

Health Sciences

Level 2 Certificate in the principles of addiction recovery

This qualification is designed to raise awareness of treatments and care available for different types of addiction and support while in recovery.

When does this start and end?	What are the entry requirements?	Need more information?
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 11 March 2026 - 24 April 2026	You will need to have studied and achieved at Level 1 previously. You will need to complete written assignments using an acceptable level of English language.	You can find out more about Northern College and the courses on offer by calling us on 01226 776000 or emailing us courses@northern.ac.uk

Course description

This course is aimed at individuals who are wanting to work as a professional in addiction recovery.

This qualification aims to:

- Focus on the study of the principles of addiction recovery within the health and social care sector.

The objective of this qualification is to:

- increase learners' awareness and understanding of addiction

· increase learners' understanding of addiction recovery, which could be used to support their role in the workplace where they may work with individual dealing with addiction or in post-addiction recovery

What can this course lead to?

Learners who achieve this qualification could progress to the following:

- Level 2 Mental Health Awareness
- L2 Certificate in Preparing to Work in health and social care
- L3 Counselling skills
- L3 Social Prescribing

Learners could seek out volunteering or employment opportunities within health and social care settings.

Want to learn more?

You can find out more about Northern College and the courses on offer at one of our Open Events [<https://www.northern.ac.uk/open-events/>]

Course session dates

Session dates for 11 March 2026 - 24 April 2026

- Wednesday 11 Mar 2026 to Friday 13 Mar 2026
- Wednesday 18 Mar 2026 to Friday 20 Mar 2026
- Wednesday 25 Mar 2026 to Friday 27 Mar 2026
- Wednesday 15 Apr 2026 to Friday 17 Apr 2026
- Wednesday 22 Apr 2026 to Friday 24 Apr 2026

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