

## AUTISTIC SPECTRUM DISORDERS

Autism covers a wide range of social, speech and communication disabilities, and delegates will learn how to manage any variation whilst remaining understanding of the behavioural difficulties which it can cause. The training fulfils recommendations underlined by the CQC to help improve the quality of care provided to those with autism.

## **COURSE DETAILS**

- 1. What is Autism and who is affected, Causes and symptoms
- 2. Asperger Syndrome
- 3. How a Person with Autism Feels

## 4. THE CHARACTERISTICS OF AUTISM

- Social interaction
- Social communication
- Imagination
- 5. Love of Routines
- 6. Sensory Difficulties
- 7. The Causes of Autism
- 8. Diagnosis of Autism
- 9. Autism Interventions

## **10. TREATMENT FOR AUTISM**

- Education
- Medication
- Other Types of Therapy
- 11. Picture exchange communication
- 12. Picture exchange communication system (PECS)
- 13. Secretin hormone therapy
- 14. Caring and managing People with Autism
- 15. Record Keeping and reporting