

# Ascentis Level 2 Award in

## Mental Health and Well-being

Overview Specification



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## **Qualification Overview**

The Ascentis Level 2 Award in Mental Health and Well-being qualification is designed to give learners knowledge and understanding of the different types of conditions and impacts of mental health. This qualification introduces the learner to key issues in mental health, raising awareness of sensitive topics and guidance to support themselves and others.

There are several features of this qualification that make it very appropriate for its target learners:

- Assessment and certification can be offered throughout the year, allowing maximum flexibility for centres
- It can be delivered either as a classroom-based course or as a blended learning programme
- There are online resources that can be used alongside the teaching

#### **Aims**

The aims of the qualification are to enable learners:

- To understand the term and different types of mental health
- To understand the impacts of drugs, alcohol and social media on mental health
- To know how to look after physical and mental health
- To know how to find help and support for mental health

#### **Target Group**

The qualification is aimed at a range of learners, including:

- Young people wishing to pick up an award as part of another learning programme
- Young people aged 16–19 who are in various learning environments
- Adult learners
- CPD for tutors

#### **Regulation Codes**

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#### **Assessment Method**

The unit is internally assessed through the learner building up a portfolio of evidence that covers the relevant assessment criteria. Centres can use the assessment booklet developed by Ascentis, which is available to download from QuartzWeb and covers all the assessment criteria. The evidence will be internally assessed and verified by the centre and then externally verified by Ascentis.

## **Rule of Combination**

Learners must complete one unit for the Ascentis Level 2 Award in Mental Health and Well-being.

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Title	Level	Credit Value	TQT	Unit Reference
Mental Health and Well-being	2	3	30	F/617/6432

#### Resources to Support the Delivery of the Qualification

There are interactive online resources and a Tutor Guidance document available to support this qualification. These resources and the full specification can be found on the login area of the website, www.ascentis.co.uk.

The Tutor Guidance document includes indicative content for tutors and a glossary of terms to give learners that will support them with technical vocabulary.

### **Contact & Further Information**

New Centres please email hello@ascentis.co.uk or call 01524 845046 for further information.

**Existing Centres** please visit the Login area of our website, <u>www.ascentis.co.uk</u>, to view the full specification and tutor guidance document.

Product Development for any other enquiries regarding the qualification please email development@ascentis.co.uk.