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## Adult Care Worker Apprenticeship Standard Level 2

### Course Details

To work in care is to make a positive difference to someone's life when they are faced with physical, practical, social, emotional or intellectual challenges. Adult Care Workers need to have the right values and behaviours and must develop the competencies and skills required to provide high quality and compassionate person-centred care. As frontline staff, you will help adults with care and support needs achieve their personal goals and live as independently and safely as possible.

### Industry Specific Requirements

Undertake the Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service Process and provide the result to the College prior to starting with your employer.

### Apprenticeship Standard Components

- On Programme Training
- Mock assessments
- End Point Assessment
- Situational judgement test 50%
- Professional Discussion 50%
- Level 2 Diploma in Health and Social Care
- Care Certificate
- Completion of the Self-Assessment exercise in your last month
- Testimonials from service users
- Certification

### Functional Skills

Functional Skills are skills that are needed in a range of activities in education and training, work and life in general.

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The Functional Skills required for this Apprenticeship standard are:

- Maths Level 1
- English Level 1

Successful completion of these functional skills is essential prior to your End Point Assessment. Not all apprentices need to study Functional Skills depending on previously gained qualifications. If you do not have a Level 2 in English and maths you will be required to study for this and sit the test. Further advice will be provided at enrolment.

## **Duration**

The average expected completion time for this framework is 12 to 18 months although it can take longer. Confirmation of duration will be advised on your enrolment to the apprenticeship programme.

## **Earnings**

The National Minimum Wage for an Apprentice is advertised on <https://www.gov.uk/national-minimum-wage-rates>

## **Holidays**

Holidays will be agreed with your employer. Your minimum entitlement is 20 days per year plus Bank Holidays.

## **Progression**

The majority of our apprentices continue to be employed on a full-time basis at the end of the apprenticeship. There are also good opportunities for self-employment or progression to an Advanced Apprenticeship at Level 3.

## **Off The Job Training**

There is a requirement for all apprentices to complete 20% of their time in 'off the job' training. This includes the need to attend Redcar & Cleveland College at least one day a week.

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