



Accredited Africa Training Institute for Capacity Development

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COURSE BROCHURE

Victim Empowerment In South African Criminal Justice System Training

Human and Social Studies / People/Human-Centred Development

Unit Standard 117888 · NQF Level 2 · 4 Credits · 1 Day

COURSE OVERVIEW

This course equips criminal justice professionals and victim support workers with the knowledge and skills to implement victim empowerment principles within the South African criminal justice system. Participants will learn to apply restorative justice practices, uphold victims' rights, and provide trauma-informed support to enhance the overall victim experience.

Category	Human and Social Studies
Subfield	People/Human-Centred Development
Unit Standard	117888
Accreditation	SAQA Accredited · NQF Level 2 · 4 Credits
Duration	1 day
Training Method	Online, On-Campus, In-House
Certificate	Issued via AATICD LMS – verifiable online

LEARNING OUTCOMES

- Apply the principles of victim empowerment within the South African criminal justice framework.
- Analyze the impact of crime on victims and identify appropriate support mechanisms.
- Evaluate the effectiveness of current victim services and propose improvements.
- Demonstrate trauma-informed communication and interviewing techniques with victims.
- Implement restorative justice processes to facilitate victim-offender dialogue.
- Design a victim-centered referral pathway for comprehensive support services.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

- This course is designed for police officers, prosecutors, court officials, social workers, victim advocates, and NGO staff working within or alongside the criminal justice system in South Africa.

COURSE OUTLINE

Day 1: Foundations of Victim Empowerment in the Criminal Justice System

- Overview of victim empowerment: definitions, history, and policy frameworks (Victims' Charter, Service Charter for Victims of Crime).
- The South African criminal justice system: structure, processes, and the role of victims.
- Understanding victim trauma: common reactions, needs, and vulnerabilities.
- Key role players: SAPS, NPA, courts, Department of Social Development, and NGOs.
- Restorative justice principles and practices.
- Practical session: Case study analysis of victim experiences in the criminal justice system.

ASSESSMENT & CERTIFICATION

Delegates are assessed through exercises and a final test. A mark of **50% or above** earns an **AATICD Certificate of Completion**, issued digitally with a unique verification code. This course carries **4 NQF credits** at **NQF Level 2**.

PRICING (PER DELEGATE, EX-VAT)

Delegates	Training Method	Price per Delegate	Total
1	Online	R 9,400.00	R 9,400.00
1	In-House	R 12,200.00	R 12,200.00
1	On-Campus (Pretoria)	R 14,100.00	R 14,100.00

UPCOMING SESSIONS

Start	End	Method	Venue
21 Aug 2026	21 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Harare, Zimbabwe
21 Aug 2026	21 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Dubai, UAE
24 Aug 2026	24 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Victoria Falls, Zimbabwe
24 Aug 2026	24 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Abu Dhabi, UAE
25 Aug 2026	25 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Durban, South Africa
26 Aug 2026	26 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Shenzhen, China
27 Aug 2026	27 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Harare, Zimbabwe
28 Aug 2026	28 Aug 2026	On-Campus	Bangkok, Thailand

Contact us if no suitable date is listed — on-demand sessions can be arranged for groups.

HOW TO GET A QUOTE OR APPLY

1. **Get an instant quotation online:** visit www.aaticd.co.za, open the page for this course (Unit Standard 117888) and click **Get A Quote / Apply**. Select your training method and number of delegates – your quotation is generated immediately and emailed to you with the course brochure attached.
2. **Apply by email:** send the course title, your preferred training method (Online, In-House or On-Campus Pretoria), the number of delegates and your preferred dates to apply@aaticd.co.za – our team will reply with a formal quotation.
3. **Apply by phone or WhatsApp:** call **+27 12 004 8389** or WhatsApp **+27 65 077 6310** and we will prepare your quotation and reserve your seats.
4. **Confirm your booking:** accept the quotation and settle the invoice. As soon as payment is confirmed your delegates are enrolled and receive their AATICD LMS login details by email, along with joining instructions for their chosen training method.

Group discounts apply automatically – the more delegates you enrol, the lower the price per delegate. No payment is required to request a quotation.

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