

Scope of
practice
(supposedly)

response

assessment

resuscitation /
critically unwell
patients

trauma

catheters

discharge and
non-
conveyance

moving and
handling

routes of
administration

observations and
investigations

medications

RESPONSE

		Year 3 HEI Student (Placement) *	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement) *	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement) *
Autonomous	A			
Restricted (if trained autonomous)	R			
Not within scope	N			
Non-Emergency Response		N	N	N
Emergency Response		N	N	N




ASSESSMENT

Autonomous	A	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 3 HEI Student (Placement)*
Restricted (if trained autonomous)	R			
Not within scope	N			
Primary Survey	A	A	A	
History Taking	A	A	A	
Systems Assessment – Cardiovascular	A	A	A	
Systems Assessment – Gastrointestinal System	A	A	A	
Systems Assessment – Musculoskeletal System	A	A	A	
Systems Assessment – Neurological System	A	A	A	
Systems Assessment – Respiratory System	A	A	A	
System Assessments – Ear, Nose & Throat	N	R	R	



OBSERVATIONS & INVESTIGATIONS

		Year 3 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement)*
Autonomous	A			
Restricted (if trained autonomous)	R			
Not within scope	N			
System Assessments – Endocrinology	N	R	R	
System Assessments – Rheumatology	N	R	R	
System Assessments – Eyes	N	R	R	
Systems Assessment – Urology & Reproductive Health	N	R	R	
Heart Rate	A	A	A	
Respiratory Rate	A	A	A	
Non-Invasive Blood Pressure (automatic)	A	A	A	
Non-Invasive Blood Pressure (manual)	A	A	A	
Oxygen Saturations	A	A	A	
End-tidal Carbon Dioxide (ETCO ₂) monitoring	A	A	A	
AVPU Neurological Assessment	A	A	A	
Glasgow Coma Scale	A	A	A	
National Early Warning System Score	A	A	A	





RESUSCITATION/ CRITICALLY UNWELL PATIENTS

<div> <div>Autonomous</div> <div>A</div> </div> <div> <div>Restricted (if trained autonomous)</div> <div>R</div> </div> <div> <div>Not within scope</div> <div>N</div> </div>			
	Year 3 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement)*
Chest Compressions	A	A	A
Ventilation with a bag-valve mask (adult)	A	A	A
Ventilation with a bag-valve mask (paediatrics)	A	A	A
Use of automated external defibrillation (AED)	A	A	A
Use of manual defibrillation	A	A	A
Use of oral airways	A	A	A
Use if nasal airways	A	A	A
Use of supraglottic airways	A	A	A
Use of endotracheal airways	N	N	N
Needle cricothyroidotomy	N	N	N
Surgical front of neck access (FONA)	N	N	N
Oxygen masks and nasal cannula (all types)	A	A	A
Nebuliser masks and t-piece	A	A	A
Mechanical ventilators	N	N	N
Laryngoscopy	A	A	A

	Year 3 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement)*
Adult choking	A	A	A
Paediatric choking	A	A	A
Forceps removal of airway foreign bodies (adults)	N	A	A
Manual Suction Aspirators	N	A	A
Electronic Suction Aspirators	N	A	A
Forceps removal of airway foreign bodies (paeds)	N	N	N
Paediatric life support (BLS + AED)	A	A	A
Paediatric advanced life support	N	N	N
New-born life support	A	A	A
New-born advanced life support	N	N	N
Recognition of Life Extinct (Outside unequivocal signs)	N	N	N
Mechanical chest compression device	R	A	A
Synchronized cardioversion	N	N	N
Transcutaneous pacing	N	N	N
Needle thoracocentesis	N	A	A
Open Thoracostomy	N	N	N
Orogastric / Nasogastric tubes	N	N	N



CATHETERS

	Year 3 HEI Student (Placement)*		
	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement)*		
	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement)*		
Autonomous	A		
Restricted (if trained autonomous)	R		
Not within scope	N		
External Jugular Cannulation	N	A	A
Intravenous Access	N	A	A
Intra-osseous	N	A	A
Needle thoracocentesis	N	A	A



DISCHARGE AND NON- CONVEYANCE

		Year 1 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 3 HEI Student (Placement)*
Autonomous	A			
Must refer to another registered healthcare professional.	R			
Not within scope	N			
Discharged with authorisation of Clinical Advice Line Healthcare Professional ^[3 = for falls only]	A	A	A	
Autonomous non-conveyance (outside newly qualified)	N	N	N	
Backup requests (emergency conditions)	A	A	A	
Back up request (non-emergency / urgent conditions)	A	A	A	
Single Point of Contact Referrals	A	A	A	



TRAUMA CARE

	Autonomous	Where Trained	Must refer to another registered healthcare professional.	Not within scope	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 3 HEI Student (Placement)*
	A	W	R	N			
Trauma Primary Survey	A	A	A				
Cervical Spinal Injury Assessment	A	A	A				
Cervical Collar	A	A	A				
Chest Seal (Russel or equivalent)	A	A	A				
Pelvic Binder	A	A	A				
Haemostatic Dressing	A	A	A				
Blast Dressing	A	A	A				
Catastrophic Haemorrhage Tourniquet	A	A	A				
Traction Splint	A	A	A				
Box Splint	A	A	A				
Orthopaedic (Scoop Stretcher)	A	A	A				
Extrication Board	A	A	A				
Trauma Extrication Vest (e.g. KED)	A	A	A				
Motorcycle Helmet Removal	A	A	A				
Maternity Pack							
Wound Management – cleansing							
Wound Management – dressing							
Wound Management – steri-strips							
Wound management – wound glue							
Wound management – suturing							
Catheterisation							
Fundoscopy							



MOVING AND HANDLING

<div>Autonomous</div> <div>Where Trained</div> <div>Must refer to another registered healthcare professional.</div> <div>Not within scope</div>	Year 3 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement)*	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement)*
Mangar Elk / Camel Lifting Cushion			
Raiser Chair			
Small Handling Aids (handling belts, turntables etc)			
Carry Chair (including tracks)			
Stretcher			



ROUTES OF ADMINISTRATION

PGD / Legal Exemption Available	P		
If Prescriber (or If paramedic)	I		
Not within scope	N		
IM = Intramuscular only			
Non-registered healthcare workers / student paramedics on placement may not administer any IV/IO medications. Student paramedics must have IM medications authorised by their supervising practice educator.			
	Year 1 HEI Student (Placement) *	Year 2 HEI Student (Placement) *	Year 3 HEI Student (Placement) *
Oral route of medication administration	P	P	P
Nasal Route of medication administration	P	P	P
Rectal route of medication administration	P	P	P
Subcutaneous / intramuscular administration	P	P	P
Intravenous / Intraosseous administration	N	N	N
Sublingual route of medication administration	P	P	P



MEDICATIONS

[illegible]