

EMERGENCY PAEDIATRIC FIRST AID

LEVEL 3 – UNIT 1 1day



The qualification is designed for learners with a responsibility for the care of children and babies and provides knowledge and skills to deal with a range of paediatric first aid conditions and incidents. The purpose of the qualification is for the learner to attain the knowledge and practical competence required to deal with a range of Paediatric First Aid situations.

The FAA Emergency Paediatric First Aid qualification is unit 1 of the two-day FAA Paediatric First Aid qualification. From gaining this Emergency Paediatric First Aid qualification learners could progress to completing unit 2 and being awarded the 2-day FAA Award in Paediatric First Aid.

Duration: A minimum of eight hours makes up this unit consisting of at least 6 hours of classroom contact plus some pre-course study. The qualification can be delivered over a maximum of a 4-week period, with each training session being a minimum of 2 hours.

Syllabus: A range of subjects are covered including:-

• <i>Role of the Paediatric First Aider</i>	• <i>Wounds, bleeding and shock</i>
• <i>Seizure</i>	• <i>Recovery position</i>
• <i>Minor injuries</i>	• <i>Resuscitation (CPR including the safe use of an AED)</i>
• <i>Primary survey</i>	• <i>Choking</i>

Age limit: Students must be a minimum of 16 years of age to qualify

Certification: The qualification is valid for three years from the date of achievement. It is recommended that the learner attends annual refresher training. The learner will need to complete the full course again to requalify for a further three years.

Numbers: A maximum of 12 students can be accommodated on this course.

Assessment Information: The qualification is assessed both through practical demonstration and written assessment. A learner must successfully pass both the written and practical assessments to achieve the qualification. There is no grading of the assessment; learners pass or are referred.