

Level 2 Certificate in the Principles of Dementia Care

About the course

This qualification aims to assist learners to develop their knowledge and understanding of the principles of caring for those with dementia. It covers areas such as person-centred care, the influence of positive communication methods, issues around the use of medication for those with dementia and the importance of providing appropriate activities. The qualification doesn't infer competence in the work role, but can be used to support the underpinning knowledge and understanding, needed for those working in or towards a dementia care role

Structure of Course

The level 2 Certificate in the Principles of Dementia is a 15 credit and 123 Guided Learning hour (GLH) qualification that consists of 7 mandatory units.

Assessment

This qualification can be completed on our Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) or paper based it is a distance learning programme. An assessor will be allocated to you to assess the units and give feedback and corrections when required.

Entry Requirements

There are no formal entry requirements

Employment Information

You do not need to be working in a specific setting to complete this qualification

Start Dates

Continuous throughout the year as we run a rolling programme

Duration

Approximately 4 months

Progression

Learners could progress to further Health and Social Care qualifications or look at job roles where this qualification can be used.

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Course Modules

Mandatory Group –

- Unit 1 Dementia Awareness
- Unit 2 The Person Centred approach to the Care and support of individuals with Dementia
- Unit 3 Understand the factors that can influence communication and interaction with individuals that have Dementia
- Unit 4 Understand Equality Diversity and Inclusion in Dementia Care
- Unit 5 Understand the administration of medication to individuals with Dementia using a person centred approach
- Unit 6 Understand Behaviour in the context of Dementia
- Unit 7 Understand the benefits of engaging in activity in Social Care



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