

Essex County Council, Early Years & Childcare

12 Hour Paediatric First Aid

Approved Course Content Includes:

- Planning for first aid emergencies
- Dealing with emergencies
- Resuscitation procedures appropriate to the age of children being cared for
- Recognising and dealing with shock
- Recognising and responding appropriately to anaphylactic shock
- Recognising and responding appropriately to bleeding
- Responding appropriately to burns and scalds
- Responding appropriately to choking
- Responding appropriately to suspected fractures
- Responding appropriately to head, neck and back injuries
- Recognising and responding appropriately to cases of poisoning
- Responding appropriately to foreign bodies in eyes, ears and noses
- Responding appropriately to eye injuries
- Responding appropriately to bites and stings
- Responding appropriately to the effects of extreme hot and cold
- Responding appropriately to febrile convulsions
- Recognising and responding appropriately to the emergency needs of children with chronic medical conditions, including epilepsy, asthma, sickle cell anaemia and diabetes
- Recognising and responding appropriately to meningitis and other serious sudden illnesses

