

TEACHING PEOPLE WITH DISABILITIES TO DRIVE © 3-day driving instructors' course

Enables qualified driving instructors to build on their basic driver training experience in order to assist people with a disability to drive.

Benefits

- Opens up a new client base for your driving school
- Increases your job satisfaction from enabling this client group to become independently mobile
- Enables you to be equipped to work in conjunction with your local Forum Mobility Centre or Motability on rehabilitative driver training
- Develops your Continual Professional Development portfolio

Who should attend?

Qualified driving instructors who are looking to further their careers and develop confidence in the rewarding role of teaching people with disabilities to drive.

Course Overview

The programme includes:

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| • Disability awareness | • Car control options |
| • Considering physical conditions | • Visual problems/testing vision |
| • Effects of cognitive impairments | • Access and wheelchair stowage |
| • Teaching techniques | • Driving tests and licences |
| ~ physical disabilities | • Information services |
| ~ learning difficulties | • Experience with volunteers with differing disabilities |
| ~ hearing impairment | |

There is an opportunity to practice and discuss with volunteers with differing disabilities, drive a range of adapted cars and discuss relevant aspects such as modifications, licences, insurance and the driving test.

Course information

Duration	3 days
Cost	£300 inclusive of course materials, certificate, refreshments and lunches for the 3 days
Location	Mobility Centre, Carshalton, Surrey, SM5 4NR (Local accommodation list available)
When	The next available courses are: <i>29 April- 1 May 2008</i> <i>16-18 September 2008</i>

How to apply

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