

Care Sector Based Work Academy

Location: Virtual via zoom

A genuine gateway for you to start a career in the Adult Social Care sector. Participants will learn the knowledge required to get a head start, in this fast growing industry.

Once you have completed the training, you will be invited to attend an interview with a local care employer and possibly a work trial. These interviews and work trials are only available to those who complete the course.

Week One - Skills for Confidence

Over three days, you will receive **training** and recognised **qualifications**, as well as increasing your confidence.

We will support you in gaining the self-belief needed to apply for jobs and prepare you not only for interviews but for getting back into the workplace and keeping that all-important job.

The City and Guilds qualifications you could achieve include the following:

- **Effective Communication**
- **Career Planning**
- **Working as part of a team**
- **Investigating rights & responsibilities at work**
- **Interview skills**

Key benefits to you:

- Improve your confidence and knowledge
- Identify your own skills, qualities, experience and qualifications
- Gain professional advice on applying for work
- Create a new CV
- Look at opportunities for employment within the local area
- Learn how to be prepared for an interview
- Learn about your rights and responsibilities as an employee
- Look at your attitudes and behaviors to work

If you would like to know more about taking the right steps towards a promising career, please call TheLightBulb on 01268 270648 or email info@thelightbulb.net



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Week Two - Preparing to Work in Adult Social Care

During the second week you will be actively participating in this highly engaging five day training programme that is accredited by City & Guilds. We will give you the edge at interviews and a solid start to a very worthwhile career path in the Care Sector.

We will provide you with knowledge to help you get a head start on other applicants, in a growing industry. You will learn about:

- **Communication & personal development in adult social care**
- **Diversity, equality & inclusion**
- **Safeguarding & protection in health & social care**
- **The duty of care**
- **The role of the care worker**
- **Person centered approaches**
- **Health & safety in care settings**
- **How to handle information in care**

Part of this qualification involves working with you to ensure you are ready to take the right steps forward into a new job role. You will also gain valuable insight and helpful advice on:

- **Career planning and making applications**
- **Preparing for an interview and interview skills**
- **Effective skills, qualities and attitudes for work & learning**

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Do you want a career that offers:

- Job satisfaction
- Good long-term employment prospects
- The chance to make a real difference to people's lives
- Working environments to suit your preference
- A range of opportunities and a real future
- A job where every day is different

Employment Opportunities in:

- Residential care homes
- Domiciliary/Home care
- Day Care Centre's
- Nursing homes
- And other related roles

