



Micro-credential in Community-led Development Information Sheet 2026



Is the Micro-credential for me?

If you already work in community development, and you'd like a little qualification to recognise and deepen your work – the answer is YES! This is for you! You need to be ready to reflect deeply into your practice, while supported by facilitators. Our Micro-credential is not linked to NZQA.

I've attended the Information Session and want to enrol OR I don't need the Info Session I am ready to enrol now – what happens next?

1. Register online. As part of your registration you will either pay by credit card or be invoiced.
2. Consider your possible case study before your first 1:1. It will be about your current work.
3. Talk to others you work with. You can do the Micro-credential by yourself, or each person in a team/or another colleague can enrol for their own case study and then support each other during the year.

What are the dates for workshops and 1:1 support sessions?

The four workshop dates are:

1. Wednesday 1 April, 12 – 1.30 pm: Exploring community-led development frameworks. Tools to identify and further develop your critical reflective practice
2. Wednesday 3 June, 12 – 1.30 pm: Unpacking the tasks of the Micro-credential as they apply to your case study and your work
3. Wednesday 1 July 12 – 1.30 pm: Sharing progress to date, peer-to-peer feedback and identifying next steps
4. Wednesday 26 August, 12 – 1.30 pm: Getting to success. Critical reflection to support your completion of the qualification tasks

You chose the dates/times for your two online 1:1 sessions. These are 30mins each and will be Wednesdays. They are your opportunity to tie the Micro-credential tasks to your work. Next steps are identified.

How much time is involved in completing the Micro-credential?

1. This is an individual matter; some people suggest a couple of hours a week. But you know you, how you study, and what works best in your life.
2. Case study submissions are due **18 September**.
3. You can submit your case study earlier if that works best for you.

What do I have to do to achieve the Micro-credential?

1. Submit a case study that is closely guided by the tasks outlined online.
2. There are four tasks. Three are writing tasks. One task is to get feedback on a form provide, from two people; a) A participant you facilitated in your case study and b) a colleague or peer who knows your facilitation.

Contact associate@inspiringcommunities.org.nz if you need more information.