



# SENIOR HEALTHCARE SUPPORT WORKERS Apprenticeship

## All you need to know



## Senior Healthcare Support Worker Apprenticeship

A Senior Healthcare Support Worker helps registered practitioners deliver healthcare services to people. An experienced support worker will carry out a range of clinical and non-clinical healthcare or therapeutic tasks, under the direct or indirect supervision of the registered healthcare practitioner.

They provide high quality, compassionate healthcare, following standards, policies or protocols and always acting within the limits of your competence. They may work in a range of services e.g. hospital, community, health or day care unit, birth centre or midwifery led unit, someone's home, operating theatre, nursing or care home, assessment centre, hospice, school,

prison, GP surgery, charity or voluntary organisation; working in partnership with individuals, families, carers and other service providers.

The occupational areas cover adult nursing support, maternity support, theatre support, mental health support, children and young people support, allied health profession - therapy support.

Access Training will work with you to design a training package covering all the essential skills, behaviours and knowledge to provide a quality Senior Healthcare Support Worker.

### What's Involved?

Apprentices will gain a good understanding of the key responsibilities and skills needed to work successfully in this role including:

- *Care Certificate*
- *Health and wellbeing*
- *Duty of care and candour, safeguarding, equality and diversity*
- *Person centred care, treatment and support*
- *Communication*
- *Personal, people and quality improvement*
- *Health, safety and security*
- *Occupation Specific behaviour, skills and knowledge*
- *Maths and English Functional skills to level 2 \**

*\*if not already achieved*

# More about Apprenticeships

An Apprenticeship is a real job with an accompanying skills development programme. It is a way to earn while they learn and gain valuable skills and knowledge in a specific job role.

They must spend at least 20% of their time on off-the-job training which will consist of a wide mix of learning in the workplace, workshops, e-learning, mentoring, self-study and the opportunity to practise new skills at work. Apprenticeships typically last between 12 – 24 months and our roll-on, roll-off model means there is no waiting for course start dates.

## THE 6 STEP APPRENTICESHIP JOURNEY



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