

What is DirectCourse?

DirectCourse is trusted training that's built on the latest research and delivered online via a powerful learning management system (LMS).

What makes us different?

The best content.

We partner with industry experts to create content based on the latest leading research. To write and refine our content, we work with university centers supported by the National Institute on Disability, Independent Living and Rehabilitation Research and the Administration for Community Living.

A trusted platform.

We use our own learning management system, Elsevier Performance Manager, to make learning simple and help you meet compliance standards. To learn more about our LMS, visit directcourseonline.com/lms.

- Once I saw the content I got even more interested, and then I saw the whole course, I thought 'What does this cost and what do we need to do to acquire this?'
 - Mike Oxford, Executive Director of Topeka Independent Living Resource Center
 College of Personal Assistance and Caregiving Customer

College of Personal Assistance and Caregiving

Every day, the work of personal care assistants, home care providers and family caregivers empowers older adults and people with disabilities to be more independent in their homes and communities. These hard workers make a real impact by assisting with necessary tasks and providing care when needed. The College of Personal Assistance and Caregiving provides training rooted in research, and is designed so that caregivers can effectively provide assistance to older adults and people with physical disabilities. With our training, you can ensure that everyone, at every experience level, is ready to deliver the best care possible for the populations you serve.









Improve care.

The College of Personal Assistance and Caregiving gives learners the power to increase knowledge and skills to deliver the best care possible.

Self-directed approach.

The flexibility and quality of DirectCourse creates a training environment centered on a self-directed approach to personal care.



For the latest trusted research, we partner with the University of California, San Francisco. They're recognized leaders in researching personal assistance services and how long-term services and support efforts can help people with disabilities and older adults live independently and safely within a community. That research goes into our content and training to not only improve care today, but to improve independence for tomorrow.

Our Courses

At DirectCourse, we're able to empower learners to build their skills and competencies in improving the quality of their care to people with physical disabilities and older adults to live independently at home and in community settings.

We offer courses filled with trusted training across key areas in personal assistance and caregiving, including:

- Personal Care
- Understanding Health and Healthcare Activities
- Preventive Health and Wellness
- Disability Rights and Independent Living
- Roles and Responsibilities of a Home Care Provider
- Safety at Work: Information for Home Care Providers
- Being Prepared for an Emergency
- Diabetes Care
- Cerebral Palsy Care
- Dementia Care

See everything the College of Personal Assistance and Caregiving has to offer. Visit directcoursecatalog.com to learn more.

DirectCourse has you covered.



Expert Content



✓ Compliance Tracking



✓ Customizable Training

DirectCourse is a collaboration between Elsevier and the University of Minnesota's Research and Training Center on Community Living.







