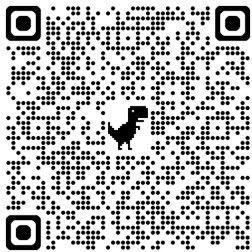




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What a former course graduate said;

*"I thought the group work or student led learning exercises were invaluable, as already you're working together in the spirit of collaboration, which is hopefully what community work is all about."*

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## About the Course

The Substance Use Issues & Community Work [QQI Level 5] evening course is designed to promote good practice among those who work either paid or voluntarily with young people and communities affected and impacted by various issues.

It provides a critical perspective on some of the issues that affect young people and communities and encourages the development of coherent responses at individual and organisational level.

Together the components should promote the ability of learners to work safely and effectively in youth and /or community work settings.

This educational programme also aims to provide the participants with the necessary knowledge & skills in sourcing and/or resourcing applicable supports systems both within and outside their communities.

**Graduates will receive  
QQI Level 5 Certification  
(on completion)**

**In association with**



## Substance Use Issues & Community Work [QQ1 L5] Course

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**Blended Format:** Online - via Zoom & On-site — Cork College of FET, Morrison's Island Campus. Cork City.

**Tuesday evening:** 6.30pm— 9.30pm

**Duration:** This course will be offered on a part time basis over the academic year i.e. Sept 2025 - March 2026

**\*Course Fee - per Student:** €130

Payment is due late October 2025

Cork City Partnership will cover the remaining course fees for successful

Applicants **\*[Subject to change]**

**Application Forms available**

**May 2025**

**Deadline for receipt of applications**

**Friday 29.08.25**

## **SUI & CW - Entry Requirements**

### **Applicants Must:**

- **Be** aged 21 or over [Jan 2025]
- **Have** Leaving Certificate **Or** the equivalent [RPL]
- **Send** the completed **2025– 26 application** form and required certification by Friday 29.08.25 to Jacqueline Daly [see contact details below]
- **Applicants** are required to submit a copy of their educational certification **Or** arrange to complete our English Language Assessment Session on Tuesday 09.09.25 [Time/ Location: TBC]
- **Attend** a pre-entry information online session on Tuesday 09.09.25 [evening]
- **Attend** a pre– arranged online interview on Tuesday 16.09.25 day]
- **Applicants** are expected to be active participants in the community in either a voluntary & / or work capacity.
- **Applicants** should note in order to gain employment or volunteer in this sector Garda Vetting is mandatory.



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## **English Language Requirements**

All applicants whose first language is not English **must** submit a copy of their IELTS Level 6 or an A/B/C Pass Certificate **Or** arrange to complete an English Language Assessment Session on Tuesday 09.09.25 [Time/Location: TBC]

To attend this session please contact: Jacqueline Daly



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## **QQI Level 5**

### **Course Components**

**Understanding Community Development 5N1901**

**&**

**Substance Use Issues for Youth Work 5N2176**

### **Course Evaluation & Assessment**

**A variety of continuous assessment models will be employed and at least 80% course attendance is required**