand and apply diverse models of psychotherapy to arts psychotherapy CHCCS805B - Undertake professional reflection