

ADVANCED FIRST AID

Nationally Recognised Unit Code and Title: HLTAID006 Provide Advanced First Aid

Application and Relevance

This course provides a set of skills to provide an advanced first aid response in the event of an emergency. It is relevant for personnel who are the designated first aiders, particularly those working in manufacturing, construction, mining or any occupation involving hazardous work.

Duration

2 days classroom/workplace training and assessment.

Course Content

This course covers the provision of advanced first aid response, management of the incident and other first aiders, until the arrival of medical assistance.

Topics include:

- Legislative requirements in First Aid
- Performing cardiopulmonary resuscitation
- Bag-valve-mask ventilation
- Safe use of an Automated External Defibrillator (AED)
- First Aid for bleeding, fractures and other trauma
- First Aid for a casualty suffering Crush Injuries
- First Aid for casualties suffering from extremes of temperature
- First Aid for minor wounds & infection control procedures
- Coordinating first aid activities
- Conducting a secondary survey casualty assessment
- Assessing vital signs
- Triage of multiple casualties
- Debriefing and evaluation of response to critical incidents
- Providing an accurate verbal and written report of the incident
- Review of contingency planning

Prerequisites

Participants should have numeracy and literacy skills equivalent to level 2 of the National Reporting System. They should also have the physical ability to meet the demands of the practical skills including CPR.

Assessment Methods

Progressive assessment throughout the course, including demonstration of practical skills and written and oral questions relating to underpinning knowledge.

Note that the provision of CPR must be demonstrated on the floor.

Award Issued

Victorian First Aid Services and Training is responsible for the quality of training and assessment and, the issuance of the AQTF certificate.



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