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Cross employees receive NVQ Awards for Improving Operational Performance

Twenty-six Cross employees were recently awarded NVQ (National Vocational Qualification) Certificates and Diplomas for their successful completion of the SEMTA Apprenticeship in 'Improving Operational Performance' programme.

These qualifications are based on national occupational standards, covering all the main aspects of an occupation, including current best practice, the ability to adapt to future requirements and the knowledge and understanding that underpins competent performance.

The programme at Cross is organised by Gina Farrugia, Process Improvements Co-ordinator, who describes it as "a key feature of the company's long term success. The skills learnt are used on Continuous Improvement Programmes throughout the company."

Nick Lambert, Cross Operations Manager, comments: "Investing in this very worthwhile programme is part of our continuous improvement culture for the development of our valued staff. We are currently running our third cohort with a fourth in the pipeline; each cohort has four teams made up of people from different areas of the business, who then embark on a project to put their new skills to good use, which is an invaluable as part of individual and group development."

In the photograph, the Beautiful South Team from the current programme are seen with their Certificates.



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