

Emergency Paediatric First Aid in Schools

Aim

A one-day course that encompasses child and infant basic life support, and provides learners with the knowledge and skill to deal with emergency first aid situations for children up to 18 years old.

Target Group

For those who have an interest in paediatric first aid.

If you work in childcare, Ofsted and the Early Years Foundation Stage require you to have 12 hours of paediatric first aid training, so the 2-Day Level 3 Award would be required to fulfil their requirements.

Delivery method, venue and duration - date(s) to suit you

- Face-to-face in your own training room over one-day.

Learning outcomes: by the end of this session participants should have covered the following areas:

- Responsibilities of a first aider (incl. preventing cross infection and reporting)
- Action in an emergency
- Unconscious casualty
- Resuscitation and Automatic External Defibrillator (AED)
- Disorders of respiration (choking)
- Anaphylaxis and shock
- Wounds and bleeding
- Seizures
- Minor injuries

Training methods used

All of our training sessions are intended to be as interactive as possible. Participants are encouraged to ask questions, make comments and bring up their own experiences. We use lots of different methods including quizzes, role play, video clips, as well as direct teaching. We want participants to leave the session saying “that was really enjoyable - and it was directly relevant to my working life.”

Accredited or non-accredited first aid training?

We offer both accredited and non-accredited first aid training. The content is the same, which meets the requirements specified by the Health and Safety (First Aid) Regulations 1981. There is a practical assessment and multiple choice examination as part of the accredited course. Successful participants will be awarded the Ofqual Level 3 Emergency Paediatric First Aid, which is valid for three years. Maximum numbers are 16 per session for unaccredited first aid training and 12 per session for accredited first aid training.