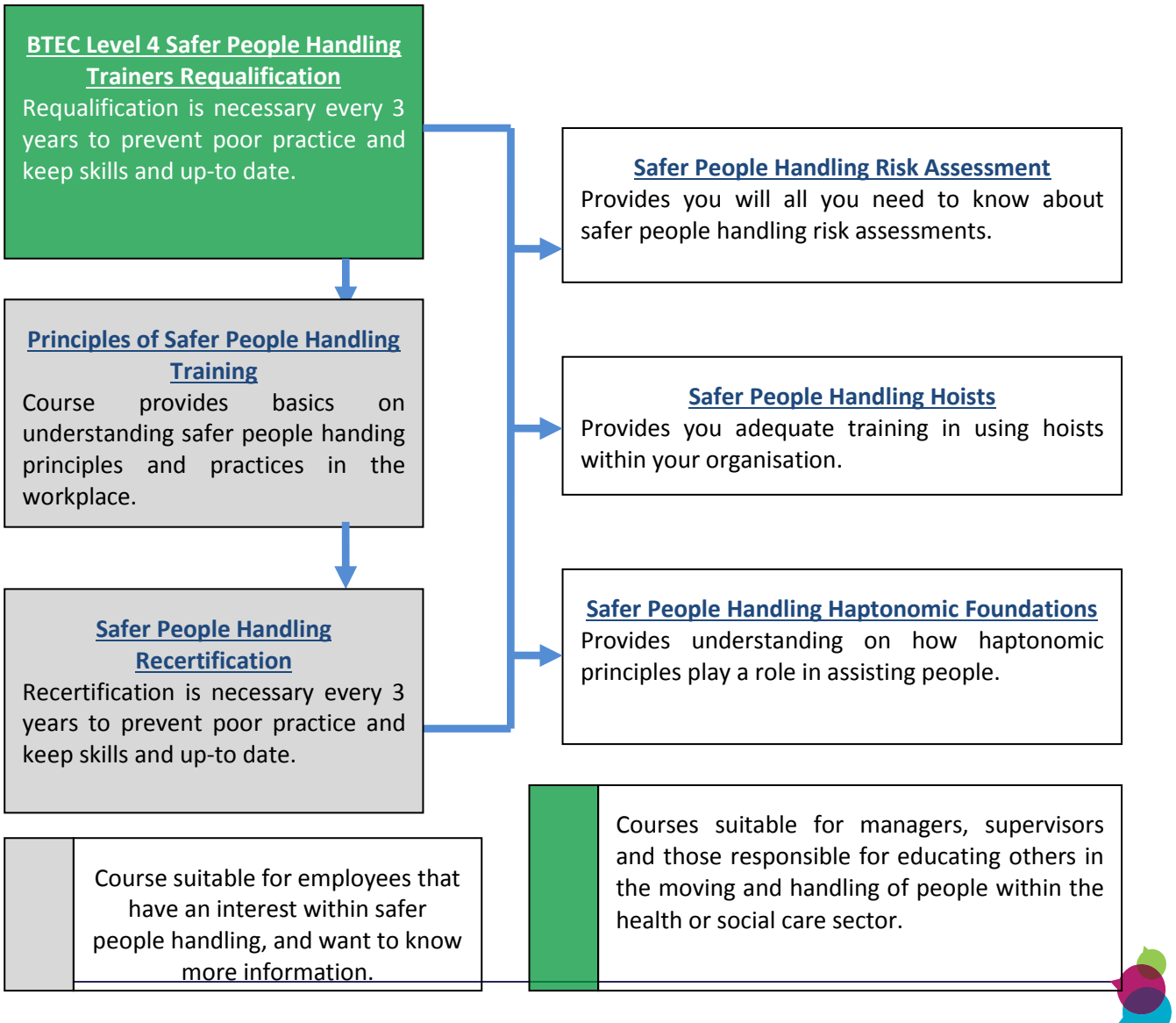
Safer people handling courses

Overview

The Health and Safety Executive (HSE) states that the health and social care services sees that moving and handling injuries account for 40% of work-related sickness absence. Approximately 5000 moving and handling injuries are reported each year and 2000 in social care.

Poor moving and handling practice can lead to your employees:

- Having back pain and musculoskeletal disorders, this can lead to failure to work
- Moving and handling accidents can cause injury to both the person being moved and the employee
- Discomfort and the lack of dignity to the person being moved

This chart maps the different levels of our courses and briefly explains what each course covers.