

Learning and Development for Adult Social Care in the West Midlands Appendix 3: Infection, Harm Prevention and Control

Adult social care paid workforce (web search)

Topic	Aim	Format	Resources/organisations identified	Link
Infection control	To tackle healthcare associated infections and reduce the spread of infection	E-learning Web presentation Face to face learning	Log on to Care (Infection Control)	Click Here
			Care Certificate (standard 15)	Click Here
			E- Learning for Healthcare (Infection Prevention and Control)	Click Here
			Age UK and Staffordshire & Stoke on Trent Partnership NHS Trust (Infection control)	Click Here
			Me Learning (Infection Prevention and Control for Health and Social Care)	Click Here
			Social Care TV (Infection Control)	Click Here
			Social Care Learning Forum (Infection Control)	Click Here
			Virtual College (Infection Prevention and Control)	Click Here
Infection prevention	Focus on consequences of healthcare associated infections and the role of individuals in preventing the spread of infection	E-learning	Level 2 Health and Social Care	Click Here
			Log on to Care (Infection Prevention and You)	Click Here
			Care Certificate (standard 15)	Click Here
			E- Learning for Healthcare (Infection Prevention and Control)	Click Here
			Me Learning (Infection Prevention and Control for Health and Social Care)	Click Here
			NHS Infection Prevention Control (Preventing Infection Workbook and Guidance for Health and Social Care, Preventing Infection Workbook and Guidance for staff providing care at home)	Click Here
Virtual College (Infection Prevention and Control)	Click Here			

Unpaid/Informal Carers (web search)

There were no specific learning and development resources identified for unpaid/informal carers.

Local and national level frameworks and guidance

Title	Overview	Link
Care Certificate	Standard 15 sets out requirements of learners in preventing the spread of infection through understanding of main routes, effective hygiene, risks and avoiding risks.	Click Here
Health and Social Care Act 2008	This code of practice on the prevention and control of infections and related guidance sets out the need for good infection preventions, management and processes to ensure people are kept safe.	Click Here
NICE Guidance Infection Prevention and Control	Guidelines to outline quality statements for infection prevention and control. Focuses mostly on healthcare settings but some standards equally apply to social care.	Click Here

Adult social care workforce - Options from West Midlands Endorsed Training Providers

All Skills for Care Endorsed Learning Providers can be found on our website www.skillsforcare.org.uk/learning-development

Local provider (from Endorsed Training Provider Framework)	Topic	Formats available	Resources used (detail from interviews)	More information
Acacia Training Limited	Infection, Harm and Prevention - Level 2 QCF	Face to face Work-based training	<i>Not interviewed</i>	Click Here
Care Training Partnership	Infection Control - 3 hour awareness course and care certificate module	Face to face Work-based training	<i>Not interviewed</i>	Click Here
Dudley Council - DACHS Learning and Development	Awareness Training and Audit support	Face to face Work-based training	<i>Not interviewed</i>	<i>No longer an Endorsed Provider</i>
Hoople Limited	Awareness courses	Face to face Work-based training	QCF materials are standard with any course Skills for Care Skills for Health Local relevant information	Click Here
JS Consultants	Short Courses / Awareness and Care Certificate	Face to face Work-based training	The National Institute of Health and Care Excellence Skills for Care Skills for Health Royal College of Nursing Nursing and Midwifery Council UK Home Care Association Social Care Institute of Excellence Skills for Care guide to Learning and Development CQC Website ACTAN website	Click Here
Options Training	Infection Control Awareness Course	Face to face Work-based training	<i>Not interviewed</i>	Click Here
Quality Care Training Consultancy Ltd	Awareness (3 hours)	Face to face Work-based training	<i>Not interviewed</i>	Click Here

Local provider (from Endorsed Training Provider Framework)	Topic	Formats available	Resources used (detail from interviews)	More information
Shropshire Partners in Care	Awareness (2 hours)	Face to face	Skills for Care Skills for Health SCIE Local stakeholders – Clinical Commissioning Groups, Local Authorities, Health, Charities, Hospices Dementia UK	Click Here
South and City College Birmingham	Part of health and social care diploma (Level 3 to 5)	Face to face Work-based training	Internal Virtual Learning Environment (Moodle) SCIE NICE Guidelines	Click Here
ACCTV - Age Care Channel	Awareness and Care Certificate	Face to face Work-based training	The National Institute of Health and Care Excellence Skills for Care Royal College of Nursing Nursing and Midwifery Council UK Home Care Association Social Care Institute of Excellence	Click Here
HC-ONE	Awareness and Care Certificate	Face to face Work-based training	<i>Not interviewed</i>	Click Here

Local academic institutions

There are a number of academic units available locally which are highly specialised ranging from Level 4-6 certificates through to MSc level qualifications.

Course	Institution	Link
Level 4-6 qualification	Staffordshire University	Click Here
	University of Worcester	Click Here
	University of Wolverhampton	Click Here
	Birmingham City University	Click Here
	University of Keele	Click Here
PG Cert	Staffordshire University	Click Here
PG Dip	Staffordshire University	Click Here
Masters level qualification (Level 7)	Staffordshire University	Click Here
	University of Worcester	Click Here
	University of Wolverhampton	Click Here
	Birmingham City University	Click Here

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