

Course Overview

Course Title: Manual Handling of People Duration: 1 Day

Broad Aims: To give the learners knowledge and skills in Moving & Handling people within the care setting using a number of approaches, strategies and techniques which are person centered.

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Manual Handling Operations Regulations 1992, as amended in 2002 ('the lations') apply to a wide range of manual handling activities which de lifting, lowering, pushing, pulling or carrying. HSC 232 1.1 HSC 232 1.2 HSC 232 2.1 HSC 232 2.1 HSC 232 3.1 HSC 232 3.3 HSC 232 3.4 HSC 232 3.5	
earner will develop knowledge and experience in a number of different ual handling techniques which can be used in a number of situations ving people and/or objects. HSC 232 3.6 HSC 232 3.7 HSC 232 5.1 HSC 232 5.1 HSC 232 5.2 HSC 232 5.3 HSC 232 5.5 HSC 232 5.5 HSC 232 5.7 HSC 232 5.7	
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Learning Outcomes:

- Define the term ' Manual Handling'
- List the activities and factors associated with muscular-skeletal injuries
- Identify how a muscular-skeletal injury can affect the individual, the employer and society
- Describe the basic structure of the spine
- Identify measures to prevent muscular-skeletal injuries and other disorders
- Cite the relevant pieces of legislation and outline their implications
- Describe employers' and employees' responsibilities
- Define ergonomics and discuss its application in the workplace
- Cite the principles of safer handling of loads
- Identify the 4 key areas and other related factors to be considered when undertaking a safer handling risk assessment
- Undertake a formal risk assessment of an inanimate loads
- Identify how the principles of safer handling can be applied to the moving of awkward loads
- Outline the importance of good posture and the application of ergonomic principles

- Safely demonstrate the following techniques: Pushing and pulling;
- Lifting a load from the floor or low level; Appropriate position whilst seated at a desk
- To discuss, demonstrate and practice the correct techniques according to the WGLA Manual Handling Passport Scheme for Sitting, Standing and walking a person using minimal support, 1 handler support and 2 handler support.
- To discuss, demonstrate and practice the correct techniques according to the WGLA All Wales Manual Handling Passport Scheme for moving a person in, to and from bed using minimal support, 1 handler support and 2 handler support using handling aides where appropriate.
- To discuss, demonstrate and practice the correct techniques according to the WGLA All Wales Manual Handling Passport Scheme for hoisting a person using minimal support, 1 handler support and 2 handler support and appropriate handling slings and hoists where appropriate.
- Discuss with the delegates the sources of information that is available for moving and handling of people. Refer to the Handling of People 6th edition, Physiotherapists, Occupational Therapists etc.