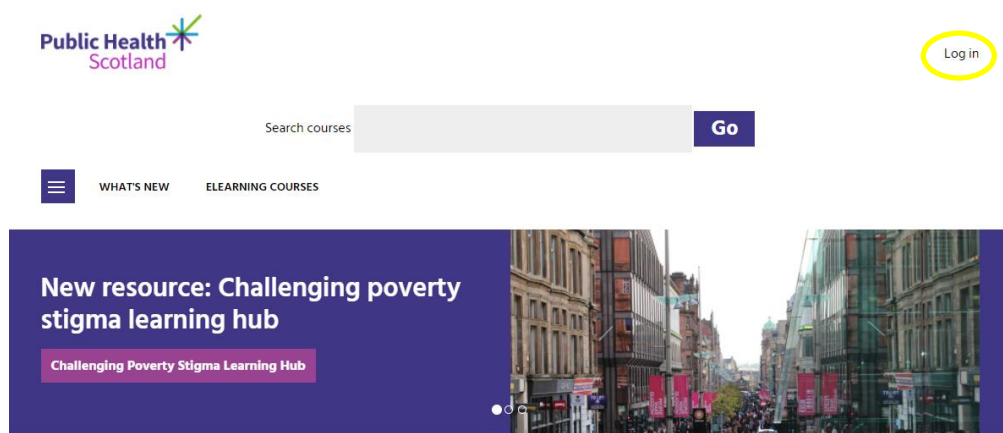


# VLE Guide

The following resource explains how to create an account, search and access a course on Public Health Scotland's virtual learning environment (VLE). To access the VLE, please click [here](#).

This will bring you to the page below, you will now need to log in. To do so, please select 'Log In' which is located in the **top right corner** of the page.



## Key Information

- Please use CHROME as your internet browser

## Welcome to Public Health Scotland's Virtual Learning Environment

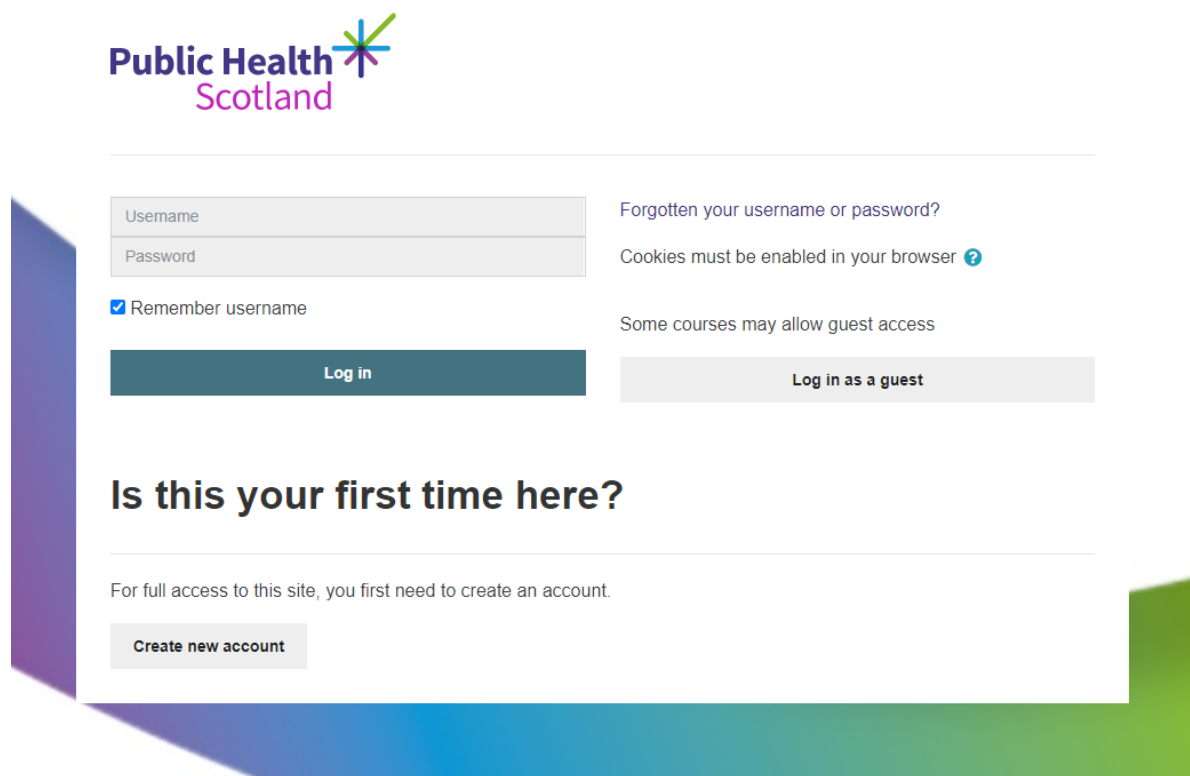
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The screenshot shows the login interface for the VLE. At the top left is the Public Health Scotland logo. Below it are two input fields for 'Username' and 'Password'. To the right of these fields are links for 'Forgotten your username or password?' and 'Cookies must be enabled in your browser' with a help icon. A checkbox labeled 'Remember username' is checked. Below the input fields are two buttons: 'Log in' (dark blue) and 'Log in as a guest' (light grey). Below the buttons is a section titled 'Is this your first time here?' with a sub-heading 'For full access to this site, you first need to create an account.' and a 'Create new account' button in the bottom left corner.

