

TRANSITION FROM ADF TO CIVILIAN PROJECT



This project offers a new way to provide training and career solutions for Australian Defence Force (ADF) members transitioning to civilian life across Australia.

Transitioning ADF members can be faced with significant challenges adapting into civilian life. The aim of the Defence to Civilian Transition Training (DCTT) Project is to provide an informed, consistent and national approach to address this challenge.

This will be achieved by providing one point of contact, a Defence Solutions Officer (DSO), for veteran and transiting members enquiries to speak to TAFE Queensland.

To make the process more effective, the DSO has a significant background ground in Defence, a personal ADF transition experience and has VET trade- teacher experience.

In summary, this program begins with one point of contact who is a Defence trade-teacher and VET background, the Defence Solutions Officer (DSO).

It is the DSO who is able to offer a direct line of sight to a critical interpretation of the members' Defence skills and connects them to the national TAFE network for execution of their training plans.

Typically, VET programs can be delivered online, face to face or a blend of both modalities. This information will be efficiently relayed to the Defence member via a TAFE Director Australia (TDA) nominated contact in each state/territory or TAFE campus, specifically for this project.

This approach advocates for local TAFE/VET providers as the delivery of transition leads will be distributed based on scope and a member's training preference.

This importantly provides assistance in states/territories where TAFE/VET campuses have not yet merged into one registered training organisation.

Additional features of the Project's innovative structure are reduced wait times, decreased stress for ADF members and their families, and a surety when developing a life beyond the military.

Fundamentally this project is TAFE Queensland recognising, supporting ADF members and mentoring other TAFE's together with a united and holistic approach and an ability to build a skills profile for life beyond the military.



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