



Pearl Chemist Pharmacy Services NVQ level 2

Pearl Chemist is a busy store situated in the Evington Road area of Leicester. Co-owner Balvinder Hoonjan believes it is important for staff to be trained to the right standards to do their job well and encouraged two dispensing assistants to take their Pharmacy Services level 2 qualification at Leicester College.

Dispensing Assistant, Rahib Rashid said: "Having this training has improved my skills in dispensing, customer service and health and safety and now I am much more confident."

Caring Professions and Pharmacy

Health and Social Care and Childcare is a huge industry which covers a range of settings including public authorities, independent, private, voluntary and community organisations.

We provide training for employees working in social care, healthcare, nursing, welfare, childcare and housing. Offering programmes tailored to employees working with specific

client groups, we recognise and develop the specialist skills needed for this often highly-demanding work.

Pharmacy services are a major part of the modern healthcare system and have close links with big business. Our training will not only allow employees to work within a pharmacy, but will also enable them to understand the surrounding business landscape.





Children and Young People's Workforce Apprenticeship and Intermediate Apprenticeship

Course Code: See below Fees 3
Start Date: Flexible

For employees who are starting a career working with young people and children, apprenticeships offer the perfect starting point for them to gain skills and qualifications which are vital to your business. This Apprenticeship is suitable for those employed in a related role.

What is the training about?

Employees will need to complete a portfolio demonstrating competency and knowledge in their Childcare role.

Who should attend?

Apprenticeships are suitable for new employees and existing staff members.

What routes are available?

Children and Young People's Workforce – Apprenticeship A9597
Children and Young People's Workforce – Advanced Apprenticeship A9553

Training outcomes

This training assess competency and knowledge in a Childcare role. Successful completion allows accreditation and verification of existing skills. Additional Numeracy and Literacy training is provided at level 1 or 2 if required.

Duration

Apprenticeships typically take 18 to 24 months to complete. Advanced Apprenticeships typically take three to four years to complete except where progression is from an Apprenticeship which allows the advanced qualification to be completed in one to two years.

Assessment

Combination of practical assessment and assessment of competency to carry out work tasks. On-line assessments plus a portfolio of work based evidence.

Progression

On completion of an Apprenticeship employees can progress onto an Advanced Apprenticeship. On completion of an Advanced Apprenticeship employees may wish to progress onto a degree.

If you are an employer looking to recruit an Apprentice, we can provide you with access to a pool of potential employees. Please call 0116 224 2240 for more details.

Health and Social Care Apprenticeship and Intermediate Apprenticeship

Course Code: See below Fees 3
Start Date: Flexible

For employees who are starting a career in Health and Social Care, apprenticeships offer the perfect starting point for them to gain skills and qualifications which are vital to your business. This Apprenticeship is suitable for those employed in a Health and Social Care assistants role.

What is the training about?

Employees will need to complete a portfolio demonstrating competency and knowledge in their Health and Social Care role.

Who should attend?

Apprenticeships are suitable for new employees and existing staff members.

What routes are available?

Health and Social Care – Apprenticeship A9551
Health and Social Care – Advanced Apprenticeship A9553

Training outcomes

This training assess competency and knowledge in an Health and Social Care role. Successful completion allows accreditation and verification of existing skills.

Duration

Apprenticeships typically take 18 to 24 months to complete. Advanced Apprenticeships typically take three to four years to complete except where progression is from an Apprenticeship which allows the advanced qualification to be completed in one to two years.

Assessment

Combination of practical assessment and assessment of competency to carry out work tasks. Multiple choice exams and on-line assessments plus a portfolio of work based evidence.

Progression

On completion of an Apprenticeship employees can progress onto an Advanced Apprenticeship. On completion of an Advanced Apprenticeship employees may wish to progress onto appropriate technical level training.

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Pharmacy Services Apprenticeship

Course Code: A9653
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 3

For employees who are starting a career working in a pharmacy, apprenticeships offer the perfect starting point for them to gain skills and qualifications which are vital to your business. This Apprenticeship is suitable for those employed in a related role.

What is the training about?

An Apprenticeship is a work based training programme which allows employees to complement the skills that they learn, develop and use within the workplace with knowledge gained via day release at College.

Who should attend?

Apprenticeships are suitable for new employees though due to the nature of this work, ideally they will need to have a GCSE C or above in English or Maths.

Training outcomes

This training assess competency and knowledge in a Pharmacy Assistant role. Successful completion allows accreditation and verification of existing skills.

