# **CPD: Understanding Mental Health in Young People**

#### **Course overview**



Most children grow up mentally healthy, but surveys suggest that more children and young people have problems with their mental health today than 30 years ago, probably because of changes in the way we live now and how that affects the experience of growing up.

This short course is essential for those who work, or want to work, with young people such as community volunteers, activity leaders, learners on Childcare, Health and Social Care and Teaching Assistant courses and people in those professions.

#### What will I study?

You will:

- Explore Mental Health and the effect on young people
- Discuss how we can help keep young people healthy
- Consider the support needed at an early age
- Be aware of where to signpost young people to and the external support available to them

### Assessment method

You will participate in Q&A sessions and discussions and receive verbal feedback from the tutor throughout the workshop.

### **Entry requirements**

You will be on one of our qualifications courses or have a serious interest in the subject. You will need a solid understanding of English.

## What should I bring with me?

You will need to provide your chosen method of note-taking such as notepad & pen or tablet.

Key information

**Possible next steps** 

Following the successful completion of this course, you will be supported to enroll on to other suitable CPD or wellbeing courses or on to other courses.

Contact us

Our friendly staff can give you further advice and support.



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