



Spinal Injury Management

Unit Code : WECO2A
Select and operate specialist emergency care equipment

COURSE OUTLINE

TARGET AUDIENCE:

This course is designed for participants wishing to attain a qualification enabling them to manage suspected spinal injuries utilising a variety of specialist emergency care equipment in their prescribed workplace

PREREQUISITES:

Current Life Support qualifications.

COMPETENCIES GAINED:

Assess the situation and provide basic care to manage life threatening emergencies (Life Support / CPR)

Select and operate specialist emergency care equipment (Cervical Collars, KEDs, Spineboards)

DURATION:

8 hours

COST:

includes:
Workbooks, CPR Cards, Statement of Attainment

COURSE CONTENT:

- * Resuscitation Review
EAR/CPR
- * Anatomy of the Spine
- * Pathophysiology and Treatment Goals
- * Patient Care Issues
- * Mechanism of Injury & Injury Kinematics
- * Secondary Assessments
- * Principals of Spinal Motion Restriction
- * Motion Restriction Procedures
- * Use of Cervical Extrication Collars
- * Use of Head Restraint Devices
- * Use of Rigid Spine Support Devices
- * Use of Patient / Body Restraints

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