



With almost 14,000 entry level and promotion vacancies throughout Cambridgeshire and Peterborough in 2016, a job and career in health and care is within reach.

The Health and Care Sector Work Academy is delivering free training to Cambridgeshire and Peterborough residents over the next two years. Ely residents had the opportunity to join a course in Larkfield Community Centre in November and more courses are being planned in coming months for Ely, Littleport, Isleham Soham and surrounding areas.

The Cambridgeshire and Peterborough Combined Authority secured £5.2m Department for Work and Pensions funding to support in-work progression for people currently employed in the health and care sector, and employment and a career pathway for those working outside the sector, the unemployed or currently working as unpaid carers and volunteers.

Our learners get:

- A **FREE** qualification and sector-based training with NO exams
- **FREE** support to help write CV's, complete application forms and prepare for interviews
- Fast track engagement with local sector-based employers
- **FREE** career mentoring for four months after finishing the course
- Access to a bursary to fund travel and care costs

So far 70% of learners have secured employment or progressed to further training on completion of the programme.

Candidates must be over 18, claiming an in- or out of- work benefit and living in Cambridgeshire or Peterborough. Courses are delivered in local community centres and sector-based employers during the day or in the evening – making them accessible to all.

The Academy is looking for new learners to join our programme. To find out more call Libby on 01733 588364, email [info@healthandcareacademy.co.uk](mailto:info@healthandcareacademy.co.uk) or visit our website [www.healthandcareacademy.co.uk](http://www.healthandcareacademy.co.uk)