

NVQ level 4 in Leadership and Management for Care Services

This NVQ is for those working in a leadership and management role for care services. It is designed for full or part time managers who could be working in a range of settings including adults, children and or young people

Candidate entry requirements

There are no formal entry requirements for candidates undertaking this N/SVQ, However centres must ensure that candidates are in a position where they can consistently demonstrate competence and the application of knowledge

Performance evidence requirements

In order to complete this qualification, candidates must provide evidence of experience of providing Leadership and Management for Care Services to more than one individual

Knowledge evidence requirements

Candidates must be able to apply the specified knowledge and understanding to their work practice and therefore, most usually, knowledge and understanding will be apparent in candidates' performance evidence. If the assessor cannot positively infer the knowledge and understanding from candidates' work practice they should question the candidate or, if appropriate, use professional discussion to elicit the required knowledge. Assessors must retain records of questions and answers or the focus and outcomes of professional discussion.

Qualification Structure

This level 4 qualification contains four core units. All candidates undertake the four core units plus four optional units from a wide variety of units to suit the individual work environmet

Core units

LMCA1	Manage and develop yourself and your workforce within care services
LMCB1	Lead and manage provision of care services that respects, protects and promotes the rights and responsibilities of people
LMCC1	Develop and maintain systems, procedures and practice of care services to manage risks and comply with health and safety requirements
LMCE1	Lead and manage effective communication that promotes positive outcomes for people within care services