

Medication eLearning

For Adult Social Care Staff



Bedfordshire, Luton
and Milton Keynes
Integrated Care Board

Tier 1 of the BLMK ICB Training Offer

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BLMK ICB are pleased to offer the below eLearning modules, for adult social care (ASC) staff, hosted by [PrescQIPP](#) (a Skills for Care Endorsed Provider for England).

All ASC staff involved in medication should complete the following eLearning courses, appropriate to their care setting:

Care Home Staff (Nursing, Residential, Learning Disability)

The following courses have been purchased by the ICB, therefore **access is free** for adult social care staff across BLMK (using the access codes below). The courses support the implementation of recommendations in the [NICE guideline SC1 \(Managing medicines in care homes\)](#) and carry a NICE endorsement statement. The courses meet the requirements for training of care home staff who administer or assist with the administration of medication.

Course Name:	Description & Access Code:
Medicines use in care homes: course 1	<p>This course covers: Safe use of medicines, medicines basics, Medicines Administration Records, general principles of medicines administration, the monthly medicines cycle and self administration, as well as administration of PRN medicines, solid doses, liquids, inhalers, topical products, transdermal patches and eye drops. (Approx. time 5 hours – can be completed in stages.)</p> <p>Access to a shorter annual update version of the course is included and can be completed on a yearly basis to refresh knowledge.</p> <p>Access code: 904ecad71cc2dafddeed048e9b4c204f</p>
Medicines use in care homes: course 2	<p>This course covers: missed and delayed doses, covert administration, the management of controlled drugs in care homes, homely remedies and self-care, medicines reconciliation and effective management of medicine supplies in care homes. (Approx. time 3.5 hours – can be completed in stages.)</p> <p>Access code: a1f61452b8784c7b43fceffcf32b6ca</p>
Medicines use in care homes: course 3	<p>This course covers: medicines and falls risk, antipsychotic medicines in dementia, administration of oral anticoagulants, administration of methotrexate and other cytotoxic medicines, administration of bisphosphonates and the administration of medicines used in Parkinson's disease. (Approx. time 3 hours – can be completed in stages.)</p> <p>Access code: oyqlt6xpkltay1qmuxydgzcy41slx40</p>

Community-Based Care Staff

The following courses have been purchased by the ICB, therefore **access is free** for adult social care staff across BLMK, with an access code. Access codes are limited so must be requested using the links below.

Course Name:	Description:	Access Code Requests:
Managing medicines for adults receiving social care in the community: course 1	<p>This course is based on NICE Guideline 67 and focuses on the medicine-related processes which social care providers need to consider in relation to medicines use. (Approx. time 2.5 hours – can be completed in stages.)</p>	Course 1 - Request an access code
Managing medicines for adults receiving social care in the community: course 2	<p>This second course focuses on the practical issues relating to the provision of medicines administration support by social care providers. (Approx. time 4 hours – can be completed in stages.)</p>	Course 2 - Request an access code

For guidance on registering for this PrescQIPP eLearning, please click [here](#)

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