

Principles of Safeguarding and Protecting Children, Young People or Vulnerable Adults

RQF Level 3 Award (England, Northern Ireland & Wales)

Qualification Title: FAA Level 3 Award in Principles of Safeguarding and Protecting Children, Young People or Vulnerable Adults (RQF) – Code 601/8471/1

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DESCRIPTION

Safeguarding is how we can protect children, young people and vulnerable adults from abuse or neglect by the actions, or lack of actions, of another person. In order to safeguard and protect persons from abuse or neglect we need to learn how to identify vulnerable individuals and take necessary steps to stop abuse and neglect.

Everyone has the right to be safe and live without the fear of abuse, neglect or exploitation. This course aims to teach you how to recognise the signs of abuse and neglect and what actions you can take to stop this from happening and occurring again in the future. Abuse, neglect and exploitation can occur anywhere and by anyone (quite often being a person of trust).

The qualification is designed for learners who have contact with children, young people or vulnerable adults in their working environment including voluntary work. It promotes awareness and sensitivity to safeguarding enabling learners to be able to identify issues and emphasises the responsibility to ensure that concerns are reported and acted on appropriately. Learners will be given the tools and knowledge to make a difference to a vulnerable person's life. It will also let the practitioner reporting the abuse know how they can safeguard themselves in every day work, while seeking help and reporting the incident identified.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The qualification is available to learners aged 18 or over.

It is recommended that learners should hold a minimum of Level 1 in literacy or equivalent to undertake this qualification. It may be possible to allocate a reasonable adjustment to a learner who has a disability, medical condition or learning need; learners are invited to speak to a member of the Tineke Training Ltd team prior to the course. They can also approach the Instructor on the day of the course to disclose anything they feel needs to be made aware of. All disclosures of information is treated discreetly, respectfully and confidentially.

DURATION

A minimum of 7 hours makes up this unit consisting of theoretical and practical work.

ASSESSMENT

The qualification is assessed by written assessment. A learner must successfully pass the written assessment to achieve the qualification. There is no grading of the assessment; learners pass or are referred.

CERTIFICATION

Upon successful completion of the qualification assessment, learners will be awarded an Ofqual Level 3 Award. The qualification does not have an expiry date but refresher training and keeping up to date with changes to policies, procedures and new legislation through ongoing CPD is vital.

NUMBERS

A maximum of 12 students per Instructor can be accommodated on this course.

SYLLABUS

A range of subjects are covered including:

- **Safeguarding Legislation and Guidance**
- **Indicators of Abuse or Neglect**
- **Making Judgements**
- **Communication**
- **Roles and Responsibilities**
- **Sharing of Information**
- **Dealing with and Reporting of Allegations & Complaints**

LEARNING OUTCOMES

The Learner will:	Assessment Criteria The Learner can:
<p>1. Understand how to safeguard and protect children, young people or vulnerable adults in the workplace</p>	<p>1.1 Identify key elements of the law on safeguarding:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children • Young People • Vulnerable Adults <p>1.2 Describe how practitioners can take steps to protect themselves from allegations and complaints within their everyday practice in a work setting</p> <p>1.3 Describe ways in which concerns can be reported for:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children • Young People • Vulnerable Adults
<p>2. Know how to respond to evidence or concerns that a child, young person or vulnerable adult has been abused</p>	<p>2.1 Describe the characteristics of different types of abuse concerning:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Children • Young People • Vulnerable Adults <p>2.2 Explain actions to take in response to evidence of abuse according to agreed ways of working</p> <p>2.3 Describe how to respond to disclosures of abuse according to agreed ways of working</p> <p>2.4 Identify those people who the information of abuse or suspected abuse may be shared with</p>

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