



First Aid at Work (3 day) - Specification



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The award in First Aid at Work is a qualification aimed at those who wish to become a First Aider in the workplace for the purposes of the Health and Safety (First Aid) Regulations 1981. This qualification is intended for candidates already working or preparing to work in industry.

Persons gaining this qualification will learn that First Aid is the responsibility of everyone involved in the working environment. Its topics are regarded by the Health & Safety Executive as being important to maintaining good practice in the safe, prompt and effective treatment of injuries and ill health in the workplace.

Overview

This qualification is typically delivered as a one day programme and aimed at learners already working or preparing to work in industry that is identified within the Company's risk assessment of First Aid as being lower risk.

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Entry Guidance

This qualification is approved for delivery to the age ranges 16-18 and 19+.

Qualification Structure

This qualification is made up of one mandatory units. Learners must successfully complete the assessment for the unit to achieve the qualification.

Learning Hours

Contact hours are defined as time spent with a tutor or trainer, or during the assessment.

Unit	Unit Title	Minimum Contact Hours
1	First Aid at Work	18 hours over 3 days

How the qualification is assessed

This is a single unit qualification, assessed by a 12 question multi-choice examination, followed by a practical assessment, including Incident Management, Dealing with Shock, Dealing with an Unconscious Casualty and CPR.

Successful candidates must achieve a score of at least 9 correct answers out of 12 in the multi-choice examination before moving on to the practical assessments.



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