Duration

Apprenticeships typically take 18 to 24 months to complete.

Assessment

Employees will need to complete a portfolio demonstrating competency as well as a technical certificate. This involves workplace observations.

Progression

On completion of an Apprenticeship employees can progress onto an Advanced Apprenticeship.

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Children and Young People's Workforce level 2 QCF Certificate

Course Code: A9595
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 2

What is the training about?

It meets the needs of employees who work, or desire to work in a variety of childcare and young people's settings for example in the roles of a care worker, childminder or a nursery nurse.

Who should attend?

Employees will need to be working as a volunteer or employed and the employer/manager will need to agree to them undertaking this qualification at their workplace. This will be checked at the start of the qualification.

Training outcomes

On completion of the training employees will also be able to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of child growth and development, and communication.

Duration

The training is completed within 36 weeks.

Assessment

Employees will need to complete a portfolio demonstrating competency and knowledge in their Childcare role. This involves workplace observations and other assessment methods.

Progression

Employees can potentially progress to a level 3 in Children and Young People's Workforce. This will enable employment as a nursery nurse.

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Children and Young People's Workforce level 3 QCF Certificate

Course Code: A9599
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 2

What is the training about?

It meets the needs of employees who work in a variety of childcare and young people's settings for example in the roles of a care worker, childminder, nursery nurse or a youth and community worker.

Who should attend?

Employees will need to be employed and the employer/manager will need to agree to them undertaking the qualification at their workplace. This will be checked at the start of the qualification.

Training outcomes

On completion of the training employees will also be able to demonstrate a greater knowledge and understanding of child growth and development, and communication.

Duration

The training is completed within 12 months.

Assessment

Employees will need to complete a portfolio demonstrating competency and knowledge in their childcare role. This involves workplace observations and other assessment methods.

Progression

Employees can progress to employment as a level 3 nursery officer within the childcare setting or a senior role in a residential environment or progression to level 5 in Leadership and Management if they are in a senior role.

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Children, Families and Community Health Foundation Degree

Course Code: A7744

Fees 2

Start Date: 6 September 2011

What is the training about?

It is designed for people who would like a career in the broad Care Industries working with children, families and communities.

Who should attend?

It will interest those pursuing a career in any of the caring professions, particularly those caring for children up to four years of age who wish to update their qualifications. Employees wishing to study the Foundation Degree are required to have previously attained:

- GCSE English grade C or equivalent (without this you will be asked to complete a Literacy test) and normally a minimum of 100 UCAS points to include either:
- Relevant Access to HE course
- A level 3 (Nat Dip, NVQ) award in a related subject
- At least one A2 level in a related subject.

Training outcomes

The training develops personal and study skills and/or enhances qualifications with the opportunity of progressing onto a full Honours degree on completion. The modules cover a range of subjects including: the development of personal and study skills, community, health and wellbeing, introduction to child development, early years development, foundations in psychology, strategies for parenting.

The work-based learning element incorporated initially in the level 1 module Personal and Skills Development, places employees in a suitable work-based setting, eg a crèche or play group, for an average of two to three hours per week to develop practical skills.

Duration

This course, is available both as a full and part-time course. Typically it will take two years full-time and three years part-time. Please call 0116 224 2240 for the latest timings.

Assessment

Exams and continuous assessment.

Progression

This course is franchised by De Montfort University and a formal progression route onto the third year of the BA(Hons) degree at the University exists.



Health and Social Care level 2 QCF Diploma

Course Code: A9541
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 2

What is the training about?

It recognises the skills and competencies required in the workplace. Suitable for most types of organisation within the health and social care sector.

Who should attend?

Employees must be working within the health and social care sector.

Training outcomes

Upon successful completion employees will have gained an understanding and will be part of making real change in peoples lives and gain knowledge and skills relating to the Health and Social Care sector.

Duration

Between six to nine months.

Assessment

Continuous assessment via various methods including, observation, oral and written, questioning, witness testimony, and reflective accounts. You will need to complete a range of units demonstrating competency in the workplace and build a portfolio for your QCF.

Progression

On successful completion, employees will have a nationally recognised qualification that assesses existing skills and further develops new ones. Employees can progress onto the QCF level 3 if their job role enables them to demonstrate the necessary competencies.

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Health and Social Care level 3 QCF Diploma

Course Code: A9543
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 2

What is the training about?

It the skills and competencies required in the workplace. Suitable for most types of organisation within the health and social care sector.

Who should attend?

Employees must be working within the health and social care sector.

