



Personal Health Budget (PHB) Holder and PA funding for training – deadline extended

Personal health budget (PHB) holders now have until 31 March 2016 to apply for [funding for training](#) for themselves or their personal assistants (PAs). The funding is available to all PHB holders employing a PA, including in relation to children and young people with a PHB. So far, over 70 PAs have benefited from the funding.

Courses funded have included:

- Leadership and team building skills
- First aid
- Health and safety
- Diplomas in health and social care
- Communication skills
- Food safety
- Problem solving at work.

Please encourage and support any PHB holders you work with, to complete an application form and take advantage of the opportunity to receive this funding. The application form and information about the types of courses covered are here: <http://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/Funding/Individual-employer-funding/Individual-employer-funding.aspx>