

Working in the Health, Care and Childcare industry can offer a very rewarding and fulfilling career. However the need to ensure your staff are suitably qualified is of particular importance.

Whatever your requirements South Tyneside College is able to offer a range of Health, Care and Early Years qualifications to suit all needs. Whether your staff are new to the industry or have worked in it for years, our range of nationally recognised qualifications help you get your business to where you want it to be.

## Health and Care Courses



### **NVQ Levels 2, 3 & 4 in Care**

These qualifications will be of benefit if your staff work in the following care areas:

- Acute Care i.e. hospitals including general, maternity and intensive care
- Physiotherapy
- Mental Health both in hospitals and independent homes in the community
- Special Needs
- Residential Care
- Nursing Homes
- Voluntary Services
- Domiciliary Care

These courses also help with progression to higher education degree programmes, providing further opportunities to increase the skills level of your staff.



### **Registered Managers Awards**

All managers of care organisations must hold this qualification. The course consists of ten units that cover the manager's role and is assessed through assignments and observation.

Completion time may be reduced if students have certificated units, which can be accredited against requirements.

If agencies require a number of staff to attend, it is possible to present the programme on an outreach basis.

Managers must be in possession of relevant professional qualifications including: Registered nurse qualification Diploma in social work (DIPSW); Certificate in Social Services (CSS) or NVQ Level 4 in Care.



### **Foundation Degree in Health and Social Care (University of Sunderland)**

This two year programme will provide the necessary skills, knowledge and understanding to succeed in a range of careers within this field. The course actively promotes good practice and will enable the student to draw upon experiences whilst developing new work based skills.



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### **Effective Communication within Health and Social Care**

This course will enhance communication and interpersonal skills by providing the necessary knowledge and skills that are required for health and social care settings.



### **The Promotion of Care Values**

This course explores the promotion of equality, diversity and rights within the health and social care sector.



### **Protection of Vulnerable Adults (POVA)**

This course explores key legislation relating to abuse and neglect, ensuring that staff are aware of the signs, symptoms and nature of the abuse that could occur whilst working within health.



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