

## EDUC90562 Leadership in Youth Health and Education

<b>Credit Points:</b>	12.50
<b>Level:</b>	9 (Graduate/Postgraduate)
<b>Dates &amp; Locations:</b>	2010, Parkville This subject commences in the following study period/s: Semester 2, Parkville - Taught on campus. Parkville campus
<b>Time Commitment:</b>	Contact Hours: 24 hours Total Time Commitment: 125 hours self directed learning in the workplace and the wider community.
<b>Prerequisites:</b>	None
<b>Corequisites:</b>	None
<b>Recommended Background Knowledge:</b>	None
<b>Non Allowed Subjects:</b>	None
<b>Core Participation Requirements:</b>	Attendance at all classes (tutorial/seminars/practical classes/lectures/labs) is obligatory. Failure to attend 80% of classes will normally result in failure in the subject.
<b>Contact:</b>	Education Student Centre
<b>Subject Overview:</b>	The aim of this subject is to develop an understanding of management, leadership and change in youth health, education or welfare organisations. This subject will include a critical analysis of organisational structures and decision making processes in relation to working with other organisations. Strategies to maximise an organisation's capacity to work in effective cross-sectoral practice will be explored. This subject will introduce students to principles and practice of organisational, community and systems change as it relates to youth-focused services, programs and policies. The subject will also develop students' capacity to lead and manage cross-sectoral projects and create a "learning organisation" culture.
<b>Objectives:</b>	Not available
<b>Assessment:</b>	One 2,000 word assignment due mid-semester worth 40% and one 3,000 word assignment due at the end of semester worth 60%
<b>Prescribed Texts:</b>	None
<b>Breadth Options:</b>	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
<b>Fees Information:</b>	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, <a href="http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees">http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees</a>
<b>Generic Skills:</b>	<p>On completion of this course, students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Demonstrate leadership capacity including an ability to engage in public discourses;</li> <li># Demonstrate capacity in change management processes; and</li> <li># Demonstrate highly developed written communication skills.</li> </ul> <p>On completion of this subject students will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Assess theories and processes for organisational and community change and capacity building;</li> <li># Apply principles of organisational learning to their own workplace;</li> <li># Lead and manage change processes for cross-sectoral youth services, programs, policy development and implementation;</li> <li># Systematically evaluate and integrate evidence and propose solutions for change;</li> <li># Identify processes for strengthening cross-sectoral youth professional networks in communities; and</li> <li># Define frameworks for systems change and accountability.</li> </ul>

**Related Course(s):**

Master of Youth Health and Education Management