

You are required to possess a current CPR and First Aid Certificate to be able to participate in placement.

How do I obtain a First Aid and CPR Certificate?

There are many companies that offer First Aid (Provide First Aid HLTAID011 – includes CPR) and CPR (Provide Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation HLTAID009) training. You are free to choose a company that suits your needs (location/cost/training delivery method) as long as they are a Nationally Accredited Training Provider. A list of Training Providers can be found at <http://training.gov.au/>.



*Please note: certificates/courses provided by Non Accredited Providers (eg Queensland Health) are **not** accepted.*

How long are these qualifications valid for?

The First Aid component is valid for three years while the CPR qualification needs to be renewed yearly. Most training providers who offer the First Aid course will also offer a CPR course separately.

How much will the training cost?

The cost will vary depending on the provider. Generally speaking you could pay from \$100 - \$130 for the First Aid course (which includes CPR) and the CPR refresher will cost approximately \$50 - \$70.

How long will the training take?

Depending on the provider, there are several formats of delivering the training. Some providers will offer some online or workbook training prior to the face-to-face training. The homework will take between 2 - 6 hours and the face-to-face training about 6 hours. Some offer one or two day purely face to face courses. You will find more information on your chosen provider's website or by calling them.

For more information contact the Fit for Professional Practice Office on: 07 5552 9480 or healthplacementsupport@griffith.edu.au

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