



## PRS20103 Certificate II in Security Operation Security Officer (Unarmed) Program

### Campus Location

Brisbane Hillcrest Campus  
Johnson Road, Browns Plains

### Method of Study

Full Time  
Part Time  
On Campus

### Program Description

This Nationally Accredited program is the minimum requirement under the Department of Justice and Attorney General guidelines for security personnel in Queensland to gain a Security Officer (Unarmed) endorsement and licence. WideBay TAFE also offers articulation to higher-level training such as PRS30103 Certificate III in Security Operations.

### Career Opportunities

Upon receiving licence, officer can apply for Security positions such as Unarmed Security Officer, including personally patrolling property, personally monitors property, operation of an audio visual or visual recording system, a radio or other electronic monitoring device.

### Entry Requirements

Minimum Education Level: Year 10 or Equivalent

Mature Age Entry (18 years of age and over)

If you do not meet the standard entry requirements but your age and experience indicate a reasonable chance of success in a program, you may be offered a place. Ask a Customer Care Officer for further details.

Other Pre-Requisites/Entry Conditions include:

There are no pre-requisites preventing anyone from completing the program for educational purposes, however under the Security Providers Act a person must be an "Appropriate Person" to obtain a licence. You may NOT be an appropriate person if you were: Convicted of a disqualifying offence under Section 3 of the provisions of the Criminal Code; A patient within the meaning of the Mental Health Act; Taken advantage, as a debtor, of the laws of Bankruptcy; or have been convicted of an indictable offence. You must also be 18 years of age to apply for a licence.

If any of the above applies to you, it may prevent you

from being issued with a licence.

### Program Intake

As Per Dates Supplied

### Program Duration

8 days

### Admission Method

#### **Direct Enrolment**

No application is necessary for this program. Provided you meet the entry requirements you can directly enrol via phone, mail or at the counter. You may be required to provide evidence of your eligibility prior to, or at the time of enrolment. This could include certified academic results or similar.

### Requirements to Achieve Qualification

Training Package: PRS03 National Asset Security Training Package

Requirements to Achieve

Core Competencies: 7

Elective Competencies: 4

Requirements to Achieve Queensland Security Office Licence (unarmed):

#### **CORE COMPETENCIES**

PRSSO201A Communicate effectively in the Security Industry

PRSSO202A Maintain workplace safety

PRSSO203A Work effectively in the Security Industry

PRSSO204A Work as part of a team

PRSSO205A Provide security services to customers

PRSSO206A Provide first aid (at Senior First Aid level)

PRSSO207A Respond to security risk situation

#### **ELECTIVE COMPETENCIES**

The following elective competencies are Queensland licensing requirements.

PRSSO210A Control access to and exit from premises

PRSSO215A Operate basic security equipment

PRSSO216A Patrol premises

PRSSO222A Protect self and others using basic defensive tactics

### Assessment Method

Written/Theoretical

Practical



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Simulation

### Industry Licences, Tickets and Compliances

On successful completion of the program you may be eligible for a Security Officer (unarmed) Licence (approximately \$222.60 plus \$35.50 for a criminal history check) available from the Department of Justice Attorney General - Queensland Government. Contact your nearest Regional Office of Fair Trading for further information.

### Further Study

Certificate III Certificate in Security Operations  
Specialist areas:

Firearms & Defensive Tactics  
Cash in Transit  
Dog Handler

### Important Dates

Semester 2 2008:

FULL-TIME INTAKES

INTAKE 5: 10/11/08 - 19/11/08

INTAKE 6: 08/12/08 - 17/12/08

Semester 1 2009:

INTAKE 1: 19/01/09 - 28/01/09

INTAKE 2: 23/02/09 - 04/03/09

INTAKE 3: 06/04/09 - 15/04/09

INTAKE 4: 11/05/09 - 20/05/09

INTAKE 5: 15/06/09 - 24/06/09

### Orientation

Orientation will be conducted on your first day of study.

### Vocational Placement

No, not required.

### Approximate Fees and Other Costs

*Fees indicated are approximate and should be used as a guide only. Fees may alter due to program changes, CPI increases or other reasons. Exact fees can be supplied at the time of enrolment.*

*As some programs are subsidised by the Queensland Government for Queensland Residents, fees may vary for Non-Queensland Residents. Please inform our Customer Care Officer if you are a Non-Queensland Resident.*

Full Fee: \$358.58

Concession Fee: \$267.23

### Other Information

WHAT DOCUMENTATION IS REQUIRED PRIOR TO

LICENSING?

You MUST be able to provide the following documentation prior to applying for a license.

Personal Identification Check

You will need to establish your identity by providing certified copies of documents from a list available from the Office of Fair Trading. You will need to supply sufficient documents to total 100 points.

Evidence of date and place of birth (an original copy of applicant's birth certificate, birth extract, passport or citizenship document or a photocopy of one of those documents certified as a true copy by a Justice of the Peace or Commissioner for Declarations).

2 passport photographs of you with the backs of the photos certified with the following words "This is a true photograph of (your name)". The certification should be signed by the person nominated on the application form. This person should have known the applicant for 12 months or more.

CAN YOU HAVE A CRIMINAL HISTORY?

You are disqualified from holding a licence if you:

- \* are under the age of 18 years; or
- \* have been convicted of a disqualifying offence in the previous 10 years, or of an offence that would be a disqualifying offence if committed in Queensland. A disqualifying offence is an offence:
  - \* under the Weapons Act 1990 that is punishable by imprisonment of 1 year or more, even if a fine may be imposed in addition or as an alternative eg. offences of possessing certain firearms without a licence, dangerous conduct with weapons, or failing to adequately store weapons.
  - \* under the Drugs Misuse Act 1986 that is punishable by imprisonment of 1 year or more, even if a fine is imposed in addition or as an alternative eg. possessing or producing dangerous drugs, possessing things used in connection with using a dangerous drug or supplying dangerous drugs.
  - \* There are other offences under these acts, which may be disqualifying offences. If you wish to check if an offence for which you were convicted is a disqualifying offence, please contact the Office of Fair Trading. Note the word PUNISHABLE is important. This does not mean the offender has to be sentenced to 1 year or more. It means



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that if a possible sentence of 1 year or more imprisonment can apply to that particular offence the person is disqualified from holding a licence.

\* against a provision of the Queensland Criminal Code Act mentioned in the Schedule to the Act. Offences in the Schedule include, murder, manslaughter, rape, assaults, fraud, theft, armed robbery, receiving stolen property, and dangerous driving.

Security providers (crowd controllers, private investigators, security officers or security firms) must have a licence under Section 9 of the Security Providers Act 1993.

### Important Information

Please note: Information is correct at time of creation but may change without notice.

Program commencement may be contingent on minimum enrolment numbers being achieved.

WideBay TAFE regularly updates programs to ensure the latest training package is offered. In doing so, some programs may be in the process of registration. Registration will be sought for the new National Training Package qualifications when they become available, at which time students will be transitioned to the new program as soon as it is feasible.

### Recognition of Prior Learning

This means your existing knowledge, skills and/or training may be formally recognised and/or taken into account when you study our programs. Please contact customer care for further details.