



Level 5 Leader in Adult Care

TYPICAL DURATION: 18 MONTHS

Role Profile

A Leader in Adult Care is responsible for guiding and inspiring a team of care workers. They develop and implement a values-based culture, manage the care team, and ensure regulatory compliance of the care given. They may be responsible for business development and financial control, and they have a responsibility to ensure that the service is safe, effective, caring, responsive, and well-led. Overall, the role of a Leader in Adult Care is critical in ensuring the provision of high-quality care and support to vulnerable individuals.

Course Content

During their apprenticeship, individuals gain skills, knowledge, and behaviours in their chosen role and industry. This includes Treating People with Respect, Communication, Safeguarding, Professional Development

Further Information

Learners will be required to undertake the Enhanced Disclosure and Barring Service process and provide the result prior to starting.

Apprenticeship Assessment

This Apprenticeship has 2 assessment methods.

- Observation of Leadership
- Professional Discussion

Typical Job Roles

Leaders in Adult Care may work in residential or nursing homes, domiciliary care, community day centres, a person's own home or some clinical healthcare settings. The role of Leader in Adult Care in this standard also covers Personal Assistants who operate in a management role but they may only work directly for one individual who needs support and/or care services.

Typical Job Roles include;

Assistant Manager Deputy Manager
Service Manager Unit Manager
Registered Manager

Additional Requirements

English and maths qualifications must be completed in line with the apprenticeship funding rules

Level 5 Diploma in Leadership & Management for Adult Care

Awarding Body

HABC