

Anaphylaxis

22578VIC Course in First Aid Management of Anaphylaxis

Application and Relevance

This course applies to a range of settings where emergencies involving allergic reaction may occur. It is relevant for people working in childcare, education, aged and community care, tourism, hospitality and other workplace and community settings.

Course Currency Status: current

Duration

- 4 hours face-to-face classroom/workplace training and assessment OR
- 3 hours face-to-face classroom/workplace training and assessment with approximately 1 hour and 10 minutes of pre-work (online)

Course Content

The course contains two units.

VU23090 Provide first aid management of anaphylaxis

This unit covers:

- + Triggers, signs and symptoms of mild to moderate allergic reactions and anaphylaxis
- + Emergency response to anaphylaxis, including ASCIA action plans and adrenaline dosage
- + Use of adrenaline autoinjector devices
- + Communicating details to emergency services and incident reporting procedures
- + Evaluating the response to an anaphylaxis incident

VU23091 Develop risk minimisation and risk management strategies for anaphylaxis This unit covers:

- + Development of individual anaphylaxis management plans
- + Risk minimisation strategies for allergies
- + Communication plans to raise awareness
- + Record keeping and documentation



Entry Requirements

There are no prerequisite units for this course. As a minimum, participants must have language, literacy and numeracy skills equivalent to level 3 in the Australian Core Skills Framework (ACSF). Prior to the start of face-to-face practical training, there may be a short knowledge quiz to check language, literacy and numeracy skills, as required.

Assessment Methods

Progressive assessment throughout the course, including demonstration of practical skills and written and oral questions relating to underpinning knowledge.

Award Issued

A nationally-recognised Statement of Attainment will be issued to all successful participants.

Further Info

Please refer to the Student Handbook available at <u>livcor.com.au/students</u> for additional information.

All students will be enrolled with LivCor—RTO 3586—which will be responsible for the quality of training and assessment provided and for issuing Statements of Attainment for the units of competency on its scope.

This accredited training and assessment will be conducted under LivCor responsibility and direction by



