



1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (NL)

Diploma Beroepsonderwijs
Kwalificatie: Verzorgende IG (Individuele Gezondheidszorg)
Kwalificatiedossier: Verzorgende IG

In the original language

2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

Certificate Senior Secondary Vocational Education
Qualification: Personal health care provider
Qualification file: Personal health care provider

This translation has no legal status

3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

The most important duties of a Personal health care provider are:

Core task 1: Providing care and support on the basis of the care file

- 1.1 (Contributes to) drawing up the care plan
- 1.2 Offers personal care and monitors health and welfare
- 1.3 Carries out technical nursing tasks
- 1.4 Assists during childbirth
- 1.5 Supervises the care recipient
- 1.6 Supervises a group of care recipients
- 1.7 Provides support for accommodation and household tasks
- 1.8 Provides information, advice and instruction
- 1.9 Manages crisis situations and unforeseen situations
- 1.10 Harmonises care provision
- 1.11 Evaluates care provision

Core task 2: Undertaking organisation and profession-specific tasks

- 2.1 Works on professional development and professionalization of the profession
- 2.2 Works on promoting and monitoring quality assurance
- 2.3 Provides work supervision

4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THE CERTIFICATE

The Personal health care provider is employed in the health care sector. In exercising her profession, she interacts with the superior, experts in her own and other disciplines, such as care and welfare helpers, nurses, doctors and obstetricians, paramedics and social community workers. The qualified professional practitioner is authorised to work in all sectors of nursing and care.

The Personal health care provider works in various sectors of nursing and care: nursing and care homes and home care, handicapped care, care for the mentally handicapped and maternity care.

Nursing and care homes and home care

The Personal health care provider in nursing and care homes and home care (the VVT sector) supports the client receiving care in the short (for example following hospitalisation), medium or long term, but generally speaking

* Explanatory note

This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate and does not have any legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications, Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates, and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers.

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provides long-term care.

Handicapped care

The Personal health care provider in care for the handicapped (GHZ sector) where necessary supports the handicapped care recipient as far as possible to maintain control over his or her life. The Personal health care provider supports and stimulates the development of the handicapped care recipient in all life areas. She offers personal care in a long-term care relationship and/or ensures that self care is undertaken by the handicapped care recipient.

Mental health care

The Personal health care provider in mental health care (GGZ sector) offers personal care, support and supervision to care recipients with complex psychosocial or psychiatric disorders or an addiction, which problems influence the daily functioning of the care recipient. She ensures implementation of self-care by the care recipient as an important element in the day-to-day functioning of the care recipient, and prevents neglect arising. Care and support offered by the Personal health care provider in the GGZ sector can range from short to long term.

Maternity care

The Personal health care provider in maternity care (KZ sector) supervises the pregnant woman as far as possible from the start of the birth and assists the obstetrician during the birth for example by organising and providing the required materials and resources.

5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE

<p>Name and status of the body awarding the certificate The certificate issued on completion of the programme is signed by the examination board at the school where the pupil attended the programme.</p>	<p>Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate Ministry of Education, Culture and Science</p>																				
<p>Level of the certificate (national or international) Qualification level 3 of the Dutch VET qualification structure Characteristics: implementation of more than just the own block of tasks. The professional is able to account for his or her actions towards colleagues, and monitors and supervises the work of others. The range of tasks also includes drafting work preparation procedures. NLQF level 3 - EQF level 3 - ISCED 3C</p>	<p>Grading scale / Pass requirements</p> <table border="0"> <tr><td>10</td><td>excellent</td></tr> <tr><td>9</td><td>very good</td></tr> <tr><td>8</td><td>good</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>very satisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>pass</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>fail</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>unsatisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>very unsatisfactory</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>poor</td></tr> <tr><td>1</td><td>very poor</td></tr> </table>	10	excellent	9	very good	8	good	7	very satisfactory	6	pass	5	fail	4	unsatisfactory	3	very unsatisfactory	2	poor	1	very poor
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<p>Access to next level of education/professions With the certificate transfer is possible to a middle management course (qualification level 4). It is also possible to transfer to a follow-up course at level 4, Nurse (general care). The certificate holder can also transfer to other subject areas, such as social community work. Following some (years of) work experience, the Personal health care provider can specialise for the position of first responsible health care provider.</p>	<p>International agreements The profession of Personal health care provider is regulated in the Netherlands under the European directive 2005/36/EC, amended by directive 2013/55/EU.</p>																				
<p>Legal basis Act on Vocational Education and Training (WEB), registered number of qualification (crebo): 95530 The education and training for this qualification is offered as of August 1, 2011.</p>																					

6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE

Senior secondary vocational education features two learning pathways: the school-based pathway (bol) and the training on the job pathway (bbl).

In the school-based pathway, the majority of the course consists of theory at school. The extent of the practical component (vocational practice) is between 20% and 60%. In the training on the job pathway, the extent of vocational practice is at least 60% of the course. The participant works four days a week in a training company,

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and attends school for theory subjects just one day a week.

In principle it is possible to follow both learning pathways, but which pathway is offered will depend on the individual educational institution.

Average duration of the education/ training leading to the certificate	3 years (4800 study hours) (depending on previous education)
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Entry requirements

The certificate preparatory vocational secondary education (vmbo) advanced vocational programme, combined programme, or theoretical programme, or a comparable level.

7. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Dutch senior secondary VET is based on qualification files, that each contain one or more qualifications. The information in section 3 and 4 is drawn directly from the qualification file, that is composed by the Centre of Expertise. The complete qualification file is available at www.kwalificatiesmbo.nl, only in Dutch.

Additional information, including a description of the Dutch national qualifications system, is available at the Netherlands National Reference Point (NRP) for VET: www.nlgrp.nl

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