# Course Overview

# **Level 4 Improvement Practitioner Apprenticeship**



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Improvement Practitioners (IP) use a blend of Lean and Six Sigma project and change management principles and tools to identify and lead the delivery of change across organisational functions and processes. The IP typically leads smaller projects and/or is a key support role in a larger programme.

### WHO IS THIS QUALIFICATION FOR?

The Improvement Practitioner Apprenticeship is for those within private and public companies across all sectors, including but not limited to:

- Finance
- Manufacturing
- Healthcare
- Retail

#### **KEY RESPONSIBILITIES MAY INCLUDE:**

- Identifying potential opportunities, diagnosing issues, proposing solutions and implementing changes and controls
- Coaching improvement teams and sharing best practise
- · Manage project teams

#### APPRENTICESHIP OVERVIEW:

You will gain knowledge and skills as an IP which involves:

- · Decision making techniques
- Presentation and reporting
- Measurement systems
- Problem solving

You will develop your ability to support:

- · Continuous improvement
- Team-working
- Professionalism
- Safe working

You will learn about key areas such as:

- · Managing Change
- · Lean Principles
- Project Management
- · Compliance and Data



Professional qualifications are vocational training courses that relate to a specific industry or career path aimed at professionals looking to develop their career further.

They are typically regulated and awarded by professional bodies within the relevant industry and are designed to ensure that those employed in a particular job meet the minimum required standards of professional expertise.

- » 12 18 months
- » Functional Skills English and Maths Level 2

## **PROGRESSION:**

This apprenticeship provides you with skills that are transferable to various roles and career routes including: Business Improvement Practitioner, Continuous Improvement Manager, Process Excellence Manager, Lean Six Sigma Green Belt and Quality Control Senior Analyst.