

## **Training Update- Autumn Term 2011**

## Spotlight on..... Choking



Every day in the UK around 40 children under 5 are taken to hospital after choking and food is the most likely cause\*. Since the death of a 2 yr old in a UK nursery there has been an increased focus on dealing with a choking emergency. Whilst there were many factors that contributed to the death in that particular case, including incorrect cutting-up of food, communication issues & ambulance delay, it has been suggested that many school staff are unaware of how to effectively deal with a choking incident. At Fane Ltd we have state of the art equipment that allows delegates on our courses to safely practice back slaps

and abdominal thrusts to ensure that they as effective as possible & staff are best equipped to deal with a potential choking emergency

Call (01207) 693828 or email mike.green@fane.org.uk for further details 
\* source : www.capt.org.uk

#### First Aid Guidance for Schools

We are often contacted by staff who are unsure of the first aider requirements for their school. The HSE issues guidance for First Aid provision for staff and adult visitors. Unfortunately there is no simple answer! The number of first aiders required (and the level of training they receive) for your school depends on the level of risk and number of staff on each site, visitors /parents should also be taken into consideration. All First Aiders must have a current and valid certificate from an HSE Approved Training Organisation , the certificate must be renewed every 3 yrs with annual updates recommended.

In addition, Ofsted require that sufficient suitably trained Paediatric First Aiders are available in school or on outings whenever children are present to ensure their safety.

Fane Ltd offer the following courses to help you meet their requirements

HSE Approved Emergency First Aid at Work (6hrs)
We now offer a sessional rate of £350 per course
for up to 12 staff (£29 each)
(ex vat)

OCN Endorsed Paediatric First Aid (12hrs) £75 per delegate (min 6) or group rate of £750 for up to 12 delegates (£62.50 each) (ex vat)

All courses can be held on your premises or ours

(Prices include all course materials, text book, examination and certificate costs)

Call (01207) 693828 for further information or to book or view course outlines at www.fane.org.uk

# Free Places on CPR Update!



The Health & Safety Executive recommends that all First Aiders attend an annual CPR update. We hold these regularly at a cost of £15 (ex vat) per person. However we would like to invite you to send one of your first aiders onto our update free of charge. Whether you are a current customer or not-why not come along have a go with our

AED and choking vests, refresh your cpr and get updated on any changes free of charge?. All attendees will receive an update certificate

3 hour Education CPR Update Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September 2011 either 9.30-12.30 or 1.30-4.30

Places are limited please call (01207) 693828 to book yours

(One place per school offered on a first come first served basis)

### Why Choose Fane for your training?

We provide high quality Nationally recognised, endorsed and bespoke Courses delivered by well qualified staff with many years of relevant sector and training experience including first aid training delivered by qualified Nurses and Ambulance Technicians

We are an HSE/CIEH/HABC/EDI and OCN Approved Training Centre and currently preferred supplier for Newcastle City Council, Sure Start,

We can deliver courses on a flexible basis to meet your needs- with courses split into half day, evening or weekend sessions as required

We realise that you cannot usually release large groups of staff at any one time- so we are happy to work with small groups (6+) on your premises or ours.

We are happy to design or adapt a course to meet your exact needs

No hidden costs!- tuition, course materials, examination and certification costs are all included-the price we quote is the price you pay

Ask about our Kidsafe programme of First Aid training for children!- available at £150 per session....(01207) 693828 www.streetsafe.info

# **Open Course Schedule-Derwentside**

Our September courses in Derwentside are now fully booked, however there are some spaces left on our Oct/Nov 2011 courses including First Aid, Food Safety and Moving and Handling

Please see the dates on our website www.fane.org.uk or call or email now to reserve your places or to arrange bespoke training on your premises (01207) 693828 mike.green@fane.org.uk