The next screen will ask you to enter your Username and Password, if you have an account please log in here. Once you have logged in you will be taken to the Homepage.

If you do not have an account please click 'Create new account' in the **bottom left corner**.

On the next screen you will be required to fill out information wherever you see the red explanation mark. Take your time to work through this.

## New account

▼ Collapse all

### ▼ Choose your username and password

Username !

The password must have at least 8 characters, at least 1 digit(s), at least 1 lower case letter(s), at least 1 upper case letter(s)

Password !

### ▼ More details

Email address !

Email (again) !

First name !

Surname !

City/town

Country

Once you have completed the form, check that you agree to the site policy and click **'create my new account'** at the bottom of the form.

### ▼ Student Information

Are you a student? !

Please select your University

Please select your College

### ▼ Where did you hear about NHS Health Scotland's Virtual Learning Environment?

Where did you hear ! about Health Scotland's VLE? (Select from the list below)

Other? Please specify

### ▼ Site policy agreement

[Link to site policy agreement](#)

I understand and agree

Create my new account

Cancel

There are required fields in this form marked !.

On the next screen you will see confirmation that an email has been sent to your email address to verify your account.

## Health Scotland Learning & Improvement

An email should have been sent to your address at

It contains easy instructions to complete your registration.

If you continue to have difficulty, contact the site administrator.

Continue

You will find the following email in your inbox:

### Health Scotland Learning & Improvement: account confirmation Inbox x

**Do not reply to this email (via HS eLearning)** noreply@elearning.healthscotland.com via s79v.howtomoodle.org to me ▾

Hi

A new account has been requested at 'Health Scotland Learning & Improvement' using your email address.

To confirm your new account, please go to this web address:

<https://elearning.healthscotland.com/login/confirm.php?data=LwJBEhT0ouFJgD/sebfiveht>

In most mail programs, this should appear as a blue link which you can just click on. If that doesn't work, then cut and paste the address into the address line at the top of your web browser window.

If you need help, please contact the site administrator,

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Click on the first link and you will be brought to the following page:

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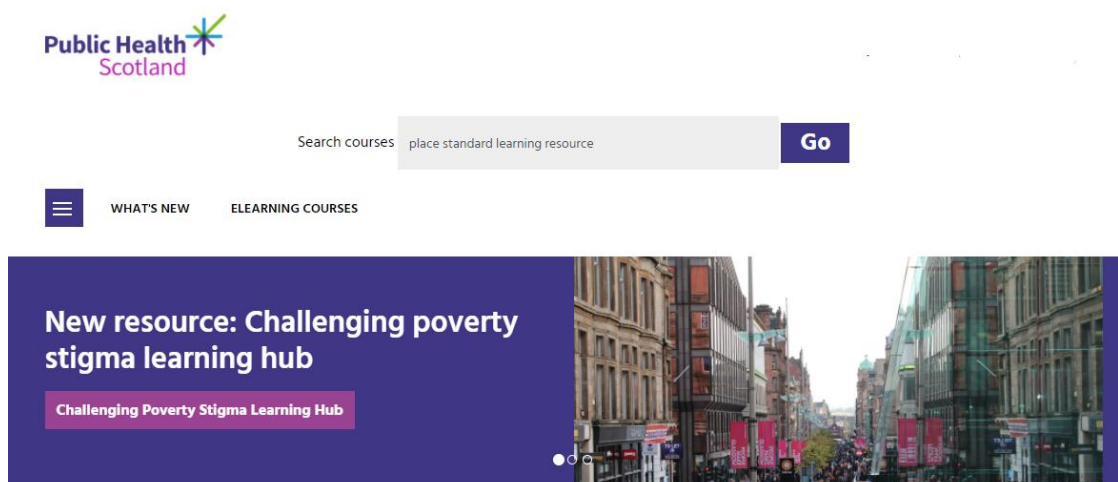
Thanks,


Your registration has been confirmed

Continue

Click **continue** and your account will now be set up.

