

## Btec National Diploma in Health and Social Care

Course Name	Btec National Diploma in Health and Social Care
Academic level	L3 The entry requirements for the Btec National Diploma are <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A Btec First Diploma at a merit/ distinction level</li><li>• Four GCSE's at C or above including English</li></ul>
Who is this course for?	<p>The health and care sector encompasses staff involved in direct care, as well as specialists such as health scientists, technicians, support staff, supervisors and managers. There are employment opportunities in the statutory, private and voluntary provision of care services</p> <p>The course is for those who would like to study in the field of Health and Social Care who may want to continue to study to a higher level, to pursue a career in the professional area of Health Care professionals or Social Care professionals.</p> <p>The qualification will build and develop the necessary practical skills and understanding to provide learners with a firm grounding in the principles of health and social care, enabling progression into employment or higher level education. Work experience and links to the workplace form a central part of the programme.</p>
Brief about content	<p>There are eight compulsory core units such as</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Developing Effective Communication in Health and Social Care</li><li>• Equality Diversity and Rights in Health and Social Care</li><li>• Health, Safety and Security in Health and Social Care</li><li>• Development through the Life Stages</li><li>• Anatomy and Physiology</li></ul>

	<p>plus a range of specialist areas.</p> <p>You will have the opportunity of gaining a broad understanding of the sector and a specialist understanding of specific aspects of the sector, such as public health or caring for children or the elderly.</p>
Assessment strategies	Assessment is continues, through a variety of assessment activities, Essays, presentation, group work, individual project work, research and application to the workplace
Progression	<p>.</p> <p>The BTEC Level 3 National Diplomas in Health and Social Care is designed to provide progression to a university degree in an appropriate vocational discipline, or - for those working in the sector - to BTEC Higher National qualifications (HNCs and HNDs) or Foundation Degrees, or to employment.</p>
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