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City & Guilds Level 1 Certificate for Skills for Working in the Health Care, Adult Care and Child Care Sectors - 601/7376/2

OVERVIEW

• What does this qualification cover?

The Level 1 Certificate in Skills for Working in the Health, Adult Care & Child Care Sectors prepares learners to work in the care sectors, developing work skills which include communication skills, interview and preparation, team working/working with others and applying for a job, as well as developing their understanding of the behaviours and attitudes required to obtain and sustain employment.

Learners' can also focus, through the optional units, on developing their awareness of equality and diversity, interpersonal relationships, conduct, communication, rights and responsibilities and attitudinal development and understanding personal finance for employment.

The qualification addresses the knowledge and skills required to work in the health, adult care and child care sectors with a mandatory unit, Introduction to working in health care, adult care and child care; preparing learners' with the knowledge and skills to apply or interview confidently for introductory roles within the sector.

In addition learners are given the option to develop their knowledge and awareness of safeguarding in health, adult care and child care and working in a person-centred way in health and adult care with optional units covering an Introduction to safeguarding in health, adult care and child care and an Introduction to working in a person-centred way in health and adult care.

• Who could take this qualification?

The qualification is for learners seeking to progress onto a Health, Adult or Child Care Apprenticeship or enter work in Health, Adult Care and Child Care sector and other related industry sub-sectors as part of the work programme or work experience.

This is a standalone qualification.



This qualification can be taken by learners from 16+ onwards who would like to develop an early knowledge of and skills in Health, Adult Care and Child Care.

WHAT COULD THIS QUALIFICATION LEAD TO?

• Will the qualification support progression to further learning, if so, what to?

The Level 1 Certificate in Skills for Working in the Health, Adult Care & Child Care Sectors has been designed to underpin Traineeships and learners progressing into work for the first time as domiciliary, community care assistants in nursing or residential homes; returning to work or preparing learners for moving on to a Health, Adult Care or Child Care Apprenticeship.

WHO SUPPORTS THIS QUALIFICATION?

1) Kirklees College
2) Warwickshire College Group
3) Working Links