

Course SCH010: Hearing Loss Awareness

COURSE DURATION:

90 minutes

AVAILABLE IN:

- Non-Audio

DELIVERED VIA:

- Intranet
- Internet

This course aims to provide you with background information concerning hearing loss.

Hearing Loss is defined as not being able to hear, or having difficulty hearing. The degree of hearing loss will vary from person to person. Some people will require assistance in communication. This will be discussed more fully further in this programme of training.

Course Content

- Examine the demography and incidence of hearing loss in the UK
- Promote positive action by enabling candidates to understand the barriers which exist between themselves and people who have hearing loss
- Equip you with an understanding of your role and the tactics and methods you can use in facilitating good communication and promoting safety
- Encourage good practice in the delivery of mainstream services to people with hearing loss

And

- Help you to engage in discussion with specialist support workers or to seek specialist advice

Having completed this course you will:

- List the range of different categories and degrees of hearing loss
- Describe the barriers that disadvantage those people with hearing loss
- Explain how to communicate more effectively with people with hearing loss
- State where to get further information, advice and support

