



FIRST ATTACK FIREFIGHTING

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Description

This course provides participants with the knowledge and skills to use fire extinguishers and other firefighting equipment to contain small workplace emergencies.

Who is this course for?

This course is suitable for persons in all organisations regardless of occupation or industry.

Units of Competency

PUAFER008 Confine small emergencies in a facility

Course Duration

2.5 hours (5 hours if combined with our Fire Warden course)

Student Numbers

Min 6: Max 12

Course Content

- Australian Standards and relevant legislation
- Fire hazards, risks and control measures
- Classes of fire
- Extinguishment
- Fire & smoke spread
- Use of extinguishers, hose reels & fire blankets
- Safe working practices
- Practical activity using firefighting equipment

Award Issued

Upon successful completion of the assessment requirements of this course, students will receive a nationally recognised statement of attainment and wallet card.

Recertification

Refreshers recommended every two years.

Pre-requisites

Nil

Pre-entry Requirements

Students must be physically capable of participating in the practical activities and demonstrate a basic level of language, literacy and numeracy.

Delivery Methods

The course content will be delivered in a classroom environment using PowerPoint presentations, videos, group discussions and a number of demonstration and skill building activities.

Assessment Methods

Students will be assessed in a simulated practical scenario involving the use of firefighting equipment. Underpinning knowledge will be assessed with a theory assessment (containing multiple-choice questions).

Notes

This course is often combined with our Fire Warden course (Total duration - 5 hours).

All of our courses are tailored to site policies and procedures. Appropriate clothing is to be worn when attending training including long pants, long shirts and enclosed footwear. PPE specified by the workplace is also to be worn.





