

## Access to Higher Education Unit

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**Unit Title:** Social Work and Elderly People

**Graded Unit Reference Number:** GA33SOW07

**Ungraded Unit Reference Number:** UA33SOW07

**Module:** Social Work

**Level:** Three (3)

**Credit Value:** Three (3)

**Minimum Guided Learning Hours:** 30

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Understand demographic factors that relate to the ageing population	1.1 Explain the changes in the age profile of the population and the increasing demand that this places on services
2. Understand key aspects of current legislation and policy in relation to Social Care Services for the elderly	2.1 Explain key features of recent legislation and policy such as 'care management' and 'personalisation'
	2.2 Explain and evaluate the role of social workers in relation to recent legislation and policy
3. Understand the range of services that may be provided for elderly people	3.1 Explain and evaluate services for elderly people such as residential care, nursing home care, day care, home care, meals on wheels etc