Adult Care Worker

Sector	Health and social care
Who is it for?	New recruits and existing staff
Start date	January, May and September
Level	2
Duration	12 months
End-point assessment	Assessment is ongoing with an end-point assessment
Qualification	Level 2 Diploma in Care
Delivery model	Weekly college session

The standard aims to give the Apprentice the knowledge, skills and behaviours to successfully complete the adult care worker standard tasks and duties.

Day-to-day tasks may include providing support for people with physical, practical, social, emotional or intellectual challenges, delivering high quality and compassionate person-centred care within health and care services and this role is carried out under the direct or indirect supervision of a registered healthcare professional.

Typical job roles include:

Learning disability support worker

Key worker

Support worker

Substance misuse worker

Personal assistant

Supported living support worker

What your Apprentice will learn

Apprentices develop knowledge, skills and behaviours to be able to work effectively in their job role.

These form the Apprenticeship standard that has been developed and agreed with employers.

The knowledge, skills and behaviours that your Apprentice will learn include:

Knowledge

Health and well-being promotion to empower individuals and encourage independence

How to recognise and respond to safeguarding concerns

Methods and ways to promote effective communication

Understanding of equality, diversity and inclusion

Skills

Effective communication skills

Interpersonal skills

Effective partnership working

Behaviours

Trustworthy

Honesty

Respectful

Caring

Integrity

100%
pass rate at end-point assessment in 2023/24 for this standard.