Health Care Support Worker Orientation Workshop Agenda



Health Care Support Worker (HCSW) Curriculum

Applies to:	All Long-term Care Health Care Support Workers (HCSWs) attending orientation.
Purpose:	To provide an overview of the learning plan for HCSWs.

Your full-day orientation (7.5 hours) includes 2 parts:

- Orientation to the site (4.5 hours)
- Orientation to the role (3 hours)

Orientation to the Site

- Site tour (using the Getting to Know my Unit: Orientation Checklist)
- Infection Prevention and Control
 - o PPE, Hand-washing and COVID19 protocols
- Muscular Skeletal Injury Prevention (MSIP) Equipment Handling
- Code Red

Orientation to the Role

This table outlines the Peer Mentor orientation content.

- HCSWs will attend only 1 session: either in the morning or in the afternoon.
- The presenters may differ based on presenter availability.

Topic	Presenter	Duration
 Welcome Territorial Acknowledgment Introductions – Presenters and Peer Mentors Session Overview and Partnership 	Site Managers CNLs/CNEs All other presenters	15 min
Long-term Care Philosophy of Care Introducing our Resident- and Family-Centred Care values	Site Managers	10 min
MentorshipYour Role in the Mentorship Partnership	CNL	15 min
Stretch Break		10 min
 Welcome to the Learner Core Values Qualities the Learner Brings to the Role 	CNE/Program Practice and Education Manager	15 min
All about the new HCSW role HCSW Roles and Responsibilities	CNE	30 min

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 HCSW Limits and Conditions HCSW Onsite Work Schedule Resources and Support 		
Break		15 min
Engaging and Connecting with ResidentsInteracting and Communicating	Activity Department Rec Therapists	15 min
Shift routine/A Day in the Life of an HCSW Roles and Responsibilities	CNE	30 min
Wrap-Up QuestionsDebrief and Evaluating Readiness	CNE/Site Manager	15 min