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## How to Physically Assist and Support Pupils with Physical Disabilities

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Date	Time	Venue	Reference
22/05/2007	09:30 - 16:00	Norwich Professional Development Centre	ENWA4/A
19/06/2007	09:30 - 16:00	West Norfolk Professional Development Centre	ENWA4/B
26/09/2007	09:30 - 16:00	Norwich Professional Development Centre	ENWA4/C
17/10/2007	09:30 - 16:00	West Norfolk Professional Development Centre	ENWA4/D
19/11/2007	09:30 - 16:00	Norwich Professional Development Centre	ENWA4/E
08/01/2008	09:30 - 16:00	West Norfolk Professional Development Centre	ENWA4/F

### Course Context/Audience:

A one-day course for primary and secondary SENCOs, teachers and support staff working with physically disabled pupils in mainstream schools.

This course will cover:

- Musculoskeletal injuries - how and why they occur and practical tips to reduce the risk of injury
- Principles of moving and handling – how to apply the principles
- Avoiding poor practice and injury - guidance and advice
- Legislation - a summary on health and safety regulations
- Assessing risks - guidance on assessing manual handling risks and what to do when risks are identified
- Practical skills training - an opportunity to practice skills relevant to working with children
  - these are tailored to meet the needs of the delegates on the day
- Unexpected situations - an opportunity to develop skills for handling surprise situations

### Objectives:

This course will introduce primary and secondary SENCOs, teachers and support staff working with physically disabled pupils in mainstream schools to using best practice moving and handling to reduce risk to themselves and pupils. This course will support schools seeking to make reasonable adjustments for individual disabled pupils as part of their action plan to support access in response to the Disability Discrimination Act.

**Course Leader/s:** Carole Johnson, MCPS, SRP, Cert. Ed.

**Phase:** All schools

**Fee: £130.00**

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### How to book:

To apply for a place on this activity please visit our website at:

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