

Level 3 Award in Paediatric First Aid (QCF)*

Course Aim

To enable delegates to attain a first aid qualification that meets the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage (EYFS), which is overseen by Ofsted.

Who is it for?

Childminders, primary school teachers and teaching assistants, nursery nurses and anyone who wants a comprehensive first aid course which focuses on the treatment of children.

Course Content

- Identify the Responsibilities of a Paediatric First Aider
- Assess An Emergency Situation And Act Safely And Effectively
- Unresponsive Child and Infant (Recovery Position)
- Child and Infant CPR
- Seizures
- Foreign Body Airway Obstruction
- Choking Child And Infant
- Wounds And Bleeding
- Minor Injuries
- Shock Including Anaphylactic Shock
- Managing Fractures
- Head, Neck And Back Injuries
- Conditions Affecting the Eyes, Ears and Nose
- Sickle Cell Anaemia, Diabetes, Asthma, Meningitis and Febrile Convulsions
- Effects of Extreme Heat and Cold
- Electric Shock
- Burns or Scalds

Course Duration

12 hours of training over 2 days.

Assessment and Qualification

Ongoing practical assessment by the trainer and a multi-choice questionnaire.

*The QA Level 3 Award in Paediatric First Aid (QCF) has been accredited by the regulators of England, Wales and Northern Ireland (Ofqual, Welsh Government and CCEA) and is part of the Qualifications and Credit Framework (QCF). All students are awarded a recognised Paediatric First Aid Certificate which is valid for 3 years as well as a first aid manual and pocket card.