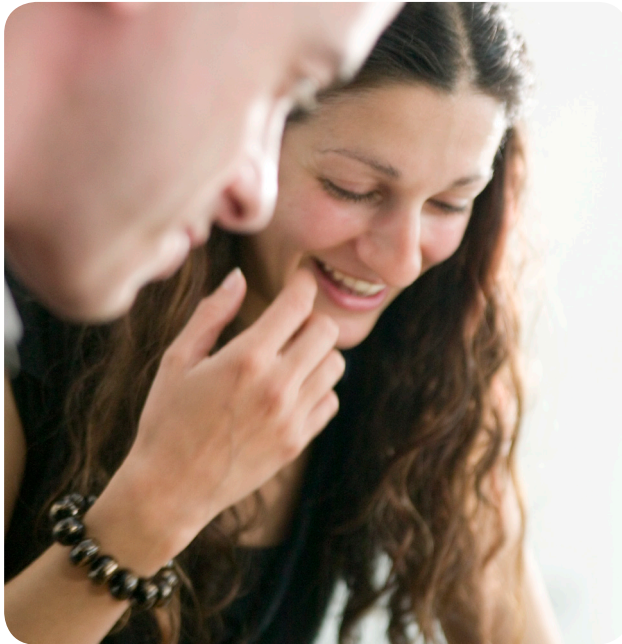


NEW COURSE! PQASSO for funders and commissioners

Duration:
One day



If organisations wish to demonstrate that they are well run and provide quality services, this can be done most efficiently if there is a clear, consistent and objective benchmark of performance. But which ones offer you the assurance that you need? PQASSO is the leading quality system in use in the voluntary sector. It is a self-assessment tool that offers the option of the externally accredited PQASSO Quality Mark, which has been endorsed by the Charity Commission at levels 2 and 3.

What you will learn

You will:

- familiarise yourself with the areas of organisational life that the PQASSO standards address including monitoring outcomes, governance, financial and risk management
- gain an understanding of how the most commonly used quality standards compare including ISO 9001 and Investors in People
- be introduced to the external accreditation of PQASSO - the PQASSO Quality Mark endorsed by the Charity Commission at levels 2 and 3.

PQASSO is a popular tool within the voluntary sector which helps to strengthen an organisation.

'PQASSO complements what we already do.'

Sue Johnson, Hillingdon Shopmobility

Who for

This course is suitable for **anyone who commissions or funds voluntary organisations and:**

- is interested in quality
- would like to know more about how quality standards compare
- expects or requires the organisations that you fund to adopt a quality framework, standard or code of practice and wishes to gain a greater understanding of what this might involve.

This course is not recommended if you wish to implement PQASSO at your own organisation.

Benefits

By attending this course you will:

- learn more about quality in a voluntary sector context with a group of your peers
- increase your understanding of PQASSO and the areas of organisational life that it addresses
- consider which approach to quality will best meet your requirements as a funder
- have the opportunity to network and learn with a group of your peers.

For a full list of course dates, please visit the training calendar on our training pages at www.ces-vol.org.uk

To find out more about how CES training can help you, or to download a booking form from our website visit www.ces-vol.org.uk

If you have a question or are not sure which course is right for you, please get in touch. To speak to the training team directly, email training@ces-vol.org.uk or call **020 7713 5722**.

TIP

We also offer a course on **Assessing the outcomes of funded projects** and a free half-day **SROI workshop**, specifically for funders.

TIP

CES delivers a range of courses on quality. The two-day **Implementing PQASSO** course is suggested if you are wishing to implement PQASSO.