

# Update to National 5 Care Course



We have updated the Course Assessment Specification and Course Specification for National 5 Care. This follows feedback gathered from centres during session 2014–15.

The updated Course Assessment Specification and Course Specification are now available on SQA's website and are dated 'August 2015'.

Please refer to the following 'Notification of Changes' tables for your curricular area, as these provide a summary of the changes to each document and include details of the revised version numbers.

- [Health and Wellbeing National 3 to National 5 Notification of Changes Log](#)
- [Health and Wellbeing Higher Notification of Changes Log](#)

Notification of Changes tables for all subjects are available from [www.sqa.org.uk/cfesubjectchanges](http://www.sqa.org.uk/cfesubjectchanges)

Further information on the reasons for these changes, and guidance on the next steps to take, is provided below.

Subject	Document	Reason for change	Next steps for centres
National 5 Care	Course Assessment Specification	<p>The project purpose previously referred to an investigation into 'the needs of individuals requiring care'. This wording has been amended to 'the needs of an individual requiring care' to clarify the requirement for one individual to be investigated.</p> <p>A statement has been added to reiterate that the submission of the candidate log books with the projects is mandatory.</p>	Centres are advised to download new copies of the revised document.
National 5 Care	Course Specification	<p>The 'Course assessment' section refers to learners investigating 'the needs of individuals requiring care'. This has now been amended to 'the needs of an individual requiring care' to clarify the requirement for one individual to be investigated.</p>	Centres are advised to download new copies of the revised document.