

Welcome to your registered manager network virtual meeting

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Adult Social Care Workforce Data Set (ASC-WDS)

- **What and why?**
- [online data collection service](#) covering the adult social care workforce in England
- previously known as the National Minimum Data Set for Social Care (NMDS-SC)
- claim money towards costs of staff completing adult social care qualifications and learning programmes through the Workforce Development Fund (WDF)
- records all staff training and qualifications
- identifies workforce issues affecting the sector



ASC-WDS

■ Training and qualifications

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Workplace ID: J1001082
Last signed in on 22 April 2020

Contact Skills for Care
0113 241 0969
ascwds-support@skillsforcare.org.uk
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Training and qualifications (7)

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1 Expired | **13** Missing

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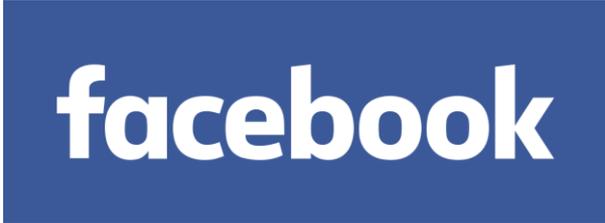
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training	0	2 Missing
test worker	2	2 Missing



Join our Facebook group

Staying connected with one another is an important way to look after yourselves and others during this time.

- Get support from your peers.
- Share advice, experiences and guidance.
- Join a thriving community.



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Search for **Registered Manager Members**

www.facebook.com/groups/registeredmanager



WhatsApp

Some networks have set up their own WhatsApp groups to stay in touch. Contact your locality manager to find out more.

As a registered manager in this very difficult time, I am so grateful to have my registered manager network WhatsApp group. I can seek advice, gain up-to-date knowledge and just simply know other managers are there for support whenever I need them.



Vanessa Williams-Lukins, Kidsgrove Care Solutions

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Webinars to support your service

Our new series of webinars have advice and guidance on a range of topics.

- Essential training
- Human Resources (HR)
- Attracting workers
- Using technology to support your staff and each other / the people you care for
- Keeping your team motivated
- An introduction to DBS checks
- Distance recruitment
- Safe recruitment
- End of life care

www.skillsforcare.org.uk/COVID-19webinars

New advice line

Do you manage CQC regulated adult social care services? Our new advice line and email inbox can support you.

We can help you to access:

- resources
- funding
- online learning
- latest guidance and advice.



Call
[0113 241 1260](tel:01132411260)

Email
RMAdvice@skillsforcare.org.uk

Grab and go forms for hospital / health care

This NHS grab and go guide has been designed in partnership with people with learning disabilities, families and nurses

It gives the information that doctors and nurses will need if you go to hospital because of COVID-19 and, for example, are struggling to breathe.

[Download the guidance here.](#)

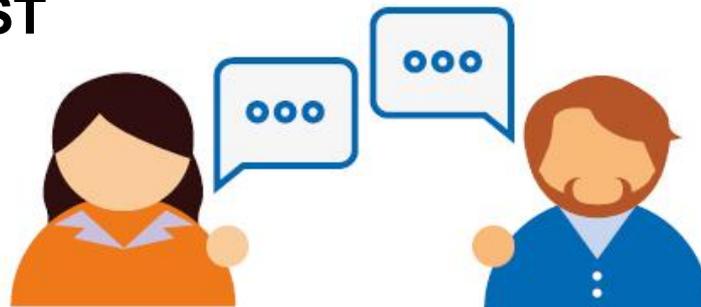


Tell us your story

Share the outstanding work of your workforce - this could be best practice, innovation or evidence of the vital role of social care.

Stories (max 200 words) can be sent to marketing@skillsforcare.org.uk and **MUST** include the following:

- organisation/service name
- location.



They can also be shared on social media by joining our good news Twitter campaign. Share a short video of your good news story using [#socialcareisvital](https://twitter.com/skillsforcare) and [@skillsforcare](https://twitter.com/skillsforcare)

End of life care during COVID-19

People working in care who may not be specialists in this area are finding themselves working with people who are dying, or whose condition is deteriorating rapidly. We have resources to support you.

- The **Common core principles** have been adapted to support people working with adults at the end of their life and focuses on the underpinning competences, knowledge and values needed.
- The **'End of life care support'** supplement uses the principles in practice, with key points to note and useful end of life care COVID-19 links for further information.



www.skillsforcare.org.uk/EndofLife

Safe and rapid recruitment

Our guiding principles may be useful to address additional workforce recruitment challenges during this time.

Support and resources on:

- values-based recruiting
- recruiting from your local community
- ensuring you have robust employment checks
- distance recruitment – virtual interviewing
- training, sustaining and retaining staff.



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New distance recruitment resources

To support the safe and rapid recruitment of staff, interviews can take place virtually. When carrying out interviews there are different things which you and potential candidates can do.

- The **Distance recruitment tips resource** outlines useful guidance around the technology needed for virtual interviewing, the preparation you can do, what a potential candidate can do to prepare, how the interview can run, and the steps that you can take after an interview to support a new recruit.
- The **Snapshot of communication and collaboration tools** provides more insight into the different digital products such as Microsoft Teams and Zoom you can use to support distance recruitment activities.



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Nurse deployment update

The NHS Capacity Tracker has been updated to include questions on workforce needs and is now live.

If you need to access a deployed nurse, you must **register on and fill in the Capacity Tracker**. This information is fed into the existing regional hubs and used in their nurse deployment decision making process, which is already functioning for the NHS.

Once you've done this, please email **C-19nursedeployment@skillsforcare.org.uk** and include further details of your nurse workforce needs to help in deploying the right staff.

For the most up-to-date information visit **www.skillsforcare.org.uk/NurseDeployment**