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ADEA Endorsement Program

In March 2016, an endorsement committee was established. The committee reviews endorsement applications that ADEA receives from external organisations providing diabetes related education and resources to health professionals. Endorsement applications have also been received from some CDEs that have produced published materials for diabetes education practice. The strength of the endorsement program is set to grow over the next 12 months as it is envisaged that the ADEA endorsement program will become more widely accepted as the stamp of quality diabetes education programs.

ADEA thanks all members of our education program committees who volunteer their time, expertise and experience to ensure our education processes promote best practice diabetes education. We thank the members of the newly formed endorsement committee.

ADEA Accreditation Program

ADEA continues to accredit the Post Graduate Certificate in Diabetes Education and Management courses offered by tertiary institutions throughout Australia. Completing an ADEA accredited post graduate course remains an essential criterion for achieving recognition as an ADEA credentialled diabetes educator (CDE).

The ADEA accreditation program oversees the course curriculum offered to students and ensures it is consistent with evidence-based best practice diabetes education, reflects current and emerging practice trends and equips students with the skills and knowledge required in today's complex health care environment.

In the past 12 months, ADEA reaccredited the following courses:

- Curtin University (WA)
- Flinders University (SA)
- Deakin University (VIC)
- Mayfield Education (VIC)
- University of Technology Sydney (NSW)