

QA Level 3 Award in the

Administering Emergency Medical Gases (RQF)



1 Day
course



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Certificate
valid for 1 year

Course Overview

The **QA Level 3 Award in Administering Emergency Medical Gases (RQF)** is a regulated and nationally recognised qualification that has been specifically designed for those who have a responsibility for providing treatment to patients who need medical gases administering in prehospital environments.

During this 1 day course, candidates will learn how to safely administer emergency oxygen, pre-operational inspections for oxygen therapy equipment and the clinical need for oxygen therapy when dealing with a range of conditions.

Successful candidates will leave with the skills, knowledge and competencies needed to safely administer prompt and effective medical gases in an emergency situation.

What's Covered?

- ✿ Understanding the use of oxygen therapy, including:
 - Health and safety principles for the use of oxygen
 - Benefits of oxygen administration
 - Indications for emergency oxygen therapy
 - Dangers for compressed gas
- ✿ Administering emergency oxygen
- ✿ Pre-operational inspections for oxygen therapy equipment
- ✿ Clinical need for oxygen therapy for:
 - Trauma
 - Chronic obstructive pulmonary disease (COPD)
 - Hypoxemic
- ✿ Delivery devices
- ✿ Understanding the use of a mixture of nitrous oxide and oxygen
- ✿ Administering a mixture of nitrous oxide and oxygen

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