

Disability Discrimination Act

Aim

A one day course to support participants to explore and expand their understanding of disability awareness and how it affects working practice

Target Group

Staff at all levels, working in Social Care or Health settings, who need to develop their understanding of the Disability Discrimination Act and its application in work settings

Times

10.00am - 4.30pm

Course Content

- Current understanding of disability awareness
- Understanding the barriers to access in the lives of disabled people
- What is a “reasonable adjustment”?
- Exploring some of the myths and prejudices which exist in society concerning various disabilities
- Discuss how this affects work practice (strengths and challenges)
- Evaluate the main points of the Disability Discrimination Act 1995
- Legal issues

Training Methods

This is a practical course which will use a mixture of training methods. These include short tutor inputs, and small and large group work. The use of experiential exercises will give participants the chance to practice applying their new knowledge. Comprehensive course handouts will be provided for each participant.

Prices are inclusive all materials (certificates and handouts), lunches and refreshments.