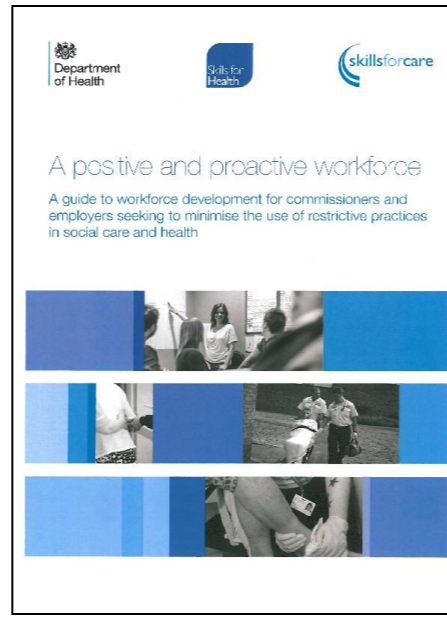


# Accredited Qualifications in PBS

These E-LEARNING qualifications in Positive Behaviour Support are designed to achieve WHOLE ORGANISATION training. They were launched around 7 years ago and have over 2000 candidates enrolled across the UK, Europe and Australasia, from over 100 organisations including the British Psychological Society.

They are accredited by Pearson, the awarding body, under their BTEC Edexcel customised qualifications.



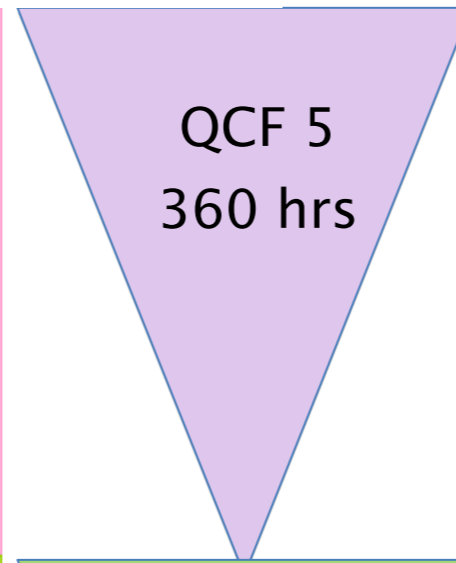
The aim of the courses is to develop a POSITIVE AND PROACTIVE WORKFORCE by disseminating knowledge and skills in PBS as recommended by UK Governments.

## POSITIVE BEHAVIOUR SUPPORT (PBS)

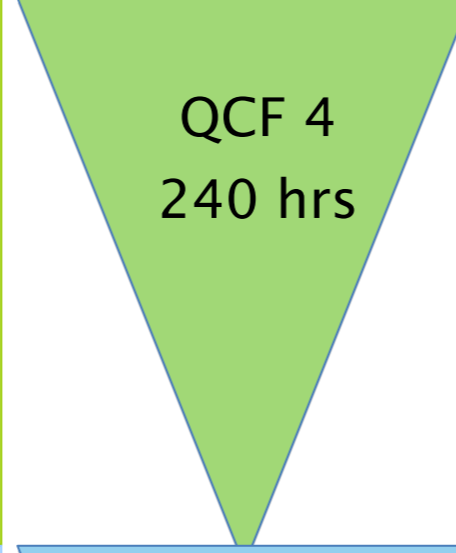
- ❖ Is values based
- ❖ Is evidenced based
- ❖ Is person-centred
- ❖ Understands the reasons for challenging behaviour
- ❖ Improves the environment reducing challenging behaviour
- ❖ Improves the person's skills and quality of life
- ❖ Keeps people and carers safe
- ❖ Reduces the use of restrictive practices
- ❖ Is recommended by the Department of Health & Skills for Care



