

Dementia

Overview

The aim of this course is to provide an understanding in caring for service users/clients with Dementia and considerations in the planning and implementing of personalised care. This topic covers a vast range of outcomes and the team at Quest will work with you to ensure that the course package is tailored to meet the needs of your specific environment and client base. This package is accredited by Dr Gemma Jones and can be delivered as a bespoke overall introduction or a more intensive insight.

Who will benefit?

This package is for staff, family carers, personal assistants, health care assistants, support workers or senior support workers working with clients that have Dementia, or those people intending to work with clients with Dementia.

Course Duration

This package can be offered as a half day introduction or tailored to meet the needs of your business which is delivered over a specific number of sessions based on the individual requirements.

Outcomes

This tailored programme will benefit your business by enabling staff to meet the complex needs of clients with Dementia and covers some of the following topics;

- to improve the understanding and quality of work with clients with Dementia in a variety of work settings
- understand the definition of Dementia, common types, causes, signs and symptoms
- understand the need for positive and effective communication
- Looking at different forms of speech and language and the importance of non-verbal communication in clients with more advanced Dementia
- understand the roles and responsibilities of individuals, services and organisations in relation to Dementia
- the impact of chronic illnesses
- how to develop, adapt and maintain environments to support clients with Dementia