Australasian Drilling Institute is delivering a nationally recognised training program to enable you to start your career in the Drilling Industry. The RII20915 Certificate II in Drilling Operations - Driller's Assistant Pre-Industry Training Program is achieved by using flexible online learning, practical workshops and technical assessments, carried out on our own drilling rig.

This course is suitable for people wanting to work in the minerals/hard rock drilling industry. NO PRIOR EXPERIENCE is required to attend this course. Students will gain the skills, knowledge and practical experience required to work safely and efficiently on drilling rigs as a Driller's Assistant.

Student to supply:
- Personal Protective Equipment (Lace up Safety Boots, long sleeved high visibility shirt, long pants safety helmet, safety glasses and safety gloves).
- A drug and alcohol clearance prior to the practical and rig assessment.

Competency Units

RII20915 Certificate II in Drilling Operations

BSBWR203 Work effectively with others
RIICOM201D Communicate in the workplace
RIINEV201D Identify and assess environmental and heritage concerns
RIINHB201D Load, secure and unload drilling equipment and materials
RIINHB202D Set up and pack up drill site
RIINHB203D Support drilling process
RIIWHS201D Work safely and follow WHS policies and procedures
RIIRIS201D Conduct local risk control
RIINHB208D Assist diamond core drilling
HLTAID003 Provide first aid
RIHAN213D Work effectively in the drilling industry
RIISAM202D Isolate and access plant

RIISS00034 SoA in Surface Coal Mine Safety Skill Set (Standard 11)

RIICOM201D Communicate in the workplace
RIIHNSS201D Work safely and follow WHS policies and procedures
RIIRIS201D Conduct local risk control
RIIGOV201D Comply with site work processes/ procedures
RIIERR205D Conduct initial response First Aid
RIIERR302E Respond to local emergencies and incidents

Online Learning Phase

Time frame: 18 hrs. (approx.)
With the support of our staff, you will receive access to our interactive online learning materials. Audio and visual components will help guide you through the theory assessment at the end of each subject.

Practical First Aid and Standard 11

Time frame: 2 days
Learn or refresh your First Aid skills and complete your Standard 11 Surface induction (a safety requirement for gaining work in most Queensland mine sites)

Practical Rig Experience and Assessment

Time frame: 5 days
Gain essential hands-on experience and training in all you have learnt in the classroom. Work on and around the rig and see it in action. This is also, where the final assessment occurs.

Disclaimer: Program commencement is dependent on sufficient enrolments. Students are required to have met all pre-requisite and other entry or licensing and evidence requirements. Contact us for more information on enrolment procedures. For detailed information on policies, subsidies, exemptions, pre-requisites, withdrawals, cancellations, credit transfers and RPL please refer to our terms and conditions found on our website at www.drillinginstitute.com/Disclaimer.pdf