

# Funding to Support Training in the Health & Social Care Sector

# Welcome

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**What training is available and how  
can you access funding to support  
your workforce?**

# Apprenticeships....

**Recruit new and retrain current staff with up to 100% funding\* and additional grants!**

- **Enable staff to deliver good and outstanding care**
- **Improve workforce competence and productivity**
- **Free** access to recruitment platforms and advice!
- **Access to funds** from Levy paying employers to help fund your Apprentice
- Access to additional funds to train your Apprentice for eligible\* employers

The Skills brokers will provide **FREE IMPARTIAL** advice to help you access Apprenticeships

# Apprenticeships....

**Develop aspiring leaders and improve recruitment and retention rates!**

- Adult Care Worker (level 2)
- Lead Adult Care Worker (level 3)
- The Lead Practitioner in Adult Care (level 4)
- Leader in Adult Care (level 5)
- Nursing Associate (level 5)
- Social Work (level 6)
- Occupational Therapist (level 6)
- Physiotherapist (level 6)
- Registered Nurse (level 6)

## **Nursing and Health Cadet Programme**

(Extended Diploma in Health & Social Care Level 3)

**Remember, you can also recruit apprentices in roles such as business administration, assistant accountant or chef**

# Traineeships....

A traineeship is a **funded skills development programme**

- Access a Traineeship as a way of bringing a young person into your business through a trial period with no cost
- Progress the trainee onto an **Apprenticeship** for **further funding and training**
- Give the young person exposure to a **real workplace** so they can develop the skills, knowledge, confidence, attitudes, and behaviours they need to succeed at work.

Brokers will help you access the Traineeship scheme by talking to the most suitable providers for your business.

# Kickstart....

**The Kickstart Scheme provides funding to employers to create jobs for 16 to 24 year olds on Universal Credit.**

Employers of all sizes can apply for:

- **100%** of the National Minimum Wage or the National Living Wage
- 25 hours per week for a total of 6 months
- Associated employer National Insurance contributions
- Any relevant workplace pension contributions (automatic enrolment)

**Further funding is available for training and support!**

# Apprenticeship Levy Transfer

Levy paying employers can transfer up to 25% of their Levy funds to other employers to support Apprenticeships.

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**£1.3m total transferred to support  
Health & Social Care Sector within  
Liverpool City Region.  
ROI of £35m**

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**304 Apprenticeship Starts within  
Health & Social Care Sector  
9 Levy payers and 25 receiving  
organisations**



# Nursing Degree Apprenticeship Route example?

**L5 Nursing Associate - £15,000 (£750 contribution)**

[https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/apprenticeship-standards/nursing-associate-\(nmc-2018\)-v1-1](https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/apprenticeship-standards/nursing-associate-(nmc-2018)-v1-1)

**L6 Registered Nurse - £27,000 (£1350 contribution)**

[https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/apprenticeship-standards/registered-nurse-degree-\(nmc-2018\)-v1-1](https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/apprenticeship-standards/registered-nurse-degree-(nmc-2018)-v1-1)

# Workforce Development Funds



- WDF -Limited pot of money which funds qualifications and learning programmes
- Employers can claim back a contribution towards the costs of employees completing qualifications and learning programmes.
- Employers who directly incur costs for learning and development
- Can access the WDF to reclaim a contribution towards these costs.
- Employers to complete the ASC Data Set
- Evidence = Copy of awarding body certificate



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<https://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/Learning-development/Funding/Workforce-Development-Fund/Workforce-Development-Fund.aspx>

## Jon Kerr – Skills for Care

COVID-specific WDF funded initiatives (Rapid Induction, Refresher Training and Volunteer Programme) that are separate to the main WDF activities that LSCP delivers

[https://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/About/News/COVID-19-Essential-training.aspx?utm\\_source=Website&&utm\\_medium=Homepage%20box&&utm\\_campaign=Essential%20Training?utm\\_source=Webpage%20&&utm\\_medium=Tracking%20Link&&utm\\_campaign=Essential-Training%20](https://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/About/News/COVID-19-Essential-training.aspx?utm_source=Website&&utm_medium=Homepage%20box&&utm_campaign=Essential%20Training?utm_source=Webpage%20&&utm_medium=Tracking%20Link&&utm_campaign=Essential-Training%20).

## Fundable Qualifications

Popular qualifications include:

Safe Handling of Medicines / End of Life Care / Dementia Awareness

Infection Control / Falls Prevention / Mental Health Awareness

Autism Awareness / Preparing to Work in the Adult Social Care Sector

Funding available under the Adult Education Budget for Level 2 qualifications and

Level 3 qualifications under the National Skills Fund (Lifetime Skills Guarantee)

e.g. Level 3 Diploma in Adult Care

# Up to 70% funding towards training for employers in LCR!

**Be More** can fund up to 70% of costs for training such as :

**Autism Awareness**  
**Dementia Awareness**  
**Complex Care**  
**COVID Safety**  
**Catheter Care**  
**Cancer Awareness**  
**End of Life / Palliative Care**  
**Epilepsy with Buccal**  
**Falls Management / Falls Prevention**  
**Training**  
**Issuing Medication**  
**Mental Health Awareness**

**Mental Health First Aid**  
**Peg Feed Training**  
**Quality Inspection**  
**Record Keeping**  
**Risk Management**  
**Safe Handling of Medicines**  
**Sepsis Awareness**  
**Stoma Care**  
**Stroke Awareness**  
**Supporting People with Learning**  
**Difficulties**  
**Supporting People with Mental**  
**Health**  
**Team Building**

**Be More** cannot fund Mandatory or Statutory training.

**Register for support :**

**<https://growthplatform.org/skillsbrokers/>**

**Your dedicated Skills Broker will support you from start to finish, navigating the complex skills and funding landscape on your behalf and direct you to the correct funding stream for your needs.**

# growth platform

Liverpool City Region Growth Company

Thank you!

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