

Employer Quality Standard

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What is the Employer Quality Standard?

It's an award that supports people to be good employers. Completing the Employer Quality Standard can give people confidence and reassurance that they are meeting all the responsibilities expected of them as an employer.

Personal Assistant Employers and Personal Assistants have worked with us to create:-

1. A Self-assessment Checklist to summarise the important information for Personal Assistant Employers
2. An information booklet that provides detailed information.

“Completing the EQS reassured us that we were doing everything right”



Can I get help to do the EQS?

Yes. The Self-directed Support Service can support you in your role as a Personal Assistant employer including completing the EQS.

Why do it?

- ◆ Helps employers see quickly what they are doing well
- ◆ Shows employers any areas they may need to think about now
- ◆ Reassures new and existing employers that they are meeting their legal responsibilities as an employer
- ◆ Quickly reminds existing employers of information they may not have needed for some time or of legal changes they may have missed.
- ◆ It is likely to make Personal Assistant recruitment and retention easier



Currently employers who have completed the EQS can access discounts for:

- 1) Employer's liability insurance from some insurance companies
- 2) Personal Assistant training from the Personal Assistant Network



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