

## Level 2 Certificate in Understanding Safeguarding and Prevent

Location	Offsite
Course Type	Adult
Department	Health & Social Care
Start Date	Tuesday 1st August 2023
Duration	Part-time, 1 Year
Time	00:00 - 00:00
Fee	£ 362.00 You may be eligible for support with your tuition fees - please visit the college website - funding and finance page for further information
Course Code	XPQ-DL2C-1014

### Course Overview

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This self-learning course has been developed to fit around you and your lifestyle.

Assignments can be completed online or in a workbook format.

You will be assigned a tutor who will be available to offer guidance and support through your learning journey.

This qualification is designed for learners who want the knowledge and understanding of safeguarding and prevent.

Official data showed that over 7,500 people were referred to the Prevent programme in 2015/16. The purpose of this qualification is to support anyone who is responsible for the safeguarding of people and for helping prevent radicalisation. It gives learners an understanding of recognising the signs of abuse, how to reduce the risk of radicalisation and the potential consequences of illegal online activity.

## Course Requirements

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Aged 19+

Lived in the UK for 3 years

PLEASE NOTE: YOU CAN ONLY ACCESS THE COURSE BY USING A LAPTOP, DESKTOP OR TABLET, AS BOTH THE INFORMATION BOOKLET AND QUESTIONS ARE ACCESSED ONLINE.

MOBILE PHONES ARE NOT SUITABLE FOR THE PLATFORM.

## What You Will Learn

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On this course you will:

Achieve a nationally recognised Level 2 qualification

Evidence your competency to employers

Further your personal and professional development

Know how to recognise signs of abuse or potential harm

Learn at a time that suits you without the need to attend college

## Assessment

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Assignments can be completed online or in a workbook format

## Progression

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Upon successful completion of the course students may wish to continue their education and enrol onto our other flexible learning courses listed below:

Level 2 Certificate in Preparing to Work in Adult Social Care

Level 2 Certificate in Principles of Customer Service

Level 2 Certificate in Principles of Business Administration

## Career Options

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Completing a Level 2 Certificate in Understanding Safeguarding and Prevent course demonstrates your knowledge of safeguarding and prevention measures, particularly in the context of vulnerable individuals and the prevention of radicalisation and extremism. While this certification may not directly lead to specialized roles, it can be valuable for enhancing your qualifications in various professions that require safeguarding awareness. Here are some career options you can consider:

**Teaching Assistant:** Many schools and educational institutions require their staff to have an understanding of safeguarding and prevent strategies, especially if they work with children and young people.

**Social Work Assistant:** Working alongside qualified social workers, you can assist in cases involving individuals at risk, ensuring that safeguarding protocols are followed.

**Healthcare Support Worker:** In healthcare settings, you can help ensure the safety and well-being of patients by applying safeguarding principles. This is particularly important in roles involving vulnerable populations, such as the elderly or those with mental health issues.

**Community Outreach Worker:** These professionals often work with vulnerable communities. Your knowledge of safeguarding and prevention can be valuable when addressing social issues and supporting those at risk.

**Care Worker:** In the field of social care, safeguarding is critical to protect vulnerable individuals. A Level 2 certificate can be an asset when applying for care worker roles.

**Mental Health Support Worker:** Individuals with mental health issues may be more susceptible to safeguarding concerns. Your understanding of safeguarding and prevention measures is valuable in this context.

**Youth Worker:** Youth workers deal with young people, and safeguarding knowledge is essential to create safe and supportive environments.

**Housing Support Worker:** In this role, you can assist individuals who may be vulnerable, homeless, or at risk. Understanding safeguarding is crucial for their well-being.

**Volunteer Coordinator:** Coordinating volunteers for various organisations, especially those working with vulnerable groups, requires a grasp of safeguarding principles.

**Customer Service Representative:** In customer-facing roles in sectors such as retail, hospitality, or transportation, knowledge of safeguarding can help employees identify and report concerns related to customers' well-being.

**Administrative Roles in Social Services:** Administrative positions in social services departments may benefit from safeguarding knowledge, especially when handling case files and sensitive information.

While this certification provides a foundation in safeguarding and prevention, it's important to note that many professions will require more specialised and in-depth training and qualifications. Consider further education and training to advance in your chosen career path and stay current with safeguarding practices and regulations. Additionally, gaining practical experience and networking within the field can be beneficial for career advancement.

## **Mandatory Units**

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Understanding the Prevent Duty  
Understanding Safeguarding  
Understanding Online Safety

## **Contact Details**

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For further information please contact T: 0161 886 7070 or E: [info@trafford.ac.uk](mailto:info@trafford.ac.uk)

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