

# Health and Social Care

## Health Science Associate Diploma HTQ (DFEHS005#)

**Campus:** Dearne Valley College

**Code:** DACHS009#

**Level:** 4

### About This Course

The Level 4 Diploma for Assistant Practitioners in Healthcare qualification provides learners with the knowledge, understanding and skills to work as an Assistant Practitioner.

The qualification can usually be completed within 18–24 months.

### What Will I Study?

You will study 120 credits from the following units:

- Theme 1: Principles and philosophy of healthcare
- Theme 2: Working with others
- Theme 3: Person-centred practice for positive outcomes
- Theme 4: Safe ways of working
- Theme 5: Clinical activities and interventions
- Theme 6: Professional development

### Why Study Here?

On this course you will have the opportunity to increase your clinical practice skills and broaden your technical knowledge across a range of specialisms

You will be able to learn in our new state of the art Health Suite based at Dearne Valley College, which includes:

Operating Simulation Room and Recovery Suite

Clinical and Medical Assessment Ward with hoists and various assistance equipment

VR Simulation Suite

Biology Laboratory

You will also receive career guidance and skills workshops delivered by specialist tutors, health sector guest speakers and practitioners with real life experiences in the industry

### Entry Requirements

There are no formal entry requirements for this qualification, but learners will need to be at least 19 years of age. It is also recommended that they hold a Level 3 or above qualification in a related area, or current experience working as an assistant or practitioner in the health care sector.

## How To Apply

You can apply using our online application form and clicking the **Apply Now** button at the top of this page.

For more information support with your enquiry or application please contact Student Services by emailing [learn@dearne-coll.ac.uk](mailto:learn@dearne-coll.ac.uk) [mailto:[learn@dearne-coll.ac.uk](mailto:learn@dearne-coll.ac.uk)] or by calling **01709 513355**.

## Tuition Fees

- Those aged 19 or over may not need to pay fees depending on their circumstances. Find out if you qualify here [<https://www.dearne-coll.ac.uk/course-fees/>] .

If you need further advice or guidance please contact the Enquiries Team on **01709 513355**.

### PLEASE NOTE

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