

## HEALTH & SOCIAL CARE ROUTEWAY – 7 week Routeway course

This Partnership pre-employment 'Routeway' course is delivered in partnership by Leicester College & South Leicestershire College in a city location  
Attendance is 3 days per week, 15 hours/week for 7 weeks

### Course Content

- Investigating Rights & Responsibilities at Work
- Managing your Health at Work
- Creative & Leisure activities for Adults in social care settings
- Job Opportunities in Health & Social Care
- Communicating with Adults & Children in Health & Social Care
- Factors that affect Health & the health needs of different individuals
- Developing Literacy & Numeracy to Level 1, both standalone qualifications

This course leads to an Entry Level BTEC Award in Health and Social Care

### Possible Job Roles

Health Care Assistant  
Housekeeper  
Care Assistant  
Catering / Domestic Assistant

In hospitals or care environments

Temporary or Permanent,  
Full or Part-time Roles

### Minimum Pre-Course Requirements

Currently unemployed & eligible for funding  
Able to read, write and do simple number calculations  
Good interpersonal & communication skills  
Must be committed to working in the care sector & helping people remain healthy & safe  
Empathy & an understanding of confidentiality  
Willingness to work flexible hours  
Over 18 years old & alcohol & drug free  
You must be registered on the City Strategy database

Committed to full attendance on the course



### What Happens After the Course?

- When you complete the course you will be asked by the tutor about your job & work preferences
- This information will then be used by the partnership's job-matching team to link learners to any work experience or guaranteed interview opportunities which have been brokered by the partnership.
- You should continue to work with your advisor who can help you to identify suitable jobs or work experience

## Potential Job Roles in Health & Social Care

This qualification aims to give the adult learner the opportunity to develop skills and knowledge for the health and social care sector.

### JOBS IN HOSPITALS

Health Care Assistant  
Housekeeper  
Ward Clerk  
Porter  
Catering Assistant  
Domestic / Cleaner  
Administrator / Clinic Coordinator

### CRB Checks

Please note that CRB checks will be required for many jobs in Health & Social Care environments

### JOBS IN SOCIAL CARE

Working with people of all ages who need care & support in venues such as private or local authority residential or nursing homes, or in the community i.e. in their own homes.  
Clients could include those with mental health, learning difficulties, physical disabilities or the elderly  
Candidates will need a good understanding of moving & handling skills; health & safety and infection control, and in some roles be prepared to help people with personal care

### Adult Social Care

Domestic / Housekeeper  
Catering / Kitchen Assistant

### Making a difference

People can gain an enormous sense of personal achievement from simply knowing that their job is helping people. It's about making a positive difference to people's lives by contributing to their health, happiness and well-being.

For various reasons and stages in their lives, some people need support to develop and maintain their independence, dignity and control. Social care provides a whole range of services to support adults and older people.

You may not need formal qualifications before beginning a career in social care. There will be plenty of opportunities to acquire more skills, training and qualifications depending on your career ambition.

### Delivered in Partnership:



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