

HOME MODIFICATIONS : INTRODUCTION

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This one-day workshop is designed for occupational therapy professionals who wish to obtain an introduction to home modifications. Participants will be provided with information related to the topic and will participate in small group activities and discussions in order to consolidate the knowledge and to practice measuring and planning home modifications. Case studies will also be used throughout the workshop in order to demonstrate how to apply the information to practice.

Learning objectives:

After taking part in this workshop, participants will:

- Understand the relevance and application of models of practice and professional reasoning to everyday clinical practice in home modifications.
- Understand the influence of architectural design trends that have emerged over time.
- Understand current practices in measurement of the person, carer and equipment and how to translate these into features in the built environment.
- Be able to describe the essential areas to document in a report and the key elements to include in concept plans.
- Be aware of the range of tools and resources to assist practice.