

University Hospitals of Leicester Resuscitation Training Requirements

As stipulated in the Skills for Health (2014) UK Core Skills Training Framework

Specific detail in relation to Resuscitation:

Page 4	:	Approval from the Resuscitation Council UK
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Page 72	:	Target audience and the differing levels – specific detail is provided in the Resuscitation policy

Extract from the Resuscitation Policy

10 Education and Training Requirements

Training Requirements

Staff must undertake the Resuscitation training relevant to the patient group(s) in their workplace, i.e. Adult, Paediatric and/or Neonate. This may involve all three. This initial training should ideally take place during the staff member's induction period (Appendices 2 – 4 for further details).

Non-Clinical staff should be trained as a minimum to recognise a cardiopulmonary arrest, summon help and initiate chest compressions.

Non-Registered Clinical Staff who are 'patient facing' should be trained as a minimum to recognise patients at risk of cardiopulmonary arrest and to use a systematic approach to assess and recognise the need to summon appropriate help early and make appropriate interventions (Appendices 2 – 4 for further details).

Registered Clinical Staff (including Medical Staff) who are 'NON patient facing' should be trained as a minimum to recognise patients at risk of cardiopulmonary arrest and to use a systematic approach to assess and recognise the need to summon appropriate help early and make appropriate interventions (Appendices 2 – 4 for further details).

Registered Clinical Staff (including Medical Staff) who are 'patient facing' should be trained as a minimum to recognise patients at risk of cardiopulmonary arrest and to use a systematic approach to assess and recognise the need to summon appropriate help early and use the defibrillator in manual or automated mode if appropriate (Appendices 2 – 4 for further details).

Medical Staff should be trained as a minimum as above. However trainees will have specific requirements as specified by the Foundation Programme, General Medical Council or Royal College. I.e. Foundation Year One – Immediate Life Support; Foundation Year Two – Advanced Life Support.

Access to Resuscitation Education and Training for Adult, Paediatric, and Neonatal is via www.euhl.nhs.uk, through CMG Educational Leads or Departmental Resuscitation Cascade Instructors.

UHL will only recognise Resuscitation training provided by an external provider, evidenced by an original certificate for the following courses:-

- Immediate Life Support (ILS) - Full day or Update
- Advanced Life Support (ALS)
- Managing Obstetric Emergencies and Trauma (MOET)
- Advanced Paediatric Life Support (APLS) / European Paediatric Life Support (EPLS)
- Paediatric Life Support (PLS) / Paediatric Immediate Life Support (PILS)
- Newborn Life Support (NLS)

The above does not negate the requirement to attend Trust specific additional training or an annual update.

For accredited instructors, facilitation on one of the above courses is deemed your annual update in that component. Evidence of training delivery must be provided to the Clinical Skills Unit before your eUHL account will be amended.