



# Return Ready

TECHNOLOGY SKILLS FOR FAMILY CARERS

## 153 family carers took part in employment & IT skills training

Data below is representative of both self reporting and formal data gathering. Of the 153 carers surveyed 35 responded. This is a response rate of 22.88%, which is within confidence levels for the sample size.



**22 carers have returned to paid employment and an additional 6 carers have returned to work as small business owners.**

90.9% of those surveyed stated that the Return Ready Project contributed to their return to paid employment.

## 68 carers have returned to further education.

Carers have returned to education in fields including SNA, admin, accounting, arts, office management, holistic arts etc.



**91.5% of those surveyed stated that Return Ready helped them feel less lonely as a family carer.**

82.9% stated that their participation in the Return Ready project increased their confidence.



“This course was the catalyst to things changing and an opportunity presenting itself so thanks to you and the team for all the work you are putting into this.”

“The Family Carers I have met online through Care Alliance have truly enriched my life & took me out of a very dark lonely/isolated spot. I'm so Grateful to You all.”