



Level 3 Award in

Paediatric First Aid

Qualification facts

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About this qualification

This qualification provides learners with the first aid skills they require to enter into the children's workforce. The qualification is designed for learners who have responsibility for children, and will guide and assess the development of knowledge and skills relating to paediatric first aid.

On successful completion, learners will be qualified to administer first aid in the workplace or domestic settings.

Entry requirements

There are no formal entry requirements for this qualification but learners will need to be at least 16 years of age.

Experience in the workplace

Learners do not need to be working or attend work placements to complete this qualification.

Qualification structure

Learners must achieve:

- 2 mandatory units
- Total Qualification Time: 16 hours
- Total Guided Learning Hours: 12

Mandatory units

Unit ref no.	Title	Unit type	Level	Credit
M/615/3440	Emergency paediatric first aid	Knowledge/ Skills	3	1
K/615/3436	Managing paediatric illness, injuries and emergencies	Knowledge/ Skills	3	1

Assessment

This qualification is internally assessed. Some elements of the qualification must be assessed by observing the learner in practical demonstrations. The knowledge-based elements do not have to be practically assessed and could include task-based assessments. When completing the units, there must be no more than a 6 week gap between the completion of each unit.

*Due to regular changes in procedures based on updated clinical knowledge and changes in paediatric emergency care, learners will need to retake this qualification within 3 years of the certification date. This ensures their knowledge and skills are maintained in line with any changes. If learners do not retake within three years they will no longer be qualified to administer first aid in the workplace.

For more information

More information on this qualification can be found on our website www.cache.org.uk or our secure Centre website [cachezone](#).

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