

PRE HOSPITAL TRAUMA MANAGEMENT (RCS Ed) COURSE OUTLINE

Course Duration: Three days

Suitable candidates and pre requisitions: For all individuals who need to deliver pre hospital trauma care to their patients. Basic level is for all students and the advanced element is for advanced practitioners only. A minimum of the FAWW is required.

Method of Tuition: Interactive theoretical tuition combined with extensive practical sessions and assessments.

Course Objectives: Provide the skills and techniques to enable immediate care of trauma patients

Costs (Ex VAT): £375.00

TOPICS COVERED INCLUDE:

Kinematics of trauma
Primary and secondary survey
Basic and advanced airway management
Shock including catastrophic haemorrhage and fluid resuscitation
Elderly and paediatric trauma
Peripheral venous cannulation and IO access
Thoracic trauma
Abdominal and pelvic trauma
Needle thoracocentesis
Burns
Triage and major incident management
Spinal and musculo-skeletal trauma
Head injury and trauma
Barotrauma and decompression injury
Splinting including pelvic, traction and vacuum
Extremes of body temperature
Drowning
The traumatic cardiopulmonary arrest
AED and medical gases
Documentation and recording



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