

Advanced Resuscitation



HLTAID015 Provide advanced resuscitation and oxygen therapy

Application and Relevance

This unit applies to a range of industries where first aiders need to be trained in the use of specialised equipment in the provision of resuscitation and oxygen therapy. It is relevant for designated first aiders working in construction, manufacturing, mining or any occupation involving remote or hazardous work.

Course Currency Status: Current

Duration

8 hours face-to-face classroom/workplace training and assessment; OR

2-3 hours workbook pre-work, PLUS 5 hours face-to-face classroom/workplace training and assessment.

Entry Requirements

The pre-requisite unit HLTAID011 Provide First Aid must be completed prior to enrolment.

It is recommended participants have language, literacy and numeracy skills equivalent to level 3 of the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF). They should also have the ability to meet the considerable physical demands of the practical skills.

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

A nationally-recognised Statement of Attainment will be issued to all successful participants.

Further Info

Please refer to the Student Handbook for additional information.



Course Content

This unit covers the skills and knowledge to use specialised equipment to provide resuscitation and oxygen therapy in a range of complex situations, including community and workplace settings.

This course includes:

- suctioning of the airway
- use of oropharyngeal airway devices
- benefits of oxygen administration
- managing life-threatening bleeding
- administering oxygen therapy
- advanced resuscitation techniques
- safety procedures for medical oxygen equipment
- safety procedures for AEDs
- administering defibrillation
- checks and maintenance of resuscitation equipment