

Open Awards

Quality Endorsed Unit



1 Unit Details

Unit Title:	Independent Living: Referrals and Advice
Unit Reference Number:	PT2/1/WR/001
Level:	1
Credit Value:	1

2 Learning Outcomes and Criteria

Learning Outcome (The Learner will):	Assessment Criterion (The Learner can):
1. Understand the meaning of disability and how this may impact a person's everyday life	1.1 Identify factors which may impact on an individual including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Lifestyle b) Daily living skills c) Communication d) Barriers
	1.2 Outline the main aspects of legislation regarding disability including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Policies and procedures b) Codes of practice standards c) Frameworks and guidance
2. Understand how to support those living with a disability	2.1 Define the medical and social models of disability
	2.2 Outline a range of methods of communication in relation to sensory, physical, and cognitive difficulties.
	2.3 Identify how to build a rapport with an individual considering: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Beliefs b) Culture c) Support Needs d) Roles and Responsibilities
3. Understand how to access relevant resources to support an individual's needs	3.1 Outline the support the following agencies offer and their pathways: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Local authority b) NHS-led services c) Local voluntary agencies

d) Local charities		
	3.2	Identify the variety of basic equipment available for an individual
4. Know about the role of a trusted assessor	4.1	Identify what a Trusted Assessor is and how can they support an individual