

Emergency First Aid at Work – Unit 1 (6 Hours/ 1 Day)

RQF Level 3 Award England, Northern Ireland & Wales – Internationally Recognised

Qualification Title: FAA Level 3 Award in Emergency First Aid at Work – Code 603/2080/1

Unit 1 Title: Emergency First Aid in the Workplace – Unit Code Y/615/8504

SCQF Level 6 Award (Scotland)

Qualification Title: Award in Emergency First Aid at Work at SCQF Level 6 – Code R529 04

Unit Title: Emergency First Aid in the Workplace - Unit Code UL20 04

DESCRIPTION

Where a workplace first aid risk assessment identifies a need for an Emergency First Aider in the Workplace, this one-day qualification meets the requirements of the Health and Safety (First Aid) Regulations 1981 and the Health and Safety (First Aid) Regulations (Northern Ireland) 1982.

The learner will attain knowledge and the practical competence required to deal with a range of workplace first aid situations.

The FAA Emergency First Aid at Work qualification is unit 1 of the three-day FAA First Aid at Work qualification. From gaining this qualification learners could progress to completing unit 2 and being awarded the FAA First Aid at Work qualification.

All learners will have the skills and knowledge to provide the organisation with Emergency First Aider's that can provide treatment to their casualties in a prompt, safe and effective manner.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

The qualification is available to learners aged 14 or over but a learner is unable to act as a First Aider in the workplace until they reach the age of 16.

Due to the practical nature of the first aid assessment, there are physical demands and learners must be able to demonstrate their skills as in a real-life situation. An example of this would be to demonstrate CPR on a manikin at floor level.

It is recommended that learners should hold a minimum of Level 1 in literacy or equivalent to undertake this qualification. It may be possible to allocate a reasonable adjustment to a learner who has a disability, medical condition or learning need; learners are invited to speak to a member of the Tineke Training Ltd team prior to the course. They can also approach the Instructor on the day of the course to disclose anything they feel needs to be made aware of. All disclosures of information is treated discreetly, respectfully and confidentially.

DURATION

A minimum of six hours makes up this unit consisting of theoretical and practical work.

ASSESSMENT

The qualification is assessed through practical demonstration and related oral questioning.

A learner must successfully complete all practical demonstrations and correctly answer the oral questions to achieve the qualification. There is no grading of the assessment; learners pass or are referred.

CERTIFICATION

A certificate lasting three years will be issued, following successful completion of the course. The HSE strongly

recommend that all students undergo an annual refresher programme of three hours. The learner will need to complete the full course again to requalify for a further three years.

NUMBERS

A maximum of 12 students per Instructor can be accommodated on this course.

SYLLABUS

A range of subjects are covered including:

- Responsibilities & reporting
- Assessment of the situation
- Basic hygiene in first aid
- Dealing with an unresponsive casualty
- Resuscitation & AED awareness
- Anatomy
- Minor injuries
- Bleeding control
- Shock
- Burns
- Choking
- Epilepsy

LEARNING OUTCOMES

Learning outcome	The learner can
1. Understand the role and responsibilities of a first aider	1.1 Identify the role and responsibilities of a first aider 1.2 Identify how to minimise the risk of infection to self and others 1.3 Identify the need for consent to provide first aid
2. Be able to assess an incident	2.1 Conduct a scene survey 2.2 Conduct a primary survey of a casualty 2.3 Summon appropriate assistance when necessary
3. Be able to provide first aid to an unresponsive casualty	3.1 Identify when to administer cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR) 3.2 Demonstrate CPR using a manikin 3.3 Justify when to place a casualty into the recovery position 3.4 Demonstrate how to place a casualty into the recovery position 3.5 Identify how to administer first aid to a casualty who is experiencing a seizure
4. Be able to provide first aid to a casualty who is choking	4.1 Identify when choking is: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mild • Severe 4.2 Demonstrate how to administer first aid to a casualty who is choking
5. Be able to provide first aid to a casualty with external bleeding	5.1 Identify the severity of external bleeding 5.2 Demonstrate how to control external bleeding
6. Know how to provide first aid to a casualty who is in shock	6.1 Recognise a casualty who is suffering from shock 6.2 Identify how to administer first aid to a casualty who is suffering from shock
7. Know how to provide first aid to a casualty with minor injuries	7.1 Identify how to administer first aid to a casualty with <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small cuts • Grazes • Bruises • Small splinters 7.2 Identify how to administer first aid to a casualty with minor burns and scalds

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