



## Guidance for delegates on Bild distance learning programmes

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### **For delegates who are completing the Introduction to Practical Functional Assessment Through Distance Learning**

At Bild we are changing the way we deliver some of our programmes to adapt to current circumstances. We are still committed to maintaining high quality so learners have a valuable experience and are inspired to make positive changes that improve people quality of life.

After scrutinising the evidence base about the effectiveness of different remote of online methods and testing out some different options, we will be offering a small number of flipped learning and blended learning programmes.

The flipped learning approach means we are using a combination of pre-recorded presentations and other resources sent out in advance to delegates which are complemented by live tutorials in small groups with an experienced consultant. We will be able to use either Zoom or Microsoft Teams for these tutorials, depending on which platform is easier for delegates to access.

Having the learning materials such as the pre-recorded presentations in advance means you can look at them when it suits and your workplace. You can use the live tutorials to discuss the new knowledge with the consultant, and other colleagues and any work you have been asked to complete.

This flexible approach means video call fatigue is minimised and delegate live online time with a consultant and the rest of the group is maximised.

We have kept the tutorial groups small (maximum of five) and that means there is plenty of time for individual coaching as well as group discussion.

To get the most from these tutorials we strongly recommend a number of things:

- You check that you can use the chosen video conferencing platform in advance on the device you are going to use - some organisations have blocks on some platforms. Please also check that you have enough internet capacity to join the live session
- You have your own screen during tutorials even if you are doing this with other colleagues in the work place
- You complete the pre-tutorial work in good time, this will be watching the pre-recorded presentations and completing activities in the workbook. You will be asked to present or discuss what you have done in the tutorials.
- You need to attend all the tutorials to successfully complete the programme you will be expected to attend all the tutorials and join each one on time.
- You submit your assessment and completed workbook electronically to be marked in a timely manner.