

Aims of the Award

General Aims

This Award is for people who operate within the community safety arena and has a broad range of aims which are to:

1. Develop your occupational skills
2. Enable you to gain credit within the Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework (SCQF)
3. Develop a range of transferable skills applicable to other relevant occupational roles
4. Develop study and research skills

Specific Aims

This Award will enable you to:

1. Assess crime risks in the built environment, apply crime reduction methods and make recommendations to reduce crime
2. Apply a problem solving partnership approach to social crime reduction issues
3. Design and deliver effective presentations
4. Compose and effectively deliver information to the media
5. Improve your professional effectiveness by means of developing your practical skills and knowledge in community safety.

Through participation in this PDA, you will work through practical and applied professional development activities directly relevant to your chosen field. The overarching aim is to develop both your personal and professional capacity and capability.