

Changing your approach to Qualifications



Level 2 Certificate in Preparing to Work in Adult Social Care (QCF)

Care Academy has launched the UK's first online qualification 'Level 2 Certificate in Preparing to Work in Adult Social Care' (QCF) designed to provide entry into the social care sector. It is designed to support induction and provide an ideal platform for continuous professional development in line with both Skills for Care and Care Quality Commission guidelines.

In addition to being a fully accredited QCF qualification, eligible employers can also claim Workforce Development Funding (WDF) of up to £300.00 per qualification. A full range of benefits include:

- As an accredited Skillsfirst (QCF) qualification, clients can be assured of the quality of learning and assessment.
- E-learning, e-assessment and e-support is all facilitated via Care Academy.
- Learners are not required to complete Care Academy e-learning prior to enrolment, clients can select
 their own training delivery and simply enrol learners when they are ready to complete the eassessment.
- Upon completion, learners achieve **20 credits** towards Level 2 Diploma in Health and Social Care.
- 2 units map directly to 9 mandatory units required as part of Level 2 Diploma in Health and Social Care (Adults).
- The qualification meets the requirement for mandatory induction training (CIS), Technical Certificate
 for Apprenticeships and provides the underpinning knowledge elements for progression onto the
 Level 2 Diploma in Health and Social Care (Adults) for England (QCF)
- A highly qualified workforce can be beneficial when dealing with commissioners', inspectors (CQC) and service users.

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Qualification structure

To achieve the Level 2 Certificate in Preparing to work in Adult Social Care, learners must achieve a total of 20 credits taken up by mandatory units.

Qualification number Qualification reference Final registration date Final certification date PWC02 600/0585/3 28/02/2015 28/02/2017

Group A - mandatory units

QCF unit #	Skillsfirst unit #	Unit title	Credit value
H/601/5474	SHC24	Introduction to duty of care in health, social care or children's and young people's settings	1
H/602/3039	PWSC23	Principles of diversity, equality and inclusion in adult social care settings	2
J/602/3180	PWSC26	Understand person-centred approaches in adult social care settings	4
L/602/2905	PWSC21	Principles of communication in adult social care settings	2
L/602/3035	PWSC22	Principles of personal development in adult social care settings	2
R/602/3179	PWSC27	Understand health and safety in social care settings	4
A/601/8574	HSC024	Principles of safeguarding and protection in health and social care	3
A/602/3113	PWSC25	Understand the role of the social care worker	1
Y/602/3118	PWSC28	Understand how to handle information in social care settings	1