

Quality Endorsed Unit

This unit does not form part of a regulated qualification.

Unit Title: Pregnancy Counselling Skills

Unit Reference Number: PS2/3/WR/012

Level: 3

Credit Value: 6

Minimum Guided Learning Hours: 60

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Understand how attitudes, values and beliefs impact on pregnancy counselling.	1.1 Discuss relevant issues of value and belief and how these may differ from those of the client.
	1.2 Evaluate arguments both for and against abortion.
	1.3 Evaluate areas of own prejudice.
2. Understand the advantages of networking with other agencies and explore areas of good practice in pregnancy counselling.	2.1 Discuss the value of networking with other agencies.
	2.2 Evaluate areas of good practice within pregnancy counselling.
3. Be able to recognise personal awareness and growth.	3.1 Evaluate personal growth and development.
4. Understand the nature and process of post-abortion support.	4.1 Explore stages of the helping process by considering case histories.
5. Be able to use skills of listening and responding appropriately in the counselling relationship.	5.1 Use appropriate body language, eye contact, non-verbal behaviour.
	5.2 Reflect back client's thoughts and feelings.
	5.3 Use appropriate questions.
	5.4 Use information in appropriate ways.
	5.5 Begin to explore new perspectives.