



QNUK LEVEL 2 AWARD IN PAEDIATRIC FIRST AID (QCF)

FAQ's

WHAT IS PAEDIATRIC FIRST AID

Paediatric First Aid teaches the First Aid Skills which are specialised to those aged 0 to , children aged 1 to 16. QNUK's Level 2 Award in Paediatric First will satisfy the needs of all organisations who work with children on a face to face basis.

IS THERE A REQUALIFICATION REQUIRED?

It is a statutory requirement that people working with children refresh their paediatric first aid every 3 years. The qualification is valid for a period of 3 years at which time candidates will need to successfully take the course again to update their certificate.

HOW LONG IS THE COURSE?

The QNUK Level 2 Award in Paediatric First Aid is made up of 2 units each lasting 10 Guided Learning Hours.

HOW AM I ASSESSED?

Unit 1 : Candidates are assessed through ongoing practical assessment by the tutor

Unit 2: Candidates are assessed my sitting a multiple choice assessment consisting of 10 multiple choice questions and through 2 areas of practical assessment.

The multiple choice paper is to be marked by the trained instructor/assessor.

WHAT IS THE PASS MARK?

Candidates must complete and pass both units in order to receive QNUK's Level 2 Award. If a candidate only completes one of the units, they will receive a credit certificate for this unit.

Unit 1 : Practical assessment – Candidates must demonstrate their competence in all of the listed assessment areas for primary assessment of a casualty .

Unit 2 : Multiple Choice – Candidates must correctly answer 7 out of the 10 questions asked.

Practical assessment – Candidates must demonstrate their competence in all of the listed assessment areas for secondary assessment of casualty.

DO I NEED ANY EQUIPMENT TO DELIVER?

Equipment will be needed in order to support all aspects of the training. Tutors should ensure good hygiene practices are used. Where possible There should be 1 CPR manikin to every 4 students; child and baby manikins should be available. There should also be sufficient supplies of dressing and bandages.

HOW TO I REGISTER AS A PROVIDER FOR PAEDIATRIC FIRST AID?

Approved QNUK Centres should contact QNUK by email or phone to advise they wish to offer the Award within their provision. The Centre must then provide QNUK with details of the tutor(s) delivering the award before confirmation of extension of provision is given

Non- Approved QNUK Centres should complete the QNUK Centre Recognition Form and supply QNUK with details on tutor(s) delivering the award. QNUK will review your application and inform you of their decision within 7 days, this may take longer in busy periods but you will be advised if this is likely to occur.

WHAT ARE THE COSTS ATTACHED?

It is free to extend your provision to include the award.

The QNUK Level 2 Award in Paediatric First Aid (QNUK) assessment costs:

£6 – assessment only

£8 – Assessment and recommended book for candidates.

You will receive a presentation to assist you in your delivery, free of charge.

WHAT ARE THE REQUIREMENTS TO TEACH PAEDIATRIC FIRST AID?

Tutors must have the expertise to speak with confidence on the subject being taught at this level.

It is compulsory that tutors teaching the award have a formal teaching qualification. Please see examples below :

- * Current First Aid at Work Certificate
- * Current First Aid Instructor Certificate
- * Be currently assessing/moderating/verifying in this subject area
- * Membership of a relevant professional sector body/institute
- * PTLLS/CTLLS/STLLS
- * Have experience of delivering this type of qualification within the past 2 years