



First Aid Course Outline

This Level Three course aims to provide the participants with a general refresher of the basic principles and practices of First Aid, and extending their knowledge and skills of how to assess and treat more serious medical conditions. Properly applied First Aid may be the difference between life and death, between rapid recovery and a long hospitalization, or between a temporary disability and a permanent injury. The participants will gain more knowledge, skills and confidence to enable them to manage any first aid situation with minimal equipment, whether it is an illness or injury.

Course Overview

The course is based upon participant learning the following;

- Basic Principles and skills of First Aid refresher
- Extended knowledge and skills on how to treat ever increasing severity of injuries and first aid situations
- Making that emergency call and knowing the chain of survival
- Familiarity with the anatomy and physiology of the human body

The programme is given as a two day course plus in-class test. The course provides the material in the form of lectures and practical skill workshops and as such the participants are expected to actively participate in discussions, case studies and workshops.

Learning Objectives

The main learning objectives of the course are deepening the participant's knowledge and skills within the area. After completion of the course you should be able to;

- Demonstrate an extended knowledge of the Basic Principles of First Aid
- Knowledge of how to make that Emergency Call
- Demonstrate knowledge the Chain of Survival
- Demonstrate knowledge and skills in Basic Life Support
- Be able to carry out Patient Assessment and Management
- Understand and attend to Soft Tissue Injury and Bleeding
- Demonstrate knowledge of what is Shock and how to treat it
- Demonstrate knowledge and skills in how to treat Burns
- Demonstrate knowledge of Fractures, Sprains and Dislocations and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Head and Spinal Injuries and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of types and causes of Unconscious States & how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Chest Injuries and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Eye Injuries and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Abdominopelvic Injuries and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Chest Pain and Heart Attacks and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Diabetic Emergencies and how to deal them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Seizures and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Poisoning, Bites and Stings, then how to treat them





- Demonstrate knowledge of Environmental Emergencies and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Emergency Childbirth and how to treat the situation
- Demonstrate knowledge of Behavioural Emergencies and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of Water Related Emergencies and how to treat them
- Demonstrate knowledge of the Anatomy and Physiology of the human body

Certification

On the successful completion of the course, the participant will be provided a certificate of completion. The first Aid certificate is valid for two years.

Progression pathways/continuing education

After completion of the course the participants will be able to continue with more advanced First Aid courses or other courses within the medical field.



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