Title	Explain and maintain vessel security and provide on board first aid according to STCW A-V1		
Level	5	Credits	5

Purpose	This unit standard is for people employed in the maritime trade controlling the operation of the ship and care for persons on board