

STUDENT FIRST AID CERTIFICATE REQUIREMENTS

First Aid Certificate

The University of Tasmania is required to comply with Commonwealth and State legislation and regulations to ensure the safety of students and healthcare consumers. The School of Health Sciences (SHS) requires all undergraduate Nutrition Science students to have current first aid certification when undertaking professional experience placement (PEP).

Requirements for Professional Experience Placement in Health Care Agencies

The SHS requires **first year undergraduate nutrition science students** to have undertaken a one or two day Apply (*to be called Provide*) First Aid Certificate course with a Recognised Training Organisation (RTO) and obtain a current **Apply/Provide First Aid** statement of attainment/competency, via an RTO no later than week one in semester two in the Bachelor of Nutrition Science, unless otherwise advised by the School of Health Sciences.

Once you have your Apply/Provide First Aid Certificate, you are required to:

- Upload the Certificate to the relevant compliance item on InPlace by the due date as advised by your PEP Coordinator; and
- retain and produce the Certificate for sighting by health care agencies/UTas if/when required.

If you do not submit your current **Apply/Provide First Aid Certificate** to the School via InPlace you **will not be eligible to undertake PEP**.

The Apply/Provide First Aid certificate is to be updated every 3 years.

Students are responsible for the cost of the Apply/Provide First Aid Certificate course.

If you require further clarification, please contact:

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