

AWARD IN AWARENESS OF DEMENTIA CARE

Support In Dementia and **Beeches Training** are working with **OCN London** to offer you the QCF Level 2 and 3 Award in Awareness of Dementia.

The Awards forms part of a suite of qualifications in dementia care that have been developed, by Skills for Care and Development, to support government strategies to increase knowledge, understanding and skills of caring for people living with dementia.



These qualifications support the changing needs within the sector and are part of the Workforce Development Plan established through the National Dementia Strategy Project (England) 2009.

Purpose of the programme

To develop the knowledge, skills and understanding required when providing person centred care for people living with dementia and their families, thereby enhancing the level of care provided to people living with dementia and their carers.

Who should attend the programme

Anyone who is currently supporting a person living with dementia either in a local authority or private care environments. For example residential care workers, healthcare assistants, support/key workers, domiciliary care workers, personal assistants and many other roles

This programme is particularly suitable for those who have not studied dementia in previous qualifications

Format of the programme

Training: For each topic learner's will attend a full day, face to face teaching session during which they will be expected to participate in discussions and activities.

Assessment: will be by completion of assignments which learners will be expected to complete in their own time.

- » Support will be available from the tutors to help with assignments.
- » Attendance at all sessions is compulsory to be able to complete the course.

Why choose us to deliver the QCF to your staff?

All our associates are highly skilled specialist dementia trainers with many years experience of developing and delivering high quality, effective, dementia training in the health and social care sector. This has culminated in the creation of a delivery style that is relaxed and interactive. Assessment tasks are creative and enjoyable and transfer of learning from the classroom to the workplace is guaranteed as learners are encouraged to create resources to share with colleagues.

The Modules

Level 2 Award

- » Recognise the impact of equality, diversity and inclusion on the experience of dementia (**Diversity**)
- » Dementia Awareness (**Dementia Awareness**)
- » The person centred approach to the care and support of an individual with dementia (**Person Centred Approach**)
- » Understand the factors that can influence communication and the interaction with individuals who have dementia (**Communication**)

Level 3 Award

- » Understand the process and experience of dementia (**Dementia Awareness**)
- » Understand the diversity of individuals with dementia and the importance of inclusion (**Diversity**)
- » Understand the role of communication and interactions with individuals who have dementia (**Communication**)
- » Understand the administration of medication to individuals with dementia using a person centred approach (**Medication**)

Further Information

The QCF Awards at Level 2 and 3, can be commissioned by an organisation for delivery in-house to all staff working with people living with dementia.

For further information or to discuss please email enquiries@supportindementia.com



Together providing qualifications in dementia care