



Cyanide Poisoning Management

Unit Code : EMT 17A
 Management of Cyanide Poisoning
 Unit Code : WEC 02A
 Operate Specialist Emergency Care

COURSE OUTLINE

TARGET AUDIENCE:

This course is designed for participants wishing to attain skills and qualification enabling them to manage cyanide poisoning emergencies by gaining Intraosseous and/or intravenous vascular access allowing for the administration of cyanide antidote, under medical direction.

PREREQUISITES:

Current IV Therapy Qualifications

COMPETENCIES GAINED:

Assess the situation and provide basic care to manage life threatening emergencies

Use of Specialist Emergency Care Equipment - FAST 1

Management of Cyanide Poisoning

DURATION:

8 hours

COST:

includes:
 Workbooks, CPR Cards, Statement of Attainment

COURSE CONTENT

- * **Background & Introduction to FAST 1 Intraosseous system**
- * **Difficulties with IV Vascular Access**
- * **Basics of vascular access by IO**
- * **Advantages of IO Vascular Access**
- * **Procedures for Use**
- * **Indication / Precautions**
- * **Troubleshooting**
- * **Flow Rates with FAST 1**
- * **Recognition of Cyanide Poisoning - signs & symptoms**
- * **Medical Emergency Response Procedures**
- * **Management of Cyanide Poisoning - Antidotes**
- * **Evaluation**



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