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NCFE CERTIFICATE IN  
UNDERSTANDING END OF LIFE CARE

**LEVEL 2**

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# NCFE Certificate in Understanding End of Life Care Level 2

## Who is it for?

This qualification is suitable for learners aged 16 and above. It is designed for a wide range of learners who wish to gain an understanding of end of life care.

## Course Content

This qualification aims to develop the learner's knowledge and understanding of:

- How to work in end of life care
- The support needed to manage pain & discomfort
- How dementia impacts on end of life care
- The role of the care worker in time of death
- The loss & grief process

The objectives of this qualification are to:

- Give learners working or intending to work in healthcare & social care knowledge & understanding of end of life care to support their role.
- Enable learners to progress to other qualifications in this subject area, or within the wider area of health & social care.

To be awarded the NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Understanding End of Life Care learners are required to successfully complete 5 mandatory units.

This qualification consists of five mandatory units:

- Unit 01: Understand how to work in end of life care
- Unit 02: Understand how to provide support to manage pain & discomfort
- Unit 03: End of life care & dementia
- Unit 04: Understanding the role of the care worker in time of death
- Unit 05: Understand loss and grief in end of life care

## Course Delivery & Assessment

To achieve the NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Understanding End of Life Care, learners must successfully demonstrate their achievement of all learning outcomes and assessment criteria of the units as detailed in this Qualification Specification. Grades are not awarded.



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## Progression Opportunities

Learners who achieve this qualification could progress to:

- NCFE Level 2 Certificate in Dementia Awareness
- NCFE Level 2 & 3 qualifications for Working in the Health Sector
- NCFE Level 2 & 3 qualifications in Health & Social Care (Adults) for England
- NCFE Level 2 and 3 qualifications in Preparing to Work in Adult Social Care
- NCFE Level 2 and 3 qualifications in Healthcare Support Services
- NCFE Level 3 Certificate in the Principles of End of Life Care
- NCFE Level 3 Certificate in Working in End of Life Care

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