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Suite	Level	Gateway Qualifications	Apprenticeship Routes	Entry Point for Job Roles at a Specific Level	Comments
Advanced Vocational Skills	3	Diploma in Adult Care	Lead Adult Care Worker	<ul> <li>Care Officer,</li> <li>Care Supervisor/         Team Leader</li> <li>Mental Health         Support Worker</li> <li>Social and Family         Support Worker</li> </ul>	At this level, you will be well qualified to work in these roles.
Advanced level CPD for Existing staff	3	Award in Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder Awareness  Award in Dyslexia/Dyspraxia Awareness  Award in Supporting Children and Young People with Autism/Dyslexia/ADHD/Dyspraxia  There are a wide range of relevant individual units available including: Dementia Awareness/End of Life and Dementia Care/ Understanding the Process and Experience of Dementia			Suitable for staff supporting or working with individuals with SEND or dementia

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Access to HE	3	Counselling Health and Social Care Psychology and Sociology Psychosocial Studies			These qualifications provide a springboard to higher education academic courses at university.
Degree Level/Advanced Professional Development	4	You may wish to undertake individual units to support your professional development rather than a full qualification. This may include: Support Individuals During the Last Days of Life, Support the development of community partnerships, Understanding professional supervision practice, Recruitment and selection within health and social care settings or Understanding Suicide Interventions	Lead Adult Care Practitioner	<ul> <li>Deputy Manager</li> <li>Community Care/ Support Officers</li> <li>Social Care Assessor</li> <li>Assistive Technology Co- ordinator/ Officer</li> <li>Community Care Assessment Officers</li> <li>Occupational Assessment Officer</li> <li>Rehabilitation and Reablement Assistant</li> </ul>	At this level, you will be considering your next steps for progression into management or to become a teacher in mainstream education perhaps. You are likely to be established in your current role.
Managerial/ Higher Professional Development	5	Diploma in Leadership and Management for Adult Care	Leader in Adult Care	<ul> <li>Advanced         Practitioner</li> <li>Residential or Non-         residential         Advanced Manager</li> <li>Registered Manager</li> </ul>	At this level, you may be considering further promotion or moving into a different role e.g. registered manager, an advisory role or setting up your own business