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The Guernsey Apprenticeship offers you the opportunity to earn a salary and gain a nationally recognised technical, professional or vocational qualification in a job you love. You will need to have secured employment before applying or look at the 'Apprenticeship Vacancies' on our website.





What we offer

This course is available to employees currently working in care roles within the adult care industry. Working closely with your employer, it allows you to learn, develop and practice the skills and behaviours required for progression in the sector, with the opportunity to move on to further study if desired.



Course duration

The recommended time for completion of this course is 18 months. You will attend College for one day a week for off-the-job training.



Qualifications gained

- BTEC Level 2 Diploma in Care
- Certificate of Apprenticeship



Campus

Off-the-job learning will take place at Les Ozouets Campus.



Course breakdown

You will complete nine mandatory units. These are:

- Communication in Care Settings
- Personal Development in Care Settings
- Equality and Inclusion in Care Settings
- Duty of Care
- Safeguarding and Protection in Care Settings
- Responsibilities of a Care Worker
- Implementing Person-centred Approaches in Care Settings
- Health, Safety and Wellbeing in Care Settings
- Handling Information in Care Settings

You will also complete a selection of optional units that could include topics such as:

- Dementia care
- Infection control
- Supporting individuals to manage pain and discomfort
- Supporting individuals to meet personal care needs
- Supporting individuals to eat and drink





Assessment methods

You will be assessed throughout the duration of the apprenticeship on a portfolio of evidence that could include:

- Practical observations by assessor
- Authentic statements and witness testimonies from work colleagues, users of services and their families
- Personal statements and reflective accounts
- Professional discussions
- Other evidence produced from activities in and outside the classroom





The onward journey

After successfully completing your Level 2 apprenticeship, you will be prepared for roles such as Health Care Assistants or Personal Assistants working with adults within the industry.

The opportunity to progress onto a Level 3 apprenticeship programme is currently being developed with further information becoming available in due course.





Who can apply?

This apprenticeship is available to employees aged 18 years and over.

Candidates will be assessed for suitability using a range of diagnostic tests.

If you have not achieved maths or English at D/3/Level 1, you will study these subjects to support progression and achievement of your chosen apprenticeship. Failure to complete maths and English will prevent progression between apprenticeship levels or achieving your overall apprenticeship.



Student support

The College's Student Support Services are available to provide support and help to make a success of your apprenticeship journey.

The College also works in partnership with Careers Guernsey whose advisors can support you in helping to choose the right next step for you and your future plans. They can support you in preparing for apprenticeship job interviews and any applications you may make. Please visit their website for more information at careers.gg.

Get in touch

Check out our website and social media channels for up-to-date information on the courses we offer, qualifications required and how to apply.



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