



Focus Awards Level 4 Certificate in Ultrasound  
Cavitation Treatment (RQF)  
610/3529/4

## Qualification Summary

### Key Information

<b>Level</b>	<b>Sector</b>	<b>Qualification Type</b>
4	Service Enterprise	Vocationally-Related
<b>Total Qualification Time</b>	<b>Credit Value</b>	<b>Guided Learning Hours</b>
249	24	175
<b>Status</b>	<b>Methods of Assessment</b>	<b>Minimum Age</b>
Available to Learners	Portfolio of Evidence	18

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QRN: 610/3529/4

GLH: 175

TQT: 249

Credit: 24

## Qualification Purpose

The Focus Awards Level 4 Certificate in Ultrasound Cavitation Treatment (RQF) is aimed at learners who want to broaden their knowledge and develop their practice within the health and beauty sector. The qualification is designed to prepare learners for employment in the sector.

## Age Ranges

Learners must be at least 18+ to undertake this qualification.

## Geographical Coverage

This qualification is available in England.

## Learner Entry Requirements

Learners must have previously completed and achieved a level 3 qualification in Beauty Therapy and a level 2 in Skin Care and Facial Treatments.

In circumstances where learners do not hold a formal qualification, but have a minimum of 2 years' occupational experience, entry to the qualification may be considered subject to a centre interview, and review by Focus Awards of current knowledge, understanding and skills.

Learners will be required to demonstrate their ability to cope with the demands of the programme, and entry via this route will be assessed on an individual basis. Centres must ensure that evidence of pre-requisite knowledge and skills – whether through formal qualifications, or assessment of experience - is retained and available upon request by Focus Awards.

Centres should submit an RPL form where appropriate, selecting the 'Equivalence' option for requests for recognition of industry experience, or 'RPL' where other types of qualifications are being submitted for consideration. Evidence may include certificates, CV, insurance documentation (where applicable), and any portfolios showcasing the learner's work.

## Reasonable Adjustments and Special Considerations

Please refer to the Focus Awards 'Reasonable Adjustments and Special Considerations' policy. A copy is available for download from the Focus Awards website at the following URL:

<https://www.focusawards.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2016/08/Reasonable-Adjustments.pdf>

## Assessment Methods

This qualification is internally assessed. Each learner must create a portfolio of evidence that demonstrates achievement of all the learning outcomes and assessment criteria associated with each unit.

The main pieces of evidence for the portfolio could include some or all of the following:

- Assessor observation
- Witness testimony
- Learner product
- Worksheets
- Assignments / projects / reports
- Record of oral and written questioning
- Learner and peer reports
- Recognition of prior learning (RPL)

## Grading

This qualification is graded on a 'Pass' / 'Fail' basis.

## Progression Routes

Learners wishing to progress from this qualification can undertake the following qualifications:

- Focus Awards Level 4 Certificate in Chemical Skin Peeling Treatments (RQF)
- Focus Awards Level 4 Certificate in Skin Needling Treatments (RQF)
- Focus Awards Level 4 Certificate in Aesthetic Practice Core Knowledge and Advanced Skin Science (RQF)
- Focus Awards Level 5 Diploma in Aesthetic Practice (RQF)
- Focus Awards Level 5 Certificate in Advanced Mesotherapy for Skin Rejuvenation (RQF)
- Focus Awards Level 5 Certificate in Hydro Dermabrasion and Radiofrequency for Skin Rejuvenation (RQF)
- Focus Awards Level 5 Certificate in Radiofrequency Treatments (RQF)

## Supporting Materials and Useful Websites

- <https://www.focusawards.org.uk/supportingmaterials>
- <https://ofqual.gov.uk>

## Qualification Structure

To successfully complete the Focus Awards Level 4 Certificate in Ultrasound Cavitation Treatment (RQF) learners must complete 4 mandatory units, to achieve 24 credits.

### Mandatory Units

Unit Title	Unit Reference	Level	Credit	GLH
Maintain Health and Safety Practices	Y/650/9312	4	3	20
Provide Investigative Consultation and Advanced Skin Assessment	D/617/9967	4	10	75
Anatomy and Physiology	A/650/9313	4	3	25
Provide Ultrasound Cavitation Treatments	F/650/9315	4	8	55

# Staff Requirements

## Requirements for Tutors / Instructors

Tutors delivering the qualification will be required to hold or be working towards a teaching qualification. This may include qualifications such as the Level 3, 4, or 5 in Education and Training, or a Certificate in Education. Focus Awards will consider other teaching qualifications upon submission. Tutors must also be able to demonstrate that they are occupationally competent within the sector area.

## Requirements for Assessors

Assessors will be required to hold or be working towards a relevant assessing qualification. This includes qualifications such as:

- Level 3 Award in Assessing Competence in the Work Environment (RQF)
- Level 3 Award in Assessing Vocationally-Related Achievement (RQF)
- Level 3 Certificate in Assessing Vocational Achievement (RQF)

Focus Awards will consider other relevant assessing qualifications upon submission.

