

Medication for Care Workers

Course Duration Who is the course aimed at Course Standard Number of seats Type of Training 3-4 Hours* All Grade Health and Social Care Workers Course is assessed and certificated 15 maximum Face to Face

Course Pre-requisites

Organisations should provide a copy of their medication policy and also medication recording charts prior to the course being delivered so that Ace Care can ensure these policies are communicated to candidates and for assessment purposes.

Each candidate will be required to demonstrate their competence at handling a compliance aid for medication and at completing a medication record satisfactorily.

Assessment sheet will be completed at the end of the course.

Course Content

- Legal position on administration of medication including CSCI regulations and guidance.
- Misuse of drugs Act 1971
- What is a drug
- Methods of administration
- Limits, roles and responsibilities of care workers
- CQC Regulations and Guidance
- Routes of administration
- Side effects
- Prescription principles
- Covert administration
- Recording
- Various monitored dosage systems. (Nomad, Dosset and Venalink as well as blister packs)

Venue Requirements

Refreshments to be provided by the client.

Equipment Needed

Handouts and workbooks will be provided. Candidates need to bring notepaper and pens with them.

Other Notes

*Please note that the length of the course is approximate and depends upon the number of candidates attending and the level of participation from them.

Location may vary and is subject to availability.

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