

Managing medicines for adults receiving social care in the community: course 2 e-learning

About PrescQIPP

PrescQIPP is a not-for-profit company which proactively helps NHS and social care organisations optimise their medicines-related care to patients, through the delivery of robust, accessible and evidence-based resources.

We have many years' experience of providing resources and education to the NHS and, following the recent success of our 'Medicines use in care homes' e-learning courses, we are now pleased to offer two new e-learning courses aimed at providers that manage medicines for adults receiving social care in the community. Visit the [PrescQIPP website](#) for more information.

About the courses

PrescQIPP is a Skills for Care endorsed provider of e-learning courses for the adult social care sector. These e-learning courses support the implementation of NICE guideline 67 [Managing medicines for adults receiving social care in the community](#). Course 1 provides a foundation which covers the essential medicine-related processes which social care providers need to consider, and course 2 covers the practical issues relating to medicines administration support for all social care workers in a client-facing role, upskilling them to administer different types of medicine formulations. In course 2 each module is accompanied by a video giving a practical demonstration of the administration process for each type of medication formulation.

The Care Quality Commission (CQC) were stakeholders in the development of these courses, which are CPD accredited and carry endorsement statements from the National Institute for Health and Care Excellence (NICE).



Course access

The Managing medicines for adults receiving social care in the community: course 2 is available for staff in our organisation.

You will need to be logged in to the [PrescQIPP website](#) to access the course, so that it can record your progress and issue your e-learning certificate. To register please [click here](#), please select 'I work for a social care provider' on the registration form. Once your registration has been approved, the course can be accessed by following steps below.

1. Log into the [PrescQIPP website](#) (once your registration has been approved)
2. Click on the 'PrescQIPP e-learning' link under the 'Learning' menu, then once on the [E-learning Hub](#) click on 'Access e-learning' on the right hand side
3. Find the course and select 'Access course'
4. Enter promo code:



Course 2 includes seven modules and three case studies, plus quizzes and a final assessment. A pass mark of 70% in the final assessment is required to complete the course and receive a certificate.

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MODULE 1

Supporting people to take their medicines

- The general principles of medicines administration
- The '6 rights' of medicines administration
- 'Time-sensitive' and 'when required' medicines
- Completion of the Medicines Administration Record (MAR) chart

MODULE 2

Administration of solid oral dose forms

MODULE 3

Administration of liquid medicines

MODULE 4

Administration of inhalers

MODULE 5

Administration of eye drops

MODULE 6

Administration of transdermal patches

MODULE 7

Administration of topical products

If you have any questions please contact your manager in the first instance, or contact PrescQIPP at elearning@prescqipp.info.