

Level 3 - 12 Hour Full Paediatric First Aid Course

- Programme outline - This course provides delegates with thorough knowledge and understanding of first aid to provide appropriate care and manage life threatening conditions, illness and injuries identified in any Early Years setting such as a nursery, pre- school, after school club or reception classes as well as infants and primary classes.

The course covers the requirement for the full paediatric first aid course as laid down by Department for Education – Statutory framework for the early years Foundation Stage document. (published March 2017)

The course is structured so that delegates get the opportunity to practice as many of the skills they have learnt during the course on each other to reinforce the knowledge in a fun environment.

- Programme duration – 12 Hours (excluding breaks)

- Course Aims & Objectives

Aims: Students will be aware of and be able to carry out their role as a Paediatric First Aider in their childcare environment.

Objectives: On completion of training, all successful students will be able to:

- Understand the roles and responsibilities of the paediatric first aider (including appropriate contents of a first aid box and the need for recording accidents and incidents)
- Assess an emergency situation and prioritise what action to take
- Help a baby or child who is unresponsive and breathing normally
- Help a baby or child who is unresponsive and not breathing normally (including the use of an AED)
- Help a baby or child who is having a seizure
- Help a baby or child who is choking
- Help a baby or child who is bleeding
- Help a baby or child who is suffering from shock caused by severe blood loss
- Help a baby or child who is suffering from anaphylactic shock
- Help a baby or child who has had an electric shock
- Help a baby or child who has burns or scalds
- Help a baby or child who has a suspected fracture
- Help a baby or child with head, neck or back injuries
- Help a baby or child who is suspected of being poisoned
- Help a baby or child with a foreign body in eyes, ears or nose
- Help a baby or child with an eye injury
- Help a baby or child with a bite or sting
- Help a baby or child who is suffering from the effects of extreme heat or cold
- Help a baby or child having a diabetic emergency
- Help a baby or child having an asthma attack
- Help a baby or child having an allergic reaction
- Help a baby or child with meningitis
- Help a baby or child having febrile convulsions

➤ Assessment

Trainers will use continuous assessment to evaluate candidates to determine a student's ability to act safely, promptly and effectively when an emergency occurs at work and/or have to deal with a casualty.

This course is delivered in line with Health and Safety (First-Aid) Regulations 1981 and teaching was delivered in accordance with currently accepted first aid practices. Centaur Training Services (North West) Ltd is approved and regulated by FAIB. Certificate Number – (009/13 123)

➤ Requirements

In line with Ofsted Early Years and Childcare Register requirements, at least one person who has a current full paediatric first aid certificate must be on the premises and available at all times when children are present, and must accompany children on outings. Childminders, and any assistant who might be in sole charge of the children for any period of time, must hold a current full paediatric first aid certificate. It is then discretionary for each setting, how many additional members of staff are trained in either the Level 3 Full Paediatric First Aid or the Level 2 Emergency Paediatric First Aid.