

Free Annual Training for Personal Care Home Administrators & Direct Care Staff - Spring 2023

Northampton Community College is conducting free statewide online training for Personal Care Home staff and administrators and staff licensed agencies serving individuals with intellectual disabilities. The training is funded by the Department of Human Services Bureau of Human Services Licensing and each continuing education class is equal to three (3) annual training hours, unless otherwise noted. Participation is limited to staff persons working in Pennsylvania's licensed personal care homes, assisted living residences, community homes for individuals with intellectual disabilities, family living homes, adult training facilities and vocational facilities for individuals with intellectual disabilities.

Online Continuing Education Courses

Please do not register for multiple sections of a class. Please click on the course name to register.

Day/Date	Time	Course Name	Course Code
Thurs., March 16 , 2023	9am-Noon	Mental Health & Wellness	DHS170.6
Thurs., March 16 , 2023	1-4pm	Dementia Care in PCH	DHS200.3
Thurs., March 23 , 2023	8am-Noon	COVID-19 Emergency Temporary Standard (ETS) for Healthcare Employers*	SAF210.37
Thurs., March 23 , 2023	1-4pm	New! Verbal De-Escalation Redirection Techniques	DHS196.4
Weds., March 29 , 2023	9am-Noon	Mental Health & Wellness	DHS170.7
Weds., March 29 , 2023	1-4pm	Infection Control & Wound Care	DHS130.25
Thurs., March 30 , 2023	1-5pm	COVID-19 Emergency Temporary Standard (ETS) for Healthcare Employers*	SAF210.39
Mon., April 3 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Pharmacology in Common Health Conditions - Part 1	DHS172.4
Mon., April 3 , 2023	6-9pm	New! Pharmacology in Common Health Conditions - Part 2	DHS173.4
Thurs., April 13 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Environmental Infection Control in PCH	DHS197.1
Thurs., April 13 , 2023	1-4pm	Fire Safety Awareness in PCH Train-the-Trainer	DHS178.8
Fri., April 14 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Safe Medication Best Practices in PCH	DHS199.3
Weds., April 19 , 2023	9am-Noon	Dementia Care in PCH	DHS200.4
Weds., April 19 , 2023	1-4pm	Mental Health & Wellness	DHS170.8
Thurs., April 20 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Personal Care Related Topics of Conversation ADL vs IADL	DHS201.1
Thurs., April 20 , 2023	1-4pm	New! Process Improvements in Personal Care Home	DHS198.1
Thurs., May 4 , 2023	8am-Noon	COVID-19 Emergency Temporary Standard (ETS) for Healthcare Employers*	SAF210.40
Mon., May 8 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Pharmacology in Common Health Conditions - Part 1	DHS172.5
Mon., May 8 , 2023	6-9pm	New! Pharmacology in Common Health Conditions - Part 2	DHS173.5
Thurs., May 11 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Verbal De-Escalation Redirection Techniques	DHS196.5
Thurs., May 11 , 2023	1-4pm	New! Environmental Infection Control in PCH	DHS197.2
Tues., May 16 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Process Improvements in Personal Care Home	DHS198.2
Tues., May 16 , 2023	1-4pm	New! Personal Care Related Topics of Conversation ADL vs IADL	DHS201.2
Fri., May 26 , 2023	9am-Noon	Safe Medication Practices in Personal Care Group	DHS199.4
Weds., June 7 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Personal Care Related Topics of Conversation ADL vs IADL	DHS201.3
Weds., June 7 , 2023	1-4pm	New! Process Improvements in Personal Care Home	DHS198.3
Thurs., June 8 , 2023	9am-Noon	New! Environmental Infection Control in PCH	DHS197.3
Thurs., June 8 , 2023	1-4pm	Fall Safety and Prevention of Injuries	DHS110.21

Diabetes Overview Classes - Online Via Zoom

To request a training class, please email pcerando@northampton.edu.

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PARTICIPANTS MUST MEET THE TECHNICAL REQUIREMENTS BELOW BEFORE ENROLLING.

Devices

- A desktop, or laptop computer with keyboard must be used to access our continuing education training courses (Chromebooks, smart phones and tablets are not compatible).
- Devices must have keyboard, audio and video camera capability to allow the student to communicate through written, verbal and non-verbal communications.
- Participating students must be able to access Zoom, which is web-based program and may require a file or application download.
- Computer program requirements for these web-based programs include, but may not be limited to:
Windows: Windows 7 32-bit/64-bit, Windows 8 32-bit/64-bit, Windows 8.1 32-bit/64-bit, Windows Server 2008 64-bit, Windows Server 2008 R2 64-bit, Windows 10, Windows 10 Enterprise LTSB, Mac OS X: 10.13, 10.14, 10.15

Internet Connection

- Students must have uninterrupted internet or Wi-Fi access for the entirety of the course.
- Supported internet browsers include Chrome, Safari and Firefox. (Internet Explorer is not recommended).

HOW TO REGISTER

Preregistration is mandatory for online classes. Please visit northampton.edu/PCHA to register.

For companies registering four or more employees, please download our registration form posted at northampton.edu/PCHA, complete the form, and fax to 610-332-6556. Please use employee's personal email address, not the company.

15 MINUTE LATE RULE

If a participant logs in 15 minutes after the start of the class, they may attend, but will **not** receive a certificate.

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