

# Supporting adults with a learning disability and dementia

## Aim

To provide participants with an understanding of dementia and adults with a learning disability and how to provide support for them.

## For

Anyone who provides support for adults with a learning disability, especially older adults.

Participants are advised to have completed introduction to a learning disability and learning disability through the lifespan before attending this workshop.

## Content

- What is dementia?
- Signs and symptoms of dementia
- Different types of dementia
- Assessment and intervention
- Supporting adults with dementia
- How and when to access other health and social care support services

## Learning outcomes

### At the end of the course the participants should:

- Be able to identify signs and symptoms of dementia in adults with a learning disability
- Know how to support adults with a learning disability and dementia to access services
- Understand what happens during the assessment process and how to support the person through this

## Duration

1 day

## Time

9.30am - 4.30pm

## Dates and venue

**2 June 2020**

**8 October 2020**

**4 March 2021**

Venue to be confirmed

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