

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 Safety Courses



### Common Induction Standards

All beginners should consider this course as it incorporates all of the essentials including; First Aid, Moving and Handling, Health and Safety and Fire Regulations. Experienced staff can also attend day sessions to update and develop their skills.



### NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Understanding and Prevention of MRSA

This course will increase knowledge of MRSA and its effects on individuals. It will also promote the importance of following policies and procedures set in the workplace.



### Introduction to Infection Control

This course will explore the main routes of infection and establish the ways in which health care professionals can prevent the spread of infection.



### NCFE Level 2 in Infection Control

For anyone wishing to enhance their knowledge of infection control and the management of infectious diseases, this course is ideal.



### NCFE Level 2 in Safer Moving and Handling

This course provides the theoretical knowledge and practical skills to work safely and effectively in the work place.



### HSE Appointed Person in First Aid

This six hour course provides the knowledge and understanding of basic first aid.



### HSE First Aid at Work

This 24-hour course meets the requirements specified in the Health and Safety at Work Act (1982) and is an essential qualification for anyone intending to work as an official 'First Aider' in any work setting.

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### ✔ **Health and Safety within Health and Social Care**

This course introduces the key legislation relating to health and safety in health and social care fields. It will provide an up to date understanding of topics such as fire safety, risk assessment, policies and procedures.

### ✔ **Introduction to Personal Hygiene and Contenance Awareness with Health and Social Care**

This is an ideal way to introduce new staff of how to assist services users with their personal care needs. The course is designed to show new members the variety of continence aids that may be used with service users and how they prevent the spread of infection.

### ✔ **Working with Medication**

Ideal for beginners who want to develop their skills. This course will help your employees gain a knowledge and understanding of good practice whilst handling and administering medication.



### ✔ **Paediatric First Aid**

A 12 hour Course which teaches appropriate CPR/First Aid Skills for the care of infants and children. The course meets Ofsted recommendations and is of benefit to Childminders/Early Years Practitioners.

### ✔ **Emergency First aid for Parents and Child carers**

An additional course is also offered in Emergency First Aid for Parents and Childcares, this 6 hour course is ideal for those who do not need to meet Ofsted requirements.



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