

NOTICE TO CENTRES

FAO: Centre Coordinators/Tutors of Career Guidance qualifications

Date: June 2013

Subject: Changes to OCR's Career Guidance qualification offer

WITHDRAWAL OF SCHEME 10214 – LEVEL 3 AWARD FOR SUPPORTING CLIENTS TO OVERCOME BARRIERS TO LEARNING AND WORK

Following a review of our qualification offer in this sector, OCR has reluctantly decided to withdraw the following qualification from the Career Guidance offer:

- 10214 - OCR Level 3 Award for supporting clients to overcome barriers to learning and work

OCR will, however, continue to offer the other qualifications in the suite, namely:

- 04512 - OCR Level 4 Diploma in Career Information and Advice
- 10215 - OCR Level 6 Diploma in Career Guidance and Development

Schemes 04512 and 10215 have been extended for registration until 31/12/2015. OCR will continue to support the assessment of the qualifications in this suite up to the final certification dates as outlined below.

Qualification code	Qualification title	Final registration date	Final certification date
10214	OCR Level 3 Award for supporting clients to overcome barriers to learning and work	31/12/2013	31/12/2016
04512	OCR Level 4 Diploma in Career Information and Advice	31/12/2015	31/12/2018
10215	OCR Level 6 Diploma in Career Guidance and Development	31/12/2015	31/12/2018

Please note that, as from 31/12/2013, centres will no longer be able to register candidates for scheme 10214, OCR Level 3 Award for supporting clients to overcome barriers to learning and work. For details of other awarding organisations offering this qualification, please view the Ofqual register on the following link:
<http://register.ofqual.gov.uk/>

The final certification date is the last date on which OCR will issue certificates. Centres are therefore advised to plan for completion of all candidate assessment at least 2 months prior to this date.

If you have any queries about this notice, please call our Customer Contact Centre on 02476 851509.