

Infection Prevention and Control in Healthcare Settings - Level 2 Certificate (NCFE)

This qualification is designed for individuals who wish to gain an understanding of the prevention and control of infection within healthcare settings.

This qualification aims to help you to understand:

- The meaning and importance of infection control
- The causes of infections, the conditions in which they thrive and the ways that they can be spread
- Methods used to prevent and control the spread of infection

You can enrol on our FREE distance learning courses from the comfort of your own home, with all workbooks and assessments available online with the help of your tutor who will be assigned to support you throughout your training. All you'll need is a computer (laptop or PC, Windows, or Mac), tablet and access to the internet.

Awarding body: NCFE/CACHE

Duration of course: 2-3 Months

Guided learning hours: 111

WHAT WILL I STUDY?

To be awarded the Level 2 Certificate in the Principles of the Prevention and Control of Infection in Health Care Settings, learners are required to successfully complete 4 mandatory units:

- Unit 01 – Principles of the causes and spread of infections
- Unit 02 – Principles of the importance of personal hygiene and health in the prevention and control of infection
- Unit 03 – Principles of decontamination, cleaning and waste management
- Unit 04 – Principles of infection prevention and control in a Health Care settings

Time: This is an online course that you can work on at your own pace. You will be allocated a tutor to provide you with online guidance and support.

Duration: This course typically takes 2-3 months to complete

Venue: Online

WHAT WILL I NEED?

To enrol with us you must live in London or a non-devolved area of England and:

- Be aged 19 or over
- Be able to provide a British or Irish Passport with three years' residency in the EU/EEA or
- Have a European Union Settlement Scheme residence (EUSS) with three years' residency in the EU/EEA and UK and have lived in the UK prior to 31 December 2020 or
- Have a biometric residence card permitting study in the UK along with having lived in the UK for the at least the last three years and
- Be able to provide current proof of JSA, IS, UC or ESA or proof of salary

You will be contacted and asked to complete a short English assessment and enrolment, online or at the college.

WHAT WILL IT COST?

FREE – If you meet the eligibility criteria

WHAT CAN I DO AFTER?

The qualification can support progression to further sector-specific training and qualifications for the following types of roles:

- Health and Social Care
- Nursing Assistant
- Care Assistant

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