Health & Social Care

Short Courses at Blackburn College

Flexible  Career Focused  Delivered by professionals
Blackburn College offer an extensive range of health and social care courses that are provided throughout the year. These are delivered by highly experienced trainers and can be tailored to your organisational requirements.

Our bespoke courses are delivered to meet the exact training needs of your business!

Delivery is totally flexible. Our team will work around the needs of your staff and your business. If you want the training delivered at your workplace or at College for a group of employees this is not a problem. If you want it delivering at an unusual time, we’ll do our utmost to accommodate your needs. We’ve delivered training at short notice, throughout the night or over weekends too. Please contact us for further information.
Common Induction Training

The course is aimed at social service staff, residential, day care, domiciliary personal assistants, shared lives workers and those who are involved in the provision of direct care. The four-day course covers the Common Induction Standards 2010 for all new staff working in care services. This course will cover:

Standard 1 – The Role of the Health & Social Care Worker
Standard 2 – Personal Development
Standard 3 – Communicate Effectively
Standard 4 – Equality and Inclusion
Standard 5 – Principals for the Implementing Duty of Care
Standard 6 – Principals of Safeguarding
Standard 7 – Person Centred Support
Standard 8 – Health & Safety in an Adult Setting

- 4 days

Cost: £110.00 per person
**Dementia Awareness**

The one-day course has been designed to provide essential knowledge and understanding of dementia. The course will cover; how to support individuals, roles/responsibilities and boundaries, defining dementia, legislation and guidance.

- **1 Day**

  **Cost:** £30.00 per person

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**Infection Control**

The one-day course is designed to provide essential knowledge and understanding of infection control and will cover cause/spread, preventing and controlling spread, legislation and roles, responsibilities and boundaries.

- **1 Day**

  **Cost:** £30.00 per person

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**Moving & Handling in Care**

The one-day course will involve theory, practical demonstration and activities which will help assist individuals from sitting and lying positions. Practical equipment such as slide sheets, wheel chairs and walking frames to assist with mobility will also be covered.

- **1 Day**

  **Cost:** £30.00 per person
Moving & Handling in Care Refresher

The half-day course is for individuals who have already undertaken the Moving & Handling in Care one-day course and work within the health and social care sector. The course will give delegates opportunity to recap on moving and handling in care techniques.

• **1/2 Day**

  **Cost:** £30.00 per person

Person Centred Planning

The one-day workshop is designed to provide essential knowledge and understanding of the principles of person centred care. The course is based around care planning and will give advice on how to carry out a process of planning, goal setting and the importance of individual planning of care.

• **1 Day**

  **Cost:** £30.00 per person
Nutrition for Nursing Homes

Are you a chef in a care or nursing home? Are you on a tight budget? Do you need to find new inventive dishes that will meet the specific needs of your service users? Then look no further.

In response to queries and demand, Blackburn College can now offer a 2 tiered support package that will solve your problems. The first part of the course will be yourself and your team meeting with our professional chef/lecturers at a venue of your choice.

It will be a half day course that will investigate your specific needs/ your setting and your budget and will help you to plan some exciting, cost efficient meals. From there it is your choice, you can either develop the dishes on your own or we suggest that you take advantage of our progression course where for 1 day our chef/lecturers work on site in your venue and help you to prepare and serve the dishes that were decided upon.

- **2 Days**

  **Cost:** £65.00 per person

Safeguarding Vulnerable Adults

The one-day course is designed to provide essential knowledge and understanding of Safeguarding Vulnerable Adults. The course will cover; roles and boundaries, danger, harm and abuse, social norms and values, legislation and applying learning to practice.

- **1 Day**

  **Cost:** £30.00 per person
Level 1 NCFE Substance Misuse Awareness Award

This course is appropriate for a wide range of candidates, including those working with substance misusers and people in support work roles such as youth work, counselling or community work. The programme can also be used to support personal and social development for Foundation Learning.

This programme raises awareness of the drugs that are part of everyday life and also explores the cause and consequences of substance and alcohol abuse.

Cost: £200.00 per person
Level 2 NCFE Certificate in Dementia Awareness

The course is designed for anyone who wishes to improve their knowledge and understanding of dementia. It will provide learners with an understanding of the common types of dementia and help learners to develop an awareness of the support framework that exists for people with dementia.

**Cost:** £350.00 per person

Level 2 NCFE Award in Prevention and Control of Infection

The course is designed for any candidate working in an environment that links closely to infection control policy, the course will help to raise awareness of infection control legislation and policies.

**Cost:** £300.00 per person
Level 3 NCFE Certificate in the Principles of End of Life Care

The course will provide learners with an understanding of the principles of palliative care, encouraging them to take a person-centred approach to meet the emotional, spiritual and social needs of people who are nearing the end of life and their families.

Cost: £350.00 per person

Level 3 NCFE Certificate in Diabetes Awareness

The course is aimed at delegates who work in the healthcare sector and wish to increase their awareness of diabetes in order to support their service users. It will also be of interest to anyone with diabetes, or those with friends/relatives with diabetes, who wish to know more about the condition.

