

HLTAID003 Provide First Aid

Course Objective

This unit of competency describes the skills and knowledge required to provide first aid response, life support, management of casualty(s), the incident and other first aiders, until the arrival of medical or other assistance.

Course Content

You will be trained in first aid procedures that should enable you to assist an injured or ill person until medical aid is accessed. Topics include: management of the unresponsive victim, resuscitation, bleeding, respiratory emergencies, cardiac emergencies, fractures, soft tissue injuries, head injuries, diabetes, epilepsy /convulsions, envenomation, poisoning, and thermal injuries. You will participate in both theory and practical sessions, which will be followed by a skills assessment and multiple-choice theory knowledge test.

Selection Criteria

The principles of Access & equity will be applied in the selection of students and in the delivery of the training and assessment services.

However, participants must have English-speaking skills and reading skills which will be assessed during the enrolment process. They must also have the strength and agility to manage CPR and other emergency situations.

Pre/Co-requisites

There are no pre-requisites or co-requisites for this competency unit. This unit incorporates the content of units:

- HLTAID001 - Provide CPR
- HLTAID002 - Provide basic emergency life support

Assessment

All assessment will be based on the principles of competency-based training and assessment. You will participate in both theory and practical sessions, which will be followed by a skills assessment using bandages, manikins, adrenaline auto-injectors, bronchodilators and spacers as well as other items to perform first aid techniques.

Additional Support

Where students require additional welfare or counseling support they will be referred to appropriate professional agencies.

Recognition of Prior Learning

If you hold a current first aid award to equivalent standards you may be exempted from this course.

National Recognition

DAN AP recognises relevant AQF qualifications and Statements of Attainment issued by other Registered Training Organisations (RTOs).

Course Delivery

The nominal duration of the course is 18 hours and it may be delivered in a single block or a several shorter blocks. If a home study theory option is utilised then the instructor contact time can be reduced to around 8 hours

The delivery and assessment methods used will be tailored to the specific training environment and the needs of the client group.

Enrolment

To enroll, contact a DAN AP Licensed Instructor in your locality, who will provide you with details of the venue, date and fees for the course. The nominal fee is \$170 but this may vary due to enrolments, location and a variety of other factors.

Refund Policy

Any deposit may be refunded if you fail to attend the program if: 1. You provide a medical certificate providing a reason for non-attendance; or 2. You provide an explanation, deemed reasonable by your Instructor or the DAN AP Training Manager, for the non-attendance at the program. Any approved refund will be made within 3 weeks of application.

Complaints and Appeals

In the event of a grievance with your Instructor, please contact the DAN AP Training Manager on training@danasiapacific.org or Tel: +61-3-9886 9166; Fax: +61-3-9886 9155.