Assessors who only hold the Level 3 Award in Understanding the Principles and Processes of Assessment (RQF) will be required to complete an additional programme of study to achieve the relevant competency units required for one of the qualifications listed above.

Trainee assessors who do not hold an assessment qualification will require their decisions to be countersigned by a suitably qualified assessor.

Assessors must also be able to show they are occupationally competent within the sector area.

## Requirements for Internal Quality Assurers (IQA)

Internal Quality Assurers should hold or be working towards an IQA qualification. This may include qualifications such as the V1 (previously D34), or the Level 4 Award in the Internal Quality Assurance of Assessment Processes and Practice (RQF). Focus Awards will consider other relevant IQA qualifications upon submission.

Trainee IQAs who do not hold an IQA qualification will require their decisions to be countersigned by a suitably qualified IQA. IQAs must be able to demonstrate occupational competence.

## Useful Vocabulary

This table explains how the terms used in Focus Awards' qualification specification content are applied. Not all terms are necessarily used in this particular qualification.

<b>Apply</b>	Explain how existing knowledge can be used in new or different situations.
<b>Analyse</b>	Break the subject down into individual parts. Examine each, show how they fit together, whether they support each other and why they're important. Reference to current research or theory may add weight to your analysis.
<b>Clarify</b>	Clearly and concisely explain the information presented.
<b>Classify</b>	Organise in alignment with specified criteria.
<b>Collate</b>	Gather and organise information in a logical order (e.g., alphabetically, numerically, chronologically etc.).
<b>Compare</b>	Examine the subjects in detail to identify differences and similarities.
<b>Critically compare</b>	Similar to 'compare' above, but consider any positive aspects and/or limitations/restrictions arising from identified differences and similarities.
<b>Consider</b>	Think critically about a presented situation, problem, action or decision, and explain it. Also see 'explain' below.
<b>Demonstrate</b>	Describe or explain knowledge or understanding by providing examples or illustrations.
<b>Describe</b>	Write about the subject, presenting detailed information logically.
<b>Develop...</b>	Expand a plan or idea by adding more detail and/or depth of information.
<b>Diagnose</b>	Collate and consider appropriate evidence to identify the cause or origin of a situation or problem.
<b>Differentiate</b>	Identify the differences between 2 or more arguments, situations or subjects.
<b>Discuss</b>	Create a detailed account from a range of viewpoints, opinions or perspectives.
<b>Distinguish</b>	Explain the difference between 2 or more items, resources, pieces of information.
<b>Draw conclusions...</b>	Derive a reason or logic based decision or judgement.



<b>Estimate</b>	Use existing knowledge, experience and other relevant information to arrive at an approximate or 'best guess' opinion or judgement.
<b>Evaluate</b>	Examine strengths and weaknesses; consider arguments for and against, and/or similarities and differences. Assess any presented evidence from different perspectives and arrive at a valid conclusion or reasoned judgement. Reference to current research or theory may support the evaluation.
<b>Explain</b>	Present detailed information about the subject with reasons showing how or why it's included. Include examples to support these reasons where possible.
<b>Extrapolate</b>	Use existing knowledge and data to predict possible outcomes or results that might be outside the expected 'norm'.
<b>Identify</b>	Recognise and name the main points accurately. Additional description or explanation may be needed to aid clarity and attribute credibility.
<b>Implement</b>	Explain how to put an idea or plan into action.
<b>Interpret</b>	Explain the meaning of something.
<b>Judge</b>	Form an opinion or make a decision.
<b>Justify</b>	Provide a satisfactory explanation for actions or decisions.
<b>Perform</b>	Carry out a task or process to meet the requirements of the question.
<b>Plan</b>	Create and record (list) a logical, organised sequence of information, required resources and actions/events that enable a concept or idea to be crystalised and communicated.
<b>Provide</b>	Identify and deliver detailed and accurate information related to the subject.
<b>Reflect</b>	Consider actions, experiences or learning and how these may impact practice and/or professional development.
<b>Review and revise</b>	Look back over the subject and make corrections or changes to improve clarity or better demonstrate understanding.
<b>Select</b>	Make an informed choice for a specific purpose or required outcome/result.
<b>Show</b>	Supply evidence to demonstrate accurate knowledge and understanding.
<b>State</b>	Provide the main points clearly in sentences or paragraphs.
<b>Summarise</b>	Convey the main ideas or facts concisely.

## Assessor Feedback

Student Name:	
Student Number:	
Course:	
Unit(s):	
Criteria:	
Date:	
Comments:	
Decision:	
Further Actions:	
Assessor:	
Position:	

# IQA Report

IQA Report			
Qualification:			
Assessor:		IQA:	
Candidate Name	Unit(s) Sampled	Assessment Methods	Comments
		IQA Signature	
		Assessor Signature	