



PDA in Leadership at SCQF level 8

Who does this qualification suit?

The PDA in Leadership is intended for people who are currently employed in management posts, predominantly at first-line, team-leading or middle-management level. This award is ideally suited to supervisors who work in a care setting as it meets the SSSC registration requirements.

Benefits

PDA in Leadership at SCQF level 8 offers candidates the opportunity to develop their management competence in providing direction, one of the six areas of competence identified by the CfA. Candidates who successfully complete the award will gain a number of benefits, including:

- a sound grounding in the managerial competence of providing direction including relevant underpinning knowledge and understanding
- capability in developing an operational plan that will contribute to achieving objectives set out in a strategic plan
- capability to provide direction in a clearly defined area of an organisation
- the development of competence in motivating and supporting people to achieve the vision of the team
- acquisition of underpinning knowledge and understanding on theories and practice of leadership

Structure

The PDA in Leadership at SCQF level 8 consists of two Units, both of which are mandatory:

MSC Unit code	Unit title	SCQF credit points	SCQF level
B1	Develop and Implement Operational Plans in Your Area of Responsibility	11	8
B6	Provide Leadership in Your Area of Responsibility	9	8
Total		20	

The PDA is completed by you gathering evidence and uploading this onto our web-based portfolio. You will be supported by an assessor throughout completion of the qualification.

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