

National Certificate in Civil Defence (Response) (Level 2)

Level 2

Credits 46

This qualification has been **reviewed**. The last date to meet the requirements is 31 December 2019.

Transition Arrangements

This qualification has been reviewed and replaced by the New Zealand Certificate in Emergency Response (Level 2) with strands in Aviation Rescue Fire Fighting, Civil Defence Emergency Management, Urban Fire and Rescue Operations, and Workplace Response [Ref: 3021].

The last date for entry to programmes leading to this qualification is 31 December 2017.

The last date for assessment against the replaced qualification is 31 December 2019, at which time it will be discontinued.

For detailed information see [Review Summaries](#) on the NZQA website.

NZQF National Qualification Registration Information

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	September 2008	December 2019
Review	2	January 2016	December 2019

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Purpose

This certificate provides Civil Defence Emergency Management responders with recognition of the skills required to effectively respond to and support civil defence emergency management response.

This qualification is suitable for any person who may respond to an emergency as part of an organisation that has a role in civil defence emergency management response.

The compulsory section of the qualification ensures responders have the core skills as recommended by the Ministry of Civil Defence & Emergency Management under the RAPID™ training framework and supports meeting personnel competency requirements under the Civil Defence Emergency Management Act 2002.

Electives within the qualification allow for recognition and specialisation in a range of response functions, as well as workplace emergency, fire/rescue, communication, and health and safety skills.

This is an introductory qualification enabling the learner to progress to the National Certificate Civil Defence (Response) (Level 3) [Ref: 0327] and on to the National Certificate in Civil Defence Management [Ref: 0328].

Credit Range

	Core Compulsory	Core Elective	Elective A	Elective B
Level 1 credits	-	3	-	-
Level 2 or above credits	9	2	24	10
Minimum totals	9	3	24	10

Requirements for Award of Qualification

Award of NQF Qualifications

Credit gained for a standard may be used only once to meet the requirements of this qualification.

Unit standards and achievement standards that are equivalent in outcome are mutually exclusive for the purpose of award. The table of mutually exclusive standards is provided in section 7 of the New Zealand Qualifications Authority (NZQA) Rules and Procedures publications available at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/ncea/acrp/index.html>.

Reviewed standards that continue to recognise the same overall outcome are registered as new versions and retain their identification number (ID). Any version of a standard with the same ID may be used to meet qualification requirements that list the ID and/or that specify the past or current classification of the standard.

Summary of Requirements

- Core Compulsory standards
- Core Elective – A minimum of 1 standard as specified
- Elective A – A minimum of 24 credits as specified
- Elective B – A minimum of 10 credits as specified

Detailed Requirements

Core Compulsory

The following standards are required

Community and Social Services > Civil Defence > Civil Defence Operation

ID	Title	Level	Credit
528	Demonstrate survival techniques for a Civil Defence emergency	2	3
7334	Demonstrate knowledge of the functions and operations of Civil Defence Emergency Management	2	2

Community and Social Services > Community and Workplace Fire and Emergency Management > Workplace Emergency Risk Management

ID	Title	Level	Credit
17279	Demonstrate knowledge of the coordinated incident management system (CIMS)	2	2

Core Generic > Core Generic > Self-Management

ID	Title	Level	Credit
12355	Demonstrate knowledge of stress and ways of dealing with it	2	2

Core Elective

A minimum of 1 standard

Health > Occupational Health and Safety > Occupational Health and Safety Practice

ID	Title	Level	Credit
497	Demonstrate knowledge of workplace health and safety requirements	1	3

Law and Security > Compliance and Law Enforcement > Compliance and Regulatory Control

ID	Title	Level	Credit
10425	Apply the HSE Act 1992 as an employee in a compliance and/or regulatory control workplace	4	2

Elective A

A minimum of 24 credits at Level 2 or above

Field	Subfield	Domain
Community and Social Services	Civil Defence	Civil Defence Operation

Elective B

A minimum of 10 credits at Level 2 or above

Field	Subfield	Domain
Community and Social Services	Civil Defence	Any
	Community and Workplace Fire and Emergency Management	Any
	Fire and Rescue Services	Any
	Outdoor Recreation	Any
	Specialist Rescue	Any
Health	Emergency Services	Pre-Hospital Emergency Care
	Health Studies	Core Health
Humanities	Communication Skills	Any

Other standard setting bodies whose standards are included in the qualification

Fire and Rescue Services Industry Training Organisation
 New Zealand Industry Training Organisation
 NZQA

Certification

This certificate will display the logos of NZQA, The Skills Organisation and the accredited organisation.

Classification

This qualification is classified according to the NQF classification system and the New Zealand Standard Classification of Education (NZSCED) system as specified below.

DAS Classification		NZSCED	
Code	Description	Code	Description
324	Community and Social Services > Civil Defence	039905	Engineering and Related Technologies > Other Engineering and Related Technologies > Fire Technology and Rescue Services

Quality Management Systems

Providers and Industry Training Organisations must be accredited by a recognised Quality Assurance Body before they can register credits from assessment against standards. Accredited providers and Industry Training Organisations assessing against standards must engage with the moderation system that applies to those standards. Accreditation requirements and the moderation system are outlined in the associated Accreditation and Moderation Action Plan (AMAP) for each standard.

Review