Training outcomes

It confirms competencies in areas of Health and Social Care that are appropriate and is the required qualification for registration and regulatory requirements in the social care sector in England.

Duration

Between nine to 12 months.

Assessment

Continuous assessment via various methods, which include, observation, oral and written, questioning, witness testimony, and reflective accounts.

Progression

On successful completion, employees will have a nationally recognised qualification that accredits existing skills and further develops new ones. Employees could look to progress onto a senior role/management role or to a level 5 in Leadership and Management if they are already in a senior role.

Personal Care (Group)

Course Code: A6294
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 2

What is the training about?

It is designed to support delegates who deliver personal care by providing knowledge of the service-users needs and stages of care. A comprehensive induction will take place and employees will have access to support from a tutor.

Who should attend?

Delegates who are working with clients requiring personal care.

Training outcomes

Delegates who successfully complete the training will benefit from a greater understanding of the delivery of personal care. It is designed to support employees who deliver personal care by providing knowledge of the service-users needs and stages of care.

Duration

One day per week for three weeks.

Assessment

There is no formal assessment.

Progression

There are a wide range of vocationally relevant qualifications available to all care workers, which employees may wish to consider.

Leicester College is now able to offer a recruitment service to businesses at no cost to you the employer.

We provide a wide range of high quality training programmes which ensures that, learners come to you with the skills ready for work. Most training programmes can be tailored to meet your individual business requirements.

By sharing your vacancy details with us we can support you to find the right candidates for your business.

For further details call us on 0116 224 2240.



Pharmacy Services Skills QCF level 2 QCF Certificate

Course Code: A9649
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 2
Duration: Flexible

What is the training about?

This training has been designed for those working in a pharmacy setting, either in the community or in a hospital. The training reflects recent changes in the National Occupational Standards as developed by Skills for Health.

Who should attend?

Employees who are working or volunteering within the Pharmacy sector.

Training outcomes

Upon completion, the employee will be confident in most aspects of working in a pharmacy/dispensary such as:

- assisting with the provision of pharmacy services
- assisting with the sale of medicines and products
- receiving prescriptions from individuals
- ordering, receiving, maintaining and assisting with the issue of pharmaceutical stock
- assembling and assisting with the issuing of prescribed items
- assisting with the manufacture and assembly of medicinal products
- assisting with the preparation of documentation, materials and other items for manufacture.

Duration

Six to nine months.

Assessment

Assessment is continuous through a variety of methods such as observation, witness testimonies (required from suitably qualified members of the team), written evidence as well as reflective accounts of the employees working practice.

Progression

After completing the level 2 qualification employees can progress onto the level 3 Diploma in Pharmacy Service Skills.

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Understanding the Safe Handling of Medicines

Course Code: A7094
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 2
Duration: Four months

What is the training about?

It aims to provide employees with an increased understanding of the use of medication and its possible side effects. This training is studied by distance learning with tutor support.

Who should attend?

Employees working in a care setting, who are involved with the administration of medicines or the support of clients receiving medication.

Training outcomes

By the end of the training, employees should have:

- an understanding of medication and prescription
- supply, storage and disposal of medication
- an understanding of the requirement for the safe administration of medication
- a knowledge of record keeping and audit processes for medication, administration and storage.

Duration

Four months.

Assessment

Workbooks are assessed and moderated.

Progression

This may lead to further career progression and help speed up the study of some of the QCF Diploma qualification. Alternatively other distance learning packages are available in infection control, dementia awareness, equality and diversity, and healthy eating.





Youth Work level 3 Certificate

Course Code: A9772
Start Date: Flexible

Fees 2

What is the training about?

It is designed to provide opportunities for youth workers in paid, full or part time, employment. The training aids employees to gain an understanding of the knowledge and practical skills in youth work.

Who should attend?

Employees will need their employer/manager to agree to them undertaking the QCF qualification in the workplace. This will be checked at the start of the qualification.

Training outcomes

This training covers a range of youth work topics including:

- value, ethics and self-esteem in youth work
- group work with young people
- learning and developing in youth work
- maintaining effective working relationships in a youth work setting
- using information and decision-making in youth work setting
- advocacy for young people
- researching needs and provision for young people
- key organisations, agencies and individuals that support young people.

Duration

Nine months.

Assessment

A variety of continuous assessment methods will be carried out eg, written evidence, reflective account and observation. Employees will also need to demonstrate knowledge and understanding of youth work values.

Progression

Employees can progress to a University level course or look to progress to employment as a youth work leader or community worker.

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