

## **Drug and Alcohol Counselling**

## **Summary**

Drug and alcohol misuse is a serious and widespread problem, affecting not just those with substance abuse problems, but the people around them and society as a whole. Drug and alcohol counsellors work with people who are struggling with addiction, helping them to overcome their problems and lead healthier, more productive lives. This course will equip you with the skills and knowledge needed to become a successful substance misuse counsellor.

Course Provider		Oxbridge Home Learning Fazeley House, 50 Rocky Lane, Birmingham B6 5RQ 0121 720 9121 www.oxbridgehomelearning.uk
Qualification Accreditation		This is not an accredited qualification.
Academic level		Level 3
PET entry requirements		English Level 2
Format of course material		Paper-based
Structure of course	<ol> <li>Introduction to Addictions</li> <li>Addictive Substances</li> <li>Models and Perspectives Surrounding Substance Misuse</li> <li>Classification of Substances</li> <li>Treatment and Preventions</li> <li>Stages of Change</li> <li>Navigating Recovery</li> <li>Reflexivity and Diversity</li> </ol>	
Assignments		There are eight assignments to be completed and submitted. Assignments are submitted one by one and take feedback on board. Turnaround with feedback is a maximum of 14 days.
Exam		None.
Estimated completion time		125 hours
Maximum course duration		The course needs to be completed within 12 months. If a course extension is required, contact the course supplier directly.
Prison support requirements		Support assessment submission (ideally scan to the tutor or post). It is recommended to

make copies in case assignments get lost.



	Contact supplier for more info on assignment submission and course extension. See contact details are above in the 'Course provider' section.
Supplier tutor's support	There is supplier tutor support available. Tutors are available to assist with requests for clarification or for support around understanding and they also mark assignments. Supplier tutors can be contacted via prison staff. See 'Contact provider' section for more details
Certificate	A certificate is provided upon a successful completing of the course.
Progress	There are range of possible progression options. Call our free Advice Line on 0800 048 7520 on Tuesdays (10-12pm and 2-4pm) and Thursdays (10am-12pm and 2-6pm).