

Looking After Challenging Customers: Delivering Great Customer Service (Part 2) Course Outline

Duration: 3 Hours

Course Description: This course is designed for anyone involved in customer service, especially face to face with customers. This session is also ideal for managers of customer service teams. Part 2 works harder on managing difficult customers and complaint handling.

Pre-requisites: Attendees should work in a customer service environment. Although attendance at "delivering great customer service part 1" is not compulsory, it will be beneficial.

What will it cover?

- Review of "delivering great customer service part 1"
 - o The link between good customer service and business success
- The importance of gathering customer feedback
 - The customer loyalty ladder
 - The danger of dissatisfied customers that don't complain
- Identifying different types of difficult customers
 - o Identifying and understanding different customer needs
 - o Putting ourselves in the customers' shoes
- Dealing with customer complaints and challenges
 - Strategies for success
 - Turning complaints into compliments
- How to recover from a painful customer experience
 - Helping yourself and your colleagues
 - Learning from complaints to make improvements
- Customer service as part of every job role
 - Managing your time so you can provide great customer service alongside other job tasks
 - Social media and the link to customer service