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Industry Update: NHSS 12D Refresher Tests Launched

Lantra is pleased to announce that the NHSS 12D Committee have approved NEW 12D Refresher tests!

What does this mean?

Providers are now able to offer learners the chance to renew their 12D skills by just undertaking the Refresher test, there is no requirement to deliver the course.

If the learner is looking to renew a specific skill you can offer them the refresher test and this will renew the skill for 5 years. This is only available to learners who skills are in date, if they have an expired skill they will not be eligible to undertake the Refresher test, they will have to complete the 12D course and test.

Which 12D modules does this cover?

| NHSS Course | Available to deliver | Available online |
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| 12D T1 Refresher test | Yes | Yes |
| 12D T2 Refresher test | Yes | Yes |
| 12D T3 Refresher test | Yes | Yes |
| 12D T4 Refresher test | Yes | Yes |
| 12D T6 Refresher test | Yes | No |

You can choose to deliver the tests under normal classroom conditions, or online via the Lantra Proctored exam process. please note, 12D T6 is not available online at the time of this news release.

Does 12D T6 cover the other modules?

A benefit of the Refresher tests is, if the Learner successful passes the 12D T6 refresher test, this will renew T1-T4 automatically. If the learners T1-T4 skills have expired, the 12D T6 Refresher test will not renew those skills.

Can I deliver multiple tests on the same day?

Yes, as the is no course to accompany the test, you can hold tests back to back.

Is the Refresher test the same as the 12D Training Course Test?

No, the 12D Refresher tests have been specifically created for Learners renewing their skills and Providers can only use these tests to renew existing skills. These are not appropriate for new learners or learners with expired skills.

The test papers will be forward to the approved Provider to use with immediate effect.

Regards Lantra