Now you have created an account you will be able to locate a course. In this example we will be looking for the Place Standard learning resource. Once you have logged in, type 'place standard learning resource' into the search bar at the top and click 'GO' to search.



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Search courses  **Go**

☰ WHAT'S NEW EARNING COURSES

**New resource: Challenging poverty stigma learning hub**

Challenging Poverty Stigma Learning Hub

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## Enrolment

Self-enrolment: Once you have created an account, and logged in, click the following link and self-enrol in the course - <https://elearning.healthscotland.com/course/view.php?id=315>

## Access

<https://elearning.healthscotland.com/course/view.php?id=315>

[Back to top ^](#)

From here you should reach the resource landing page which looks like this:

## Place Standard Learning Resource

### Introduction

The aim of this learning resource is to enable users through the use of tools and templates to understand and practically apply the Place Standard Tool.

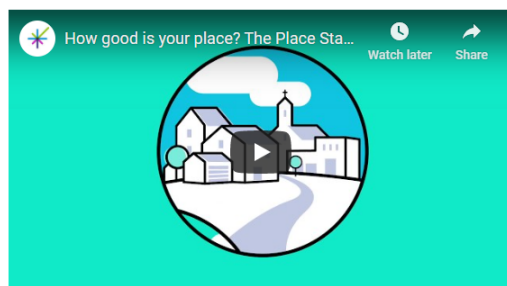
This learning resource is brought to you by NHS Health Scotland, the Scottish Government and Architecture and Design Scotland. This resource extends to any group looking to undertake a Place Standard assessment and has primarily been designed with community and third sector groups and organisations in mind.

**For the best user experience we advise that you use a chrome browser to access this resource.**

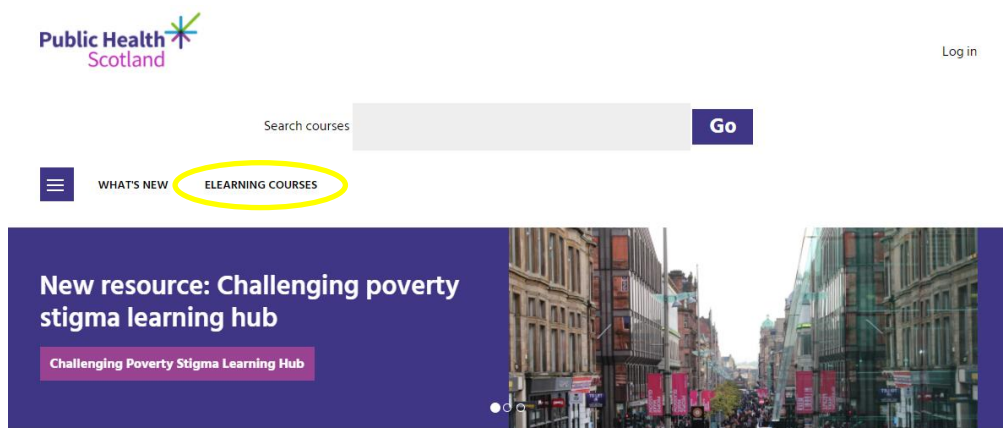
Included within this resource:

- Guidebook (containing guidance on modules 1-4)
- PowerPoint presentations
- Templates (including exemplars)
- Feedback Questionnaire

The Guidebook provides introductory information on the Place Standard tool and thereafter directs users through the Place Standard assessment journey.



Alternatively, you can browse a list of all our available courses. To do this please click **'ELEARNING COURSES'** on the homepage.



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This will bring up all courses available to learners (see screenshot below). Click on the course you wish to enrol in and follow the instructions to self-enrol.

## eLearning Courses

### General

## Courses

This page shows all currently active courses on NHS Health Scotland's Virtual Learning Environment.

Here you will find a small introduction to the course, its learning outcomes and enrolment requirements.

Please follow the instructions found against each course and if you need support accessing a course you are interested in, contact us directly at [p hs.healthscotland-wdteam@nhs.net](mailto:phs.healthscotland-wdteam@nhs.net)

Click on one of the links within the course list to see more information on that course.

### **Course List**

#### **Health Inequalities**

Health Inequalities Awareness

Tackling Health Inequalities within health & social care