

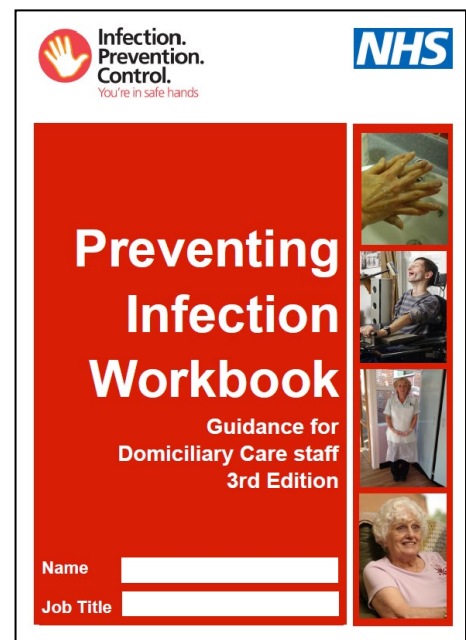
Preventing Infection Workbook: Guidance for Domiciliary Care staff

Objective: This educational Workbook has been produced specially for staff providing Domiciliary Care to help with CQC registration requirements and achieve compliance with the *Health and Social Care Act 2008: code of practice on the prevention and control of infections and related guidance*.

Overview: This innovative 72 page Workbook is A5 size, is suitable for a wide range of staff providing care at home to service users, such as domiciliary and rehabilitation teams, who undertake personal care or assist with daily living activities. It is designed for all levels of staff and each member of staff should receive their own copy to be worked through at their own pace.

Provides:

- National guidance
- Evidence-based information
- 19 topics including the Standard infection control precautions, Antimicrobial stewardship, Specimen collection, Urinary catheter care, UTI prevention, *C. difficile*, MRGNB including CPE, MRSA, Respiratory illnesses and Viral gastroenteritis/Norovirus
- Each topic includes a 'Test your knowledge' section
- When 100% IPC knowledge has been achieved, managers sign the 'Certificate of completion' at the end of the Workbook, providing evidence for CQC registration requirements
- The Workbook should be kept by the member of staff as part of their portfolio of evidence of learning and can be used as a reference guide for day-to-day working



The 'Preventing Infection Workbook: guidance for staff providing Care at Home' is excellent and a good source of information for our Support Workers.

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There are now over 275,000 Workbooks from our range that are being used by staff working in health and social care settings, including Councils across the country such as Cumberland, Westmorland and Furness, Devon, North Yorkshire and York.