

Support Worker - Learning Disability

Description

This course is designed for staff members that work with adults who have learning disabilities.

It will provide students with the basic knowledge and skills required to work with this service user group effectively and within the framework of current social care policy.

Duration

A 6-hour course consisting of theoretical and practical work. A large component of the course will include group work.

Syllabus

A wide range of subjects is covered including:

Aetiology of learning disabilities	Person Centred Working
Presentation of Learning Disabilities	Basic epilepsy awareness
Common and associated disabilities	National Care Standards
Dealing with challenging behaviours	

Certification

The course tutor is a First Level Registered Nurse in the field of Learning Disabilities, is a qualified Essential Lifestyle Planning Facilitator, is a member of the Institute of Conflict Management (ICM) and operates to the ICM Code of Practice. Certificates of Attendance are awarded to participants.

Numbers

A maximum of 10 students can be accommodated on this course and must be aged a minimum of 18 years or above.

Location

If the premises are suitable, it may be possible to deliver this course on the client's site, or within Caledonia's Training and Development Centre if preferred.