

What people say about their Eden Associate Course

After day 1

- The training gives me the opportunity to recognise and appreciate the simple things residents can do, and what I am doing about it.
- I found today very interesting and feel that it is not all about the cost, but taking time to listen, really listen.
- Training finished at 5pm, discussion about the training continued between me and my staff until gone 11.30pm – the training was that effective.
- Today gave me a new outlook on my clients and ideas of how to implement changes
- The day has reinforced for me the importance of education and getting all staff on board including senior staff.
- Thanks to Eden Alternative for listening to us carers for the loneliness and boredom of residents which is happening right now and is a challenge to us carers to tackle the problem

After day 2

- Helps me to enhance what we are already doing and learned more strategies to improve resident's lives.
- The meaningless activity was an eye-opener as we all have planned and structured activities, but they may have no meaning to the people who attend these sessions.
- Videos were an inspiration on how things are perceived and different ways that people treat the elderly.
- It would be nice to break out of our patterns and not be afraid to make mistakes

After day 3

- It all makes perfect sense by day 3. I am looking forward to the benefits for my residents.
- Enjoyed every minute of the course, feel very inspired. Thank you.
- The information will give me the tools to take Eden forward.
- I enjoyed the leadership session and sharing with others what makes a good leader.
- Eden Alternative has helped me to widen my passion in whatever I am doing

General

- Thank you so much for sharing Eden with myself and my staff. The future for my home now looks even better.
- Venue was beautiful. Enjoyed the course very much and I leave with enthusiasm.
- The Eden training was very good. I now feel very enthusiastic and optimistic about the Edenising of our home. What an inspiring 3 days – I can't wait to start.
- This whole course has revolved round my way of thinking and every single person that works in a residential care home should come on the course.
- Excellent course. Took everything back to basics. Beneficial to use and implement into our practice.
- I have enjoyed the whole course and have been given greater insight. One of the best courses I have ever attended.
- I hope all the staff will go for training so that it will make a difference.