2021-22 Training courses from





Our offer of free and paid-for staff development courses from experts in their fields.

Attend one of these sessions or contact us to create your own bespoke package.

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About Age UK Sheffield

About Enrichment for the Elderly





Sheffield's leading charity for people aged 50 and over, we are committed to making the city's workplaces age friendly for older workers and customers.

We've teamed up with our friends at Enrichment for the Elderly to design these exciting and interesting courses to help keep people in employment in later life, help businesses to benefit from the spending power of older customers, and to help us all prepare for a rewarding and fulfilling retirement. In this youth-obsessed society we have pushed aside the voices, creativity and sometimes knowledge of older people and staff members, we are here to buck this trend.

Working with professionals to dispel negativity around ageing and dementia (which can affect people of any age) in our training workshops. Looking to see the value in older people, people living with dementia and your staff to make a lasting difference to practice, which is inclusive and creates supportive relationships.

Free courses*

Course name	Supporting a customer who has dementia	Dementia in the workplace
Course overview	Supporting a customer who has dementia will explore how dementia may impact a customer and therefore what staff can do to help.	Dementia in the workplace will explore how to support a person diagnosed with dementia to continue to work and how we can better support employees who are caring for a person living with dementia.
Course outcomes	 After attending this course participants will be able to: Identify the potential impact of dementia on a customer including communication and sensory changes. Understand what you can do to help Understand the potential benefits of supporting a customer with dementia better 	 After attending this course participants will be able to: Identify the impact of dementia on an employee Understand the changes that can be made in the workplace to support a person affected by dementia to still work. Understand how to help support someone experiencing dementia
Who is this for?	Customer-facing staff and their managers	HR staff, senior managers, line managers
Course cost	Free*	Free*
Course delivery	Online (Zoom)	Online (Zoom)
Course dates and times	Tuesday 11 th May 2021, 10.00-12.00, or Wednesday 8 th September 2021, 1.30-3.30	Thursday 15 th July 2021, 1.30-3.30, or Tuesday 16 th November 2021, 10.00-12.00
Book on this course	Search for our courses on Eventbrite, or contact us for booking details	
Request a bespoke	Contact (0114) 250 2850 or e-mail: enquiries@ageuksheffield.org.uk	
course		

*These courses are available free to 1-2 people per Sheffield-based organisation, funded by Sheffield City Council through their Dementia Advice Sheffield service. If you wish to attend and work in a company outside Sheffield, please contact us for more details.

Paid-for courses

Course name	Adapting workplaces for older staff	Adapting workplaces for older customers
Course overview	How can your business get the most out of the	How can your business make more money by
	older staff you employ? Why do so many	focussing on older customers? Why do so many
	organisations lose these integral employees at a	organisations disengage the valuable older customer?
	most crucial time? What can you do to stop it?	What can you do to reduce this happening?
Course outcomes	After attending this course participants will be	After attending this course participants will be able to:
	able to:	 Identify the barriers for older customers
	Identify the barriers for older employees	 Understand how to encourage more older
	Understand how to support older employees	customers to spend with you
	Understand how to get the most out of older	 Understand how to get the most out of your older
	employees	customers
Who should attend?	HR staff, direct line managers, companies	Sales managers, customer facing staff,
	struggling to recruit	managersanyone who wants to improve their
		organisation's ability to earn money from older
		customers. Surveys have estimated that over-50s
		account for 76% of the nation's wealth and 47% of
		consumer spending.
Course cost	£85 + VAT (Zoom)	£85 + VAT (Zoom)
Course delivery	July course - online (Zoom)	July course - online (Zoom)
	January course – face-to-face, venue in	February course – face-to-face, venue in Sheffield City
	Sheffield City Centre	Centre
Course dates and	Tuesday 6 th July 2021, 1.30-4.30, or	Tuesday 27 th July 2021, 1.30-4.30, or
times	Thursday 20 th January 2022, 9.30-12.30	Thursday 3 rd February 2022, 9.30-12.30
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Course name	Preparing for retirement (two-part course)	Wellbeing in the workplace (two-part course)
Course overview	Supporting employees to start to prepare for	Exploring the impact of well-being on individual staff
	their retirement, this course will explore the	members and what you can do to use this to support
	impact of retirement, emotionally and physically.	your employees better creating a more efficient
	The second part of the course will explore the	business.
	financial impact of retirement and developing	What can your organisation do to support staff well-
	new skills and interests.	being and what to do if a staff member is impacted so
		much by stress that they are no longer engaging in
		work or even not attending work.
Course outcomes	After attending this course participants will be	After attending this course participants will be able to:
	able to:	 Identify how to define well-being
	Identify the impact of retirement emotionally	 Understand the impact of policies and procedures
	and physically	on staff stress and retaining staff.
	• Understand how to prepare for the change of	• Understand how to create a more positive impact on
	retirement	staff well-being
	Understand how best to plan for a better	 Identify the impact of the organisation on staff stress
	retirement	 Understand how to reduce staff stress
	Identify the impact of retirement on finances	Identify the impact of staff stress on your business
	and skills	 Understand how staff well-being impacts on your
	Understand how to prepare financially for the	business
	change of retirement	 Understand how to create a more positive impact on
	Understand how best to plan for a better	staff well-being organisationally
	retirement	oran won boing organioadoriany
Who should attend?	Any worker who is considering, or preparing for,	HR, line managers and managers - anyone who wants
	retirement. Anyone who is responsible for	to get the most of our their staff team.
	supporting older workers in their organisation.	
Course cost	£170 + VAT (Zoom)	£170 + VAT (Zoom)
Course delivery	Nov/Dec course - online (Zoom)	Sept/Oct course - online (Zoom)
-	March course – face-to-face, venue in Sheffield	February course – face-to-face, venue in Sheffield City
	City Centre	Centre

Course dates	Two-part Zoom course on Tuesdays 23 rd	Two-part Zoom course on Thursdays 23 rd September
	November 2021 (9.30-12.30) and 7 th December	2021 (9.30-12.30) and 7 th October 2021 (9.30-12.30).
	(9.30-12.30).	Or full-day face-to-face course on Wednesday 23 rd
	Or full-day face-to-face course on Wednesday	February 2022 (9.00-4.00) at a location in Sheffield City
	30^{th} March 2022 (9.00-4.00) at a location in	Centre.
	Sheffield City Centre.	
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Feedback from previous courses

"Excellent structure and opportunity to discuss around the topic as ever. The exercise was very powerful and thought provoking. Very enjoyable and useful training, and so easy to see how to apply learning back into my work."

"Just wanted to say how great the session was. It was great to join and experience your training sessions for myself and I'm so glad I did. I thought it was so engaging and thought provoking, and I felt you could really get the sense everyone else felt the same."

"Really useful and thought provoking, lots of information but also lots of time for sharing of thoughts/ ideas."

"I really enjoyed the course as it was interactive and engaging. Definitely not 'death by slides' and forced us to rethink from a different perspective without feeling intimidated. The trainer delivered the course really well and her enthusiasm is contagious!"

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