

Health and Social Care

2020

Course Structure

This qualification provides and opportunity for candidates to pursue a course and develop their knowledge and understanding of health and social care in a vocational context. It is suitable for those who want a broad background in all health and social care sectors and provides valuable preparation, both for those who want to progress to higher education as well as for those entering the workplace.

Learners will complete two units of study to achieve a single award GCSE. These are :

Unit 1 - Health, Social Care and Children's Services

This unit will enable candidates to gain knowledge and understanding of the

main health, social care and children's service provision available to meet individuals' needs

Unit 2 - Human Growth and Development

To provide effective care, workers within health, social care and children's services learners will need to know about the different ways that people grow and develop during their lives. This unit will allow candidates to gain knowledge and understanding of the process of human growth and development and the different factors that can affect individuals.



Examination/Assessment (Grading A* - G)

Unit 1

Controlled Assessment (60%)

Unit 2

Written Paper (40%)



Examination Board Website -

<http://www.wjec.co.uk/qualifications/health-and-social-care/health-and-social-care-gcse/>

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