

RQF Level 3 Award

Qualification title:	FAA Level 3 Award in Forestry First Aid (RQF)	Code:	603/3404/6
Unit title:	Forestry First Aid	Unit code:	T/617/1390

This qualification has been designed to provide the knowledge and competence for a learner to deal with emergency first aid situations in a forestry/agricultural environment. This qualification is designed to supplement a First Aider's existing First Aid at Work or Emergency First Aid at Work qualification and covers the recommended topics stated in the Forestry Commission First Aid policy 2015.

Duration

A minimum of 2 contact hours in the classroom, consisting of practical and theoretical activities. This qualification can also be combined with the 1-day Emergency First Aid at Work or 3-day First Aid at Work course, providing the minimum contact hours and assessment criteria has been achieved.

Syllabus

The range of subjects covered are:

- Emergency planning and remote medical assistance
- Catastrophic Bleeding Control
- Crush injuries
- Effects of extreme cold
- Lyme disease

Certification

The practical and theoretical assessment is ongoing throughout the duration of the course and a three year qualification can be offered to all, subject to assessment.

Numbers

A maximum of 12 students can be accommodated on this course.

Age limit

Students must be a minimum of 14 years of age to attend this course.