

Diploma in Old Age Care (2 Years)

Specialized Training in Geriatric Care and Social Support for the Elderly

Course Overview

The Diploma in Old Age Care is a two-year career-oriented program aimed at training professionals in the physical, emotional, social, and psychological care of senior citizens. With the aging population growing globally, this course prepares students to provide empathetic and skilled support to the elderly in various settings like homes, old age centers, hospitals, and NGOs. This program blends theory, research, and hands-on care techniques to address the unique challenges faced by the elderly.

Course Highlights

- Elderly Psychology and Age-Related Changes
- Government Policies and Healthcare Systems for Seniors
- Social Work Strategies and Computer Skills
- Prepares for Roles in Elder Care, NGOs, and Hospices
- Ideal for Nurses, Caregivers, and Healthcare Aspirants

Course Structure

Paper I: Foundations of Elderly Care

- Introduction to Aging
- Physiological and Psychological Problems of the Elderly
- Policies and Programmes for the Aged

Paper II: Practical Application and Support Services

- Social Work with Old Age
- Research and Development in Gerontology
- Fundamentals of Computer and PC Package

Career Opportunities

- Geriatric Care Assistant
- Old Age Home Caregiver
- Elderly Welfare Program Coordinator
- Social Worker for Senior Citizens
- Hospice and Palliative Care Support Staff
- NGO or Government Scheme Facilitator

Who Can Join

- 10th or 12th Pass Students
- Aspiring caregivers, nurses, or social workers
- Individuals passionate about supporting senior citizens

- NGO volunteers and community service providers

Certification

Diploma in Old Age Care (Issued by Workfreaks Business School)