

## Qualsafe Level 4 Certificate in First Response Emergency Care (RQF)

 39 hour course  
(minimum),  
141 hours  
self-directed  
study

 Ofqual regulated  
Exceeds PHEM  
Framework Level E

 Certificate remains valid by  
maintaining CPD portfolio  
and OOHAILS certification



### Course Overview

The **Qualsafe Level 4 Certificate in First Response Emergency Care (RQF)** is a regulated and nationally recognised prehospital care qualification specifically designed for those looking to progress their career within the NHS or independent ambulance services as an emergency care assistant, intermediate ambulance practitioner, or event medical provider. It is also ideal for those who are looking to work within specialist roles in the military, police and fire services.

Following on from the Qualsafe Level 3 Award in First Response Emergency Care (RQF), this qualification provides learners with a wider scope of practice in prehospital care emergencies and also forms part of a progressive suite of prehospital care qualifications.

### What's Covered?

- Initial patient assessment
- Physiological observations
- Anatomy and physiology
- Heart disease
- Electrocardiogram application and monitoring
- Managing a patient's airway
- Medical gases
- Thoracic trauma
- Sepsis
- Maternity care
- Respiratory disorders and infections
- Mechanisms of injury and kinetics
- Triage
- Sexual assault
- Major incidents
- Psychosocial development in children
- Emergency care for sick and injured children
- Mental health crisis
- Assisting the clinician with clinical interventions

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