

Ascentis **Level 2 and Level 3 Award** in **Information, Advice and Guidance** **Rule of Combination**



Level 2 Award

Ofqual Number:	601/1880/5
Ofqual Start Date:	01/11/2013
Ofqual Review Date:	31/07/2020
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Level 3 Award

Ofqual Number:	601/2130/0
Ofqual Start Date:	01/12/2013
Ofqual Review Date:	31/07/2020
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Qualification Overview

These qualifications are for learners who want to develop their understanding of the roles of information, advice and guidance (IAG) workers. It does not confer competence in these roles. This qualification offers learners an understanding of the underpinning principles of information, advice or guidance and its practical application in interactions.

Aims

The aims of the qualification are to enable learners:

- 1 To develop their understanding of the roles of information advice and guidance workers
- 2 To prepare learners for the next level of vocational learning

For learners working in relevant roles, these qualifications can be used to update and continue professional development (CPD).

Target Group

This qualification is for learners who:

- Would like to understand more about the roles of information, advice and guidance workers
- Wish to understand the key skills and knowledge needed to offer information, advice or guidance to other people
- Are not currently working in information, advice or guidance but are considering doing so in the future – in areas such as housing, employment, careers and financial support

Regulation Codes

Ofqual Regulation Numbers:

- Ascentis Level 2 Award in Information, Advice or Guidance: 601/1880/5
- Ascentis Level 3 Award in Information, Advice or Guidance: 601/2130/0

Assessment Method

All units are internally assessed through the learner building up a portfolio of evidence that covers the relevant assessment criteria. They are internally assessed and verified by the centre and then externally verified by Ascentis.

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Learners must achieve 6 credits from the mandatory units.

Unit Group M (Mandatory): Learners must achieve 6 credits from this unit group.

Title	Level	Credit Value	GLH	Unit ref
Information, Advice or Guidance in Practice	Level 2	3	24	D/502/7984
Developing Interaction Skills for Information, Advice or Guidance	Level 2	3	24	J/505/6797

Ascentis Level 3 Award in Information, Advice or Guidance

Learners must achieve 9 credits from the mandatory units.

Unit Group M (Mandatory): Learners must achieve 9 credits from this unit group.

Title	Level	Credit Value	GLH	Unit ref
Information, Advice or Guidance - Principles and Practice	Level 3	3	21	F/505/8323
Applying Interaction Skills for Information, Advice or Guidance	Level 3	6	42	H/505/8332

Guided Learning Hours (GLH)

The recommended guided learning hours for the Level 2 Award in Information, Advice or Guidance is 48.

The recommended guided learning hours for the Level 3 Award in Information, Advice or Guidance is 63.

Total Qualification Time (TQT)

The total qualification time for the Level 2 Award in Information, Advice or Guidance is 60.

The total qualification time for the Level 3 Award in Information, Advice or Guidance is 90.

Age Range of Qualification

This qualification is suitable for learners aged 19+.

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