



## Supporting the needs of Adults with Profound and Multiply Learning Disabilities level 3

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

- **AC 1. Interpret what PMLD means, explaining factors that influence the health needs of these individuals**
  - 1.1 Explain the term "PMLD".
  - 1.2 Explain the health needs of an individual with PMLD
  - 1.3 Explain the everyday needs of individuals with profound complex needs.
  - 1.4 Summarise specific health issues that are more prevalent in people with PMLD than in the general population.
  
- **AC 2. Be able to evaluate the impact which a communication impairment has on individual with PMLD.**
  - 2.1 Evaluate two different forms of communication used by individuals with PMLD.
  - 2.2 Explain barriers to effective communication with individuals with PMLD.
  - 2.3 Define methods of good practice in communicating with individuals with PMLD.
  - 2.4 Explain the stages of pre communication .
  - 2.5 Compare effective and non effective communication practice when communicating with individuals with PMLD.
  
- **AC.3. Be able to explain how sensory exercises impact on individuals with PMLD.**
  - 3.1 Evaluate ways to support individuals through the use of sensory exercises.
  - 3.2 Explain how they would use sensory activities when supporting people with PMLD
  - 3.3 Evaluate how adaptations can be made to a sensory exercise to meet the needs of a diverse group of people with PMLD.
  
- **AC 4. Be able to summarise ways current legislation has impacted on individuals with PMLD**
  - 4.1 Summarise current legislation impacts on individuals with PMLD.
  - 4.2 Summarise values that underpin the support given to individuals with PMLD. .