Cost: £350.00 per person
AMSPAR Courses

AMSPAR Certificate in Health Service Administration

This programme has been designed for practising Primary and Secondary Care Receptionists and Administrators. Candidates will be able to apply skills for effective communication with patients and members of the health service team and develop knowledge and understanding of Primary and Secondary care procedures, filing, the use of equipment and Information Technology. The Programme also aims to develop an understanding of health and safety in the workplace and its impact on the working environment, particularly with regard to hazards relating to the medical field.

- 4 Sessions

**Cost: £490.00 per person**
AMSPAR Diploma in Primary Care & Health Management – Dual Awarded with ILM Certificate in Leadership & Management (Level 5)

The programme has been designed to meet the needs of today’s managers in Primary Care and to cover the main roles and responsibilities of the position. This programme has been designed for:

- those in post as Primary/Health Care Managers
- those in post as Deputy/Assistant Primary/Health Care Managers
- those in post for a minimum of two years within a health or social care setting who will benefit from developing their capability and experience

This qualification has been designed to cover the key areas of knowledge and responsibility common to most Primary Care Managers.

Cost:

AMSPAR Diploma in Primary Care & Health Management - £2,710.00
AMSPAR Certificate in Primary Care & Health Management - £2,180.00
Counselling Courses

CPCAB Certificate in Counselling Skills (Level 2)

This unit/qualification is for candidates who:

• Want to become competent in the use of counselling skills to help others – either in a voluntary or an employed situation
• Who want to take the first step in training to be a counsellor
• 14 Sessions including 3 weekends

Cost: £650.00 (inclusive of CPCAB registration fees)

CPCAB Certificate in Counselling Studies (Level 3)

This unit/qualification is for candidates who have already acquired some counselling skills and now want to continue their training. It will not qualify candidates to be counsellors, but it will prepare them to undertake workplace experience as trainee counsellors.

• Available from September 2014
E-Learning Courses

From climbing the corporate ladder to enhancing your knowledge e-learning is the new innovative way to train!

You can complete our e-learning courses in convenient stages to suit your requirements and revisit whenever you wish!

Courses include:

- 6S Productivity Suite – Online
- An Introduction to Telecare and Telehealth
- An Introduction to the Autism Spectrum
- Anaphylaxis Awareness
- Aseptic Techniques
- Awareness of Child Abuse and Neglect – Core
- Awareness of Child Abuse and Neglect – Foundation
- Basic Awareness of Domestic Violence
- Child Accident Prevention
- Childhood Obesity and HENRY
- Children and Young People’s Development in Health and Social Care Settings
- Common Core of Skills and Knowledge
- Communication in Health and Social Care or Children and Young People’s Settings
- Confidentiality in the Workplace – Online
- Conflict Resolution for Healthcare
- Data Protection in the Workplace – Online
- Dealing with Anti-Social Behaviour
• Dementia Awareness
• Dignity in Care
• Duty of Care in Health, Social Care or Children & Young People’s Settings
• Falls and Fracture Prevention in Older People
• Handling Information in Health and Social Care Settings
• Health and Safety for Healthcare
• Healthy Living
• Infection Control
• Infection Prevention and Control
• Lean Healthcare Overview
• Legionella and Legionnaires Disease – Awareness Training
• Manual Handling for Parents and Carers
• Medication Awareness
• Mental Capacity Act
• Moving and Handling Objects & People
• Parental Mental Health
• Person Centred Approaches in Adult Social Care Settings
• Safeguarding Everyone – Protecting Children, Young People & Vulnerable Adults
• Safeguarding Vulnerable Adults (POVA)
• Self Care
• The Assessment & Management of Urinary Incontinence & Bladder Dysfunction in Adults
• The Management of Urinary Catheterisation for Adults
• TIGER Health Records
• TIGER Information Quality Assurance
• Understand How to Support Individuals with Autistic Spectrum Conditions

All prices subject to change.
Apprenticeships

Apprenticeships are work based qualifications where you earn while you learn.

Apprentices can be matched with an employer, or can be an existing employee who would like to gain a qualification.

You will go through an assessment in Maths and English, some apprenticeships may require you to also go through an ICT assessment.

The minimum hours per week is 30.

The maximum hours a 16-18 year old can work is 40 hours (including time in college).

The minimum wage for apprentices is £2.68 per hour. This rate applies to all under 19 apprentices and over 19 year olds in their first year of an apprenticeship.

Blackburn College will work with you to help find a suitable employer where possible.

Other Courses Available:

- Diploma in Health & Social Care
- Diploma in Health & Social Care – Apprenticeship Route
- Diploma in Health & Social Care – Dementia Pathway
- Advanced Diploma in Health & Social Care Apprenticeship Route

Please contact us for further information.
Flexible          Career Focused          Delivered by professionals

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