



First Aid Appointed Person Course

Introduction

Where an employer's assessment of First Aid needs identifies that a qualified First Aider is not necessary and the minimum requirement for an employer is to appoint a person to take charge of the First Aid arrangements. This includes looking after the equipment and facilities and calling the Emergency Services when required. Arrangements should be made for an Appointed Person to be available to undertake these duties at all times when people are at work. In the absence of the First Aider employers must appoint a person for this purpose. It should be remembered that Appointed Persons are not First Aiders and should not attempt to give First Aid for which they have not been trained. This course is ideal for individuals who wish to gain knowledge of emergency procedures and attain a recognised qualification in First Aid.

Course Content and Duration

A 6 hour course consisting of theory and practical work covering:

- Responsibilities and reporting
- Assessment of the situation
- Dealing with an unconscious casualty
- Resuscitation
- Heart Attacks
- Choking
- Control of bleeding
- Fractures
- Burns
- Shock

In addition to the core subjects as listed above, an additional 1 hour is available to cover specific areas that are appropriate to your organisation.

Location

We are able to deliver this course in our training rooms or at your site, subject to a pre-course assessment of your premises, reducing your costs in respect of additional time out and travelling.

Qualification

Although there is no formal assessment, the trainer will assess each individual ongoing throughout the course, there is a formal qualification what is valid for 3 years.

