



Provide first aid – HLTAID011

Module purpose	This unit provides the skills & knowledge required to provide a first aid response to a casualty. It includes the recognition & provision of an initial response where first aid is required in emergency situations by providing essential first aid using basic life support measures according to established Australian Resuscitation Council (ARC) guidelines.
For whom	The unit applies to all personnel who may be required to provide a first aid response in a range of situations, including family, community & workplace settings. Workplace First Aid Officers - minimum requirement according to the Compliance Code/First Aid in the Workplace – Worksafe Victoria
Prerequisites	Nil
Summary of Content	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• State/Territory regulations, first aid codes of practice & workplace procedures including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ ARC Guidelines relevant to provision of CPR & first aid for adults & infants○ safe work practices to minimise risks & potential hazards• Legal, workplace & community considerations including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ duty of care requirements○ privacy & confidentiality requirements• Considerations when providing first aid including:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Primary assessment - DRSABCD○ appropriate use of an AED○ chain of survival○ how to conduct a visual & verbal assessment of the casualty• Principles & procedures for first aid management of various scenarios<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ Allergic reaction○ Bleeding control○ Burns○ Cardiac conditions, including chest pain○ Envenomation○ Environmental impact, including hypothermia, hyperthermia, dehydration and heat
Assessment	The learning outcomes will be assessed using written & practical assessment methodology.
Planned duration	Initial - 12 hours – maximum group of twelve participants Update – 6 hours – maximum group of twelve participants (for those with a current certificate)
Frequency	Three-year update for HLTAID011 Annual update recommended for HLTAID009 – CPR VESI require ESI First Aid & CPR to be completed annually.

