

User Choice Funding Explained

User choice funding is an initiative by the Australian Government that offers partial funding to eligible trainees and apprentices. This program makes vocational training more accessible and reduces the costs for both individuals and their employers. All trainees must sign a Training Contract managed by an **Apprentice Connect Australia Provider**.

What This Means for Employers

As an employer, you play a critical role in supporting your employee through this training journey. Your responsibilities include:

Contractual Obligations

Sign a User Choice Funding Training Contract and Training Plan, facilitated by an Apprentice Connect Australia Provider.

Supervision

Provide appropriate supervision to your employee, either by someone holding the qualification or having equivalent experience.

Attendance & Study Time

Allow your employee to attend all scheduled training days.

Allocate time for your employee to complete their out-of-class work.

Workplace Support

Facilitate an environment where your employee can apply what they've learned in the workplace.

Final Sign-off

Once your employee has completed their assessments, sign a User Choice Funding Employer Sign-off Letter.

Note: Inability to meet these obligations may result in the employee being ineligible for the funding, leading to full fee charges.

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