

# Guidance for Paediatric First Aid Gateway Requirement Early Vears Educator

Early Years Educator ST0135/AP03



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#### **Guidance Overview**

As stipulated in the assessment plan;

Apprentices must successfully complete the Level 3 Award in Paediatric First Aid. (RQF) or Level 3 Award in Emergency Paediatric First Aid (RQF) or complete a first aid course delivered by one of the following types of organisations as per the EYFS requirements. Voluntary aid society or a member of trade body with an approval and monitoring system.

#### Basic certificate checks:

The certificate name should match the learners name, if not suitable name change documentation should be submitted to accompany the certificate, this can include;

- Marriage Certificate
- Civil Partnership Certificate
- Gender Recognition Certificate
- Enrolled Deed Poll
- Act of Parliament
- Un-enrolled deed poll / Change of name deed
- Certificate from the court of the Lord Lyon of Scotland
- Birth Certificate (upon re-registration)
- Baptismal / Confirmation certificate (for Christian names only)
- Certificate of Naturalisation / Registration
- Adoption order/certificate (these will not normally be provided as a change of name evidence)
- Statutory Declaration / Affidavit

The certificate or other form of suitable evidence should be of a quality that all information can be read.

The certificates or other form of suitable evidence presented must be within its three year validity

#### **Ofqual Regulated provision:**

Suitable Paediatric First Aid qualifications should be accessible on the Ofqual register.

https://register.ofqual.gov.uk/

Awarding Organisations	Qualification	Notes	
Various	Level 3 Award in Paediatric First Aid (RQF)	This should be accessible on the Ofqual register. https://register.ofqual.gov.uk/	
Various	Level 3 Award in Emergency Paediatric First Aid (RQF)	This should be accessible on the Ofqual register. https://register.ofqual.gov.uk/	

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## Voluntary aid societies include:

<b>Organisations</b>	Suitable Course	Notes	
St Johns Ambulance	Blended Online Paediatric First Aid	Further information at <a href="https://www.sja.org.uk/courses/schools-first-aid/blended-online-paediatric-first-aid/book-opf/">https://www.sja.org.uk/courses/schools-first-aid/blended-online-paediatric-first-aid/book-opf/</a>	
St Johns Ambulance	Emergency Paediatric First Aid - 1 Day	Further information at <a href="https://www.sja.org.uk/courses/schools-first-aid/Paediatric-first-aid-1-Day/book-epfa1d/">https://www.sja.org.uk/courses/schools-first-aid/Paediatric-first-aid-1-Day/book-epfa1d/</a>	
British Red Cross	Emergency paediatric first aid	Further information at: <a href="https://www.redcrossfirstaidtraining.co.uk/courses/first-aid-at-work-courses-uk-mainland/scheduled-courses/emergency-paediatric-first-aid/">https://www.redcrossfirstaidtraining.co.uk/courses/first-aid-at-work-courses-uk-mainland/scheduled-courses/emergency-paediatric-first-aid/</a>	
British Red Cross	Paediatric first aid	Further information at: https://www.redcrossfirstaidtraining. co.uk/courses/first-aid-at-work-courses-uk-mainland/ scheduled-courses/paediatric-first-aid/	
St Andrews First Aid	Paediatric first aid	Further information at: <a href="https://www.firstaid.org.uk/course_category/paediatric-first-aid/">https://www.firstaid.org.uk/course_category/paediatric-first-aid/</a>	

### Membership of accepted trade bodies include:

Organisation	Membership Type
The First Aid Industry Body (FAIB)	Training Provider Membership
Federation of First Aid Training Organisations (FOFATO)	Training Provider Membership
The Association of First Aiders (AOFA)	Training Provider Membership
Pro-Trainings	Training Provider Membership
Certify Training Quality (CTQ)	Training Provider Membership
Worksafe Training Systems	Training Provider Membership
UKAS	Membership
Advantage	Membership

To support meeting the requirements of the Early Years Foundation Stage Statutory Framework, it must be confirmed that certificates or other evidence from training providers who have membership of accepted trade bodies:

- Have adequate resuscitation and other equipment including baby and junior models must be provided, so that all trainees are able to practice and demonstrate techniques.
- The course has been undertaken through either blended or face-to-face methods, and the face to face duration is a minimum of six hours (excluding breaks) and the following areas are covered:
  - o Be able to assess an emergency situation and prioritise what action to take
  - o Help a baby or child who is unresponsive and breathing normally
  - o Help a baby or child who is unresponsive and not breathing normally
  - o Help a baby or child who is having a seizure
  - o Help a baby or child who is choking
  - o Help a baby or child who is bleeding
  - Help a baby or child who is suffering from shock caused by severe blood loss (hypovolemic shock)

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