



Supporting the needs of Adults with Profound and Multiply Learning Disabilities level 2

This is a two day course accredited by NOCN
On this course you will

- **AC 1. Know what PMLD means, including the impact of PMLD on the individual.**
 - 1.1 Describe the term "PMLD".
 - 1.2 Identify the health needs of an individual with PMLD.
 - 1.3 Describe the everyday needs of individuals with profound complex needs.
 - 1.4 Describe specific health issues that are more prevalent in people with PMLD than in the general population.
- **AC 2. Be able to describe the impact which a communication impairment has on individual with PMLD.**
 - 2.1 Identify two different forms of communication used by individuals with PMLD.
 - 2.2 Describe barriers to effective communication with individuals with PMLD
- **AC 3. Be able to identify good practice in communication with individuals with PMLD**
 - 3.1 Outline methods of good practice in communicating with individuals with PMLD.
 - 3.2 Describe the different stages of pre communication.
 - 3.3 Describe activities that can be used to develop the communication skills of individuals with PMLD.
- **AC 4. Be able to explain how sensory exercises impact on individuals with PMLD.**
 - 4.1 Outline ways to support individuals through the use of sensory exercises.
 - 4.2 Describe a range of sensory activities.
 - 4.3 Describe how adaptations can be made to a sensory exercise to meet the needs of a diverse group of people with PMLD.
- **AC 5. Be able to describe ways current legislation has impacted on individuals with PMLD**
 - 5.1 Outline two examples of how current legislation impacts on individuals with PMLD.
 - 5.2 Describe values that underpin the support given to individuals with PMLD. .