

Understanding Autism

Course Overview

This qualification develops knowledge and awareness of autism, a spectrum condition that affects how a person communicates with others and how they interpret the world around them.

Business Benefits

- Gain assurance that employees know how legislation and guidance underpins support
- Improves your team's understanding of autism theories
- Ensures team members know how to support positive behaviour
- Create an understanding workforce which is aware of elements of living with autism
- Reduces risk of malpractice and negligence



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What is the cost?

Due to the availability of government funding, this qualification is available at no cost. Funded places are limited so please book early to secure your place.

Learner Benefits

- Achieve a nationally recognised level 2 qualification
- Furthers personal and professional development
- No need to formally attend a college
- Receive a set of high-quality learner support materials
- Receive support from a dedicated team

 **Course Duration**

10 Weeks

 **Guided Learning**

152 Hours

 **Awarding Body**

NCFE

Course Content

- Learn how individuals with autism process sensory information
- Understand the characteristics that may be present in individuals with autism
- Understand the conditions that commonly occur with autism
- Learn the common misconceptions surrounding autism
- Learn how speech, language and communication may differ in people with autism
- Recognise how legislation and guidance underpins support

What you will learn

- Introduction to Autism
- Using a Person-Centred Approach to Support Individuals with Autism
- Communication and Social Interaction in Individuals with Autism
- Sensory Processing, Perception and Cognition in Individuals with Autism
- Supporting Positive Behaviour in Individuals with Autism
- Supporting Individuals with Autism to Live Healthy and Fulfilled Lives

How is it delivered?

Alongside the learning materials, you will have the support of a knowledgeable assessor/tutor who will give you advice and guidance on the course content as well as providing robust feedback on the work you complete.

The course is usually delivered over a period of 8-10 weeks.

Successful completion of this course ensures that the learner has fully understood these important principles and evidences knowledge of the subject area.

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