

HNC SOCIAL CARE – FRAMEWORK

GROUP AWARD CODE – G7ME 15

The HNC will be awarded on successful completion of a total of 12 credits. The HNC carries 96 SCQF credit points at SCQF level 7.

ROUTE 1

MANDATORY UNITS

Mandatory credits - 9

UNIT TITLE	CODE	CREDIT VALUE	SCQF LEVEL
Social Care Theory for Practice	DH3K 34	2	7
Social Policy and its Application to Social Services Provision	DH3L 34	1	7
Psychology for Social Care Practice	DH3M 34	1	7
Sociology for Social Care Practice	DH3N 34	1	7
Social Care: Graded Unit 1	F291 34	1	7
Social Care: Graded Unit 1 (Lapse Date: 31.12.2006)	DH46 34	1	7
Promote Effective Communication for and about Individuals	DK4R 04	1	SVQ Unit
Promote, Monitor and Maintain Health, Safety and Security in the Working Environment	DK4K 04	1	SVQ Unit
Reflect on and Develop your Practice	DK57 04	1	SVQ Unit

OPTIONAL UNITS

*Group A – Specialist Optional Units – a minimum of 1 credit **must** be selected. 2 credits may be chosen but not both SVQ Units.*

UNIT TITLE	CODE	CREDIT VALUE	SCQF LEVEL
Protection of Individuals from Possible Harm and Abuse	DH3P 34	1	7
Promote Choice, Well-being and the Protection of all Individuals	DK41 04	1	SVQ Unit
Promote the Well-being and Protection of Children and Young People	DK4H 04	1	SVQ Unit

Group B – Optional Units – 2 credits to be selected or 1 credit if both units selected from option group A

UNIT TITLE	CODE	CREDIT VALUE	SCQF LEVEL
Mental Health Issues in a Care Setting	DH44 34	1	7
Working with Problematic Substance Use	DH3R 35	1	8
Contribute to Meeting Health Care Needs	DH3T 34	1	7
Youth and Community Justice	DH42 34	1	7
Working in Partnership with People who have a Learning Disability	DH3V 34	1	7
Understanding Loss and the Process of Grief	DH3W 34	1	7
Supporting Spiritual Wellbeing	DH3X 34	0.5	7

ROUTE 1**OPTIONAL UNITS (continued)**

Stress Management	DH3Y 35	0.5	8
Social Care: Housing Support	F210 34	1	7
Social Care: Homelessness	F211 34	1	7
Supervision in Care Settings	DH40 35	1	8
Understanding Dementia	DH41 34	1	7
Counselling Awareness for Social Care	DH43 34	0.5	7
Team Working in Care Settings	DG5D 35	1	8
Personal Development Planning	DE3R 34	1	7
Working with Autism	DH45 34	1	7
Understanding and Supporting Behaviour	DJ1N 34	1	7
Diet and Nutrition in Relation to Health	DJ1P 34	0.5	7
Caring for Young People in Secure Care Settings	DM0F 34	1.0	7
Supporting and Managing Provision in Secure Care Settings	DM0G 35	1.0	8
Supporting Children and Families	DM79 34	1.0	7
Managing Resources in Care Services	DV0L 35	1	8
Supporting and Managing the Protection of Individuals	DV0K 35	1	8
Workplace Communication in English	DE1K 33	1	6

ROUTE 2**MANDATORY UNITS***Mandatory credits - 6*

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Social Care Theory for Practice	DH3K 34	2	7
Social Policy and its Application to Social Services Provision	DH3L 34	1	7
Psychology for Social Care Practice	DH3M 34	1	7
Sociology for Social Care Practice	DH3N 34	1	7
Social Care: Graded Unit 1	F291 34	1	7
Social Care: Graded Unit 1 (Lapse Date: 31.12.2006)	DH46 34	1	7

SVQ COMPONENT*1 SVQ group award from the following will contribute 4.0 credits towards the HNC*

UNIT TITLE	CODE	CREDIT VALUE	SCQF LEVEL
SVQ Care level 3	G45R 23 or G45P 23	4	
SVQ Promoting Independence level 3	G45T 23 or G45S 23	4	
SVQ Caring for Children and Young People level 3	G6H3 23	4	
SVQ Care: Supported Living level 3	G43T 23 or G439 23	4	
SVQ Care: Promoting Independence level 3	G438 23 or G43S 23	4	

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Contribute to Meeting Health Care Needs	DH3T 34	1	7
Youth and Community Justice	DH42 34	1	7

ROUTE 2

OPTIONAL UNITS (continued)

Working in Partnership with People who have a Learning Disability	DH3V 34	1	7
Understanding Loss and the Process of Grief	DH3W 34	1	7
Supporting Spiritual Wellbeing	DH3X 34	0.5	7
Stress Management	DH3Y 35	0.5	8
Social Care: Housing Support	F210 34	1	7
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Managing Resources in Care Services	DV0L 35	1	8
Supporting and Managing the Protection of Individuals	DV0K 35	1	8
Workplace Communication in English	DE1K 33	1	6