

# **AUSTRALIAN FIRE & FIRST AID**

## **AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATION**

#### **DESCRIPTION**

A short course designed to refresh skills and knowledge to competently provide automated external defibrillation until the arrival of medical assistance. The skills can be applied in either the workplace or the community.

### **PREREQUISITES**

Students must be 16 years of age or older and hold a current, valid CPR certificate.

#### **DURATION**

4 hours classroom training and assessment (3 hours for a refresher course).

#### ASSESMENT METHOD

Progressive assessment throughout the course.

#### COURSE CONTENT

- + Background knowledge of heart structure, function and coronary conditions
- + The Chain of Survival and the importance of early Defibrillation
- + Sudden Cardiac Arrest
- + Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation techniques
- + The skills required to safely perform defibrillation
- + Maintenance and use of an automated external defibrillator

COURSE CODE - 22101VIC- Apply Automated External Defibrillation

AWARD- Nationally Recognised Statement of Attainment

## TRAINING I SAFETY SERVICES I AUDITING

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