

# Awareness Course Outline:

## Epilepsy

Course Title:	<b>Epilepsy</b>
Overview:	<p>The awareness session will benefit all carers who work with service users who suffer from epilepsy.</p> <p>It is vital that you have an understanding of the types of seizures that you may be faced with and your role and responsibility.</p>
Course Content:	<p>The course covers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• What epilepsy is and some of its causes</li><li>• The different types of seizures</li><li>• How to provide first aid and administer rectal diazepam</li><li>• How to monitor and record seizure activity</li><li>• The health and social implications of epilepsy</li><li>• The role of a carer for a person with epilepsy</li></ul>
Methods Used:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Discussions</li><li>• Exercises</li><li>• Questioning</li></ul>
Venue:	Learners Workplace Venue to be Agreed
Course Duration:	Half a day
Certificate:	At the end of the session, learners will be issued with a Certificate of Attendance which may be referenced to the Health and Social Care NVQ's