



## Dementia Pathfinders FREE Training Days

Dementia Pathfinders CIC, in partnership with Agewell CIC, is pleased to offer free places on the following training days as part of the Kingfisher Buddies project, funded by the Big Lottery 'Reaching Communities' Fund:

### 28<sup>th</sup> February 2019 – 'Dementia Awareness'

#### Learning Outcomes:

- Understand what dementia is
- Understand key features of the theoretical models of dementia
- Know the most common types of dementia and their causes
- Understand factors relating to an individual's experience of dementia

### 28<sup>th</sup> March 2019 – 'Understand Equality, Diversity and Inclusion'

#### Learning Outcomes:

- Understand and appreciate the importance of diversity of individuals with dementia
- Understand the importance of person centred approaches in the care and support of individuals with dementia
- Understand ways of working with a range of individuals who have dementia to ensure diverse needs are met

### 25<sup>th</sup> April 2019 - 'The Person-Centred Approach to the Care and Support of Individuals with Dementia'

#### Learning Outcomes:

- Understand approaches that enable individuals with dementia to experience well-being
- Understand the role of carers in the care and support of individuals with dementia
- Understand the roles of others in the support of individuals with dementia

### 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2019 – 'Understand the Factors that can Influence Communication and Interaction with Individuals who have Dementia'

#### Learning Outcomes:

- Understand the factors that can influence communication and interaction with individuals who have dementia
- Understand how a person-centred approach may be used to encourage positive communication with individuals with dementia
- Understand the factors which can affect interactions with individuals with dementia.

Each training day will be held at Rounds Green Library, Martley Road, Oldbury B69 1DZ and will start at 9.30am (with registration from 9.15am) and finish at 4.30pm.

The four training sessions make up an **'Award in Awareness of Dementia' Level 2**, accredited by the Open College Network London Region (OCNLR). Delegates can apply to undertake the qualification by emailing [info@dementiathfinders.org](mailto:info@dementiathfinders.org). All training days are free to attend, however, if you do wish to undertake the Level 2 qualification, you will be required to complete a series of assignments for assessment. A fee of £160.00 will be charged to cover the cost of registration with OCNLR, administration and marking.

Places are limited, therefore apply now to avoid disappointment. If you have any questions about the course or would like to talk to someone about whether or not it is suitable for your development needs, please call Barbara Stephens on 07774 935905 or email your questions to: [barbara.stephens@dementiathfinders.org](mailto:barbara.stephens@dementiathfinders.org)