

## Comparison of FAW and EFAW Syllabus

What Emergencies are First Aiders Trained to Deal With?		
EFAW = 6 Hour Emergency First Aid at Work FAW = 18 Hour First Aid at Work	EFAW	FAW
Acting safely, promptly and effectively in an emergency	✓	✓
Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)	✓	✓
Treating an unconscious casualty (including seizure)	✓	✓
Choking	✓	✓
Wounds and bleeding	✓	✓
Shock	✓	✓
Minor injuries	✓	✓
Preventing cross infection, recording incidents and actions and the use of available equipment	✓	✓
Fractures		✓
Sprains and strains		✓
Spinal injuries		✓
Chest injuries		✓
Severe burns and scalds		✓
Eye injuries		✓
Poisoning		✓
Anaphylaxis		✓
Heart attack		✓
Stroke		✓
Epilepsy		✓
Asthma		✓
Diabetes		✓
Some subjects are not covered on the EFAW course and if any of these injuries or illnesses could occur a full FAW course should be provided.		