



Objective and Purpose

Silver Chain is funded by the Disability Services Commission (DSC) to provide specified health Training Services to eligible clients and metropolitan organisations funded by or registered with the DSC. These are provided by the Disability Health Training Team (DHTT) of qualified and experienced Registered Nurses.

These services are provided to DSC clients free of charge.

Who can access this service?

This service is aimed at providing training to support workers, carers and family members of people who have multiple or severe disabilities

Silver Chain Disability Health Training Team (DHTT) accepts referrals from the Disability Services Commission funded agencies, allied health professionals and any carer of persons with severe or multiple disabilities and with complex health care issues who is registered with the DSC.

Who are we?

The DHTT is a team of clinical nurses with extensive experience working in and with the community. Our combined knowledge of disability care enables us to provide training and guidance for carers assisting people with disabilities.

What specialised training do we provide?

Some examples of our Specialised Training may include:

- Medication Administration
- Blood sugar monitoring
- Pressure area and skin care
- Administration of suppositories and microlax enemas
- Gastrostomy Feeding
- Oxygen therapy and assistant breathing device
- Oral suctioning
- Application of surgical and medical garments
- Health information sessions on Epilepsy and Anaphylaxis
- Ostomy Care
- Tracheostomy Care
- Anaphylaxis/ EpiPen
- Epilepsy education

How to contact us?

Our Service is available from Monday to Friday during normal working hours.

The Silver Chain Disability Health Training Team can be contacted through Silver Chain Customer Centre on (08) 9242 0242.