



Epilepsy Awareness Epilepsy Rescue Medication

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Title:

Epilepsy Awareness AM 9:15 – 12:30

Epilepsy Rescue Medication PM 13:30 – 16:30

Epilepsy Awareness: 9:15 – 12:30

Aims

Offer learners to have an insight into epilepsy and how it affects and effects the individual with the condition.

Objectives

By the end of the session the learner will be able to explain the following:-

- What epilepsy is and who it affects?
- Identify some of the causes
- Be familiar with different types of seizures.
- Non epileptic seizures and its relevance to epilepsy
- Suggest some of the common triggers.
- Explain how the diagnosis is made
- Be familiar with the effects of epilepsy
- Appreciate the relevance of Learning disability issues within this condition
- Explain the management of seizures in relation to first aid treatment.
- Be familiar with the Risks associated with epilepsy.

Epilepsy Rescue Medication: 13:30 – 16:30

Aims

- Update information and prior learning of epilepsy

- Participants will be able to describe the medication used in epilepsy and be competent in administration of rescue medication during guided practice.

Objectives

By the end of the session the learners will be able to:-

- Demonstrate previous learning of epilepsy by demonstration and through a question and answer session
- Explain how to care for resident with epilepsy during a seizure
- Explain and be able to recognise the different types of seizures which can occur
- Describe what a rescue medication is and explain when it is used
- Demonstrate drug administration in an individually observed teaching session
- Discuss side effects of these drugs and explain how to deal with these.
- Recognise the importance of protocols / legal issues
- Take an effective role in a simulated situation and be given feedback.
- Recognise the importance of supervised assessment in their own workplace.

Dates and Locations:

July

8th – Exmouth

July

21st – Bideford

September

1st – Tavistock

September

20th – Seaton

October

18th – Barnstaple

November

4th – Heathfield

November

17th Exeter

December

10th – Filleigh

January

28th – Heathfield

February

15th – Exmouth