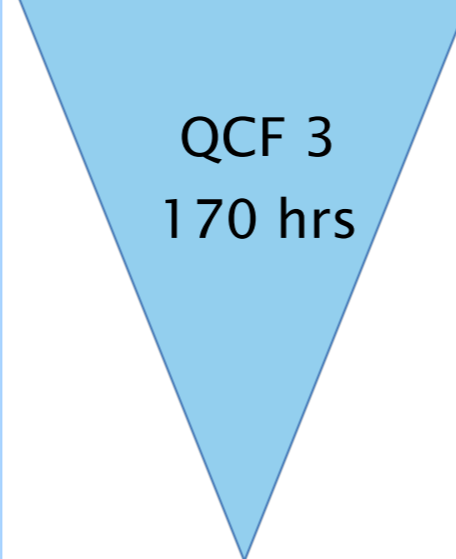
**Professional Diploma**  
For practice leaders at clinical psychologist, behaviour specialist, psychiatrist & senior practitioner levels



**Professional Certificate**  
For practice leaders at senior and first-line manager, care manager, teacher and specialist nurse levels



**Advanced Certificate**  
For practitioners at support worker, health care support worker, classroom assistant levels and parents



## Theory - Practice - Apply

A blended learning experience: **theory** via audio, video and interactive tutorial; **simulated practice** via case studies linear and branching scenarios; **application** via structured work-based activities, supported by practice supervisors and mentors.

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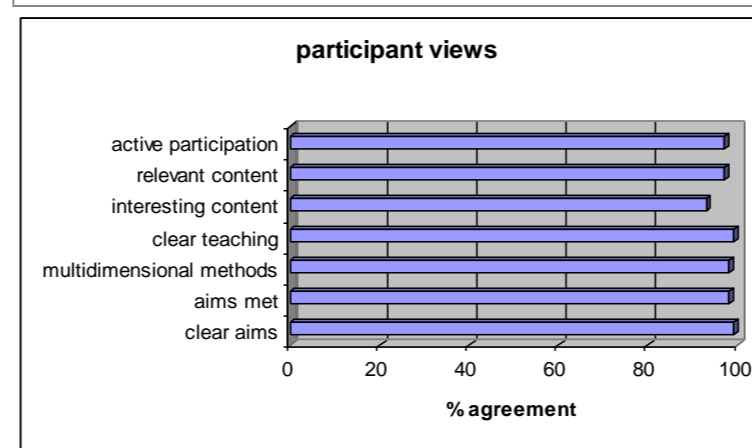
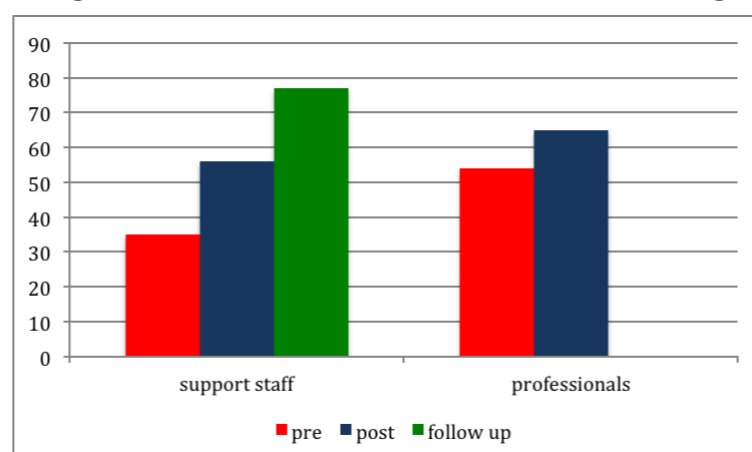
- ✓ Contemporary service values
- ✓ Person-Centred Planning
- ✓ Understanding challenging behaviour
- ✓ Functional Analysis
- ✓ Mental health issues
- ✓ Primary prevention
- ✓ Active Support
- ✓ Communication
- ✓ Skill teaching
- ✓ Secondary prevention
- ✓ Reactive Strategies
- ✓ Managing PBS
- ✓ Goodness of Fit
- ✓ Training Carers
- ✓ Positive Monitoring
- ✓ Periodic Service Review
- ✓ Monitoring effectiveness
- ✓ Troubleshooting

All three courses cover these topics, with the extent and depth of learning increasing through the higher levels, reflecting professional roles and responsibilities in PBS.

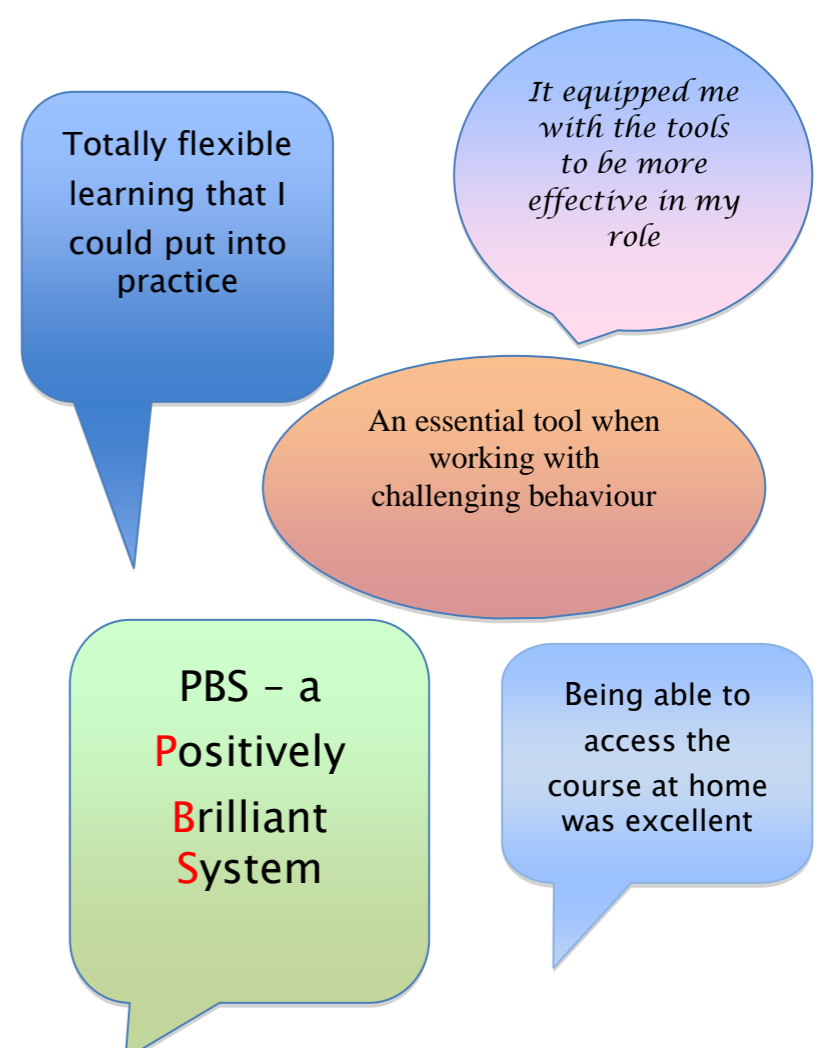
## BENEFITS OF E-LEARNING

- Flexible to suit all learning styles
- Not dependent on start dates
- Accessible at all times and places
- Cost effective
- Minimal release from the workplace
- Delivers consistent quality
- Not dependent on tutor availability
- Not dependent on student group size
- Provides a rich learning environment
- Enables safe practice scenarios
- Interactive and stimulating
- Assessed online

Significant Increases in staff knowledge



## CANDIDATES' VIEWS



Totally flexible learning that I could put into practice

It equipped me with the tools to be more effective in my role

An essential tool when working with challenging behaviour

PBS - a Positively Brilliant System

Being able to access the course at home was excellent

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