



# Step Up Training and Care

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Qualification Name	<b>iCQ Level 2 Certificate in the Awareness and Prevention of Falls</b>
Qualification achieved	iCQ Level 2 Certificate in the Awareness and Prevention of Falls 603/4859/8

Step Up Training and Care have been reviewed by the QACLS (Quality Assured Care Learning Service) for delivery of this qualification. This service from the Department of Health and Social Care will review the quality of individual courses and qualifications delivered by training providers to ensure that training and development is of good quality, easily accessible, meets the needs of the workforce and users of care services. We have met all these standards and therefore proud to be approved to display the QACLS logo against this qualification.



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Qualification Structure
<p>You will be assigned a personal assessor who will help guide you through the learning criteria for this qualification, delivered as a distance learning qualification.</p> <p>Learners will be required to undertake personal research and complete assignments in line with the qualification criteria. Work is submitted through building a portfolio of evidence which is submitted as an e-portfolio</p> <p>There are no exams required to pass this qualification. We do not require an observation of the learner in practice.</p>
Qualification Duration
<p>The total qualification duration for this course is 140 hours.</p> <p>We recommend 120 guided learning hours for this course.</p> <p>This equates to approximately a 6 week timescale but is dependent on a learner being engaged in their studies, submitting evidence to match the learning criteria usually on a weekly basis to your personal assessor</p>
Costs
<p>This course is £315</p>

If you are an employer and seeking your employee(s) to undertake this qualification, please note this qualification attracts funding from government pathways. The funding is delivered through the Learning and Development Support Scheme (LDSS) offered by the Department of Health and Social Care (DHSC). Employers make this claim on behalf of the employee; the LDSS scheme cannot and will not accept any claims from an individual. Step Up Training and Care cannot make the claim on behalf of any individual or employer, details of the scheme can be found here [Learning and Development Support Scheme for the adult social care workforce: a guide for employers - GOV.UK](#)

The rules for this scheme state employers pay an initial 60% of the qualification cost to Step up Training and Care, they then claim that outlay back from the LDSS scheme. Then upon completion and certification of studies the remaining 40% is paid to Step Up Training and Care and then claimed back from the LDSS scheme.

Individuals looking to undertake this qualification and paying for this personally will be offered options on how to pay for this course, including payments in full on registration or payment via a mutually agreed instalment plan. Individuals paying personally will not qualify for any funding reimbursements.

#### Who can enrol for this course?

Must be age 16+.

This course is for workers where the assistance and movement of people is part of their role.

#### Entry requirements

There are no specific entry requirements however learners should have a minimum Entry Level 1 in Literacy or numeracy or equivalent.

#### Who is this qualification suitable for?

The purpose of this qualification is to develop learners' knowledge and understanding of falls prevention, in the context of health and social care

This qualification is suitable for:

- Those starting work in a Healthcare setting
- Those returning to work in a healthcare setting
- Those needing specific training
- Care workers
- Personal Assistant

The objective of the qualification is to prepare learners for employment or to support a role in the workplace. The qualification is suitable for those starting work, returning to work or who need specific training in the movement of people safely, as well as being a suitable qualification for safety refresher training.

#### Certification

Upon successful completion of this qualification, you will be issued with a hard copy of your certificate.

#### Enrolment

Full details of how to enrol on this qualification can be found on our website, under the section Enrolment.

#### Module Content

To achieve the qualification learners must achieve all units in the mandatory group.

There are 4 Units in the mandatory group

- A/617/6932 Understanding the context of falls
- F/617/6933 Understanding the factors and risks of falls
- J/617/6934 Understanding the assessment, recording and reporting requirements of falls
- L/617/6935 Understanding best practice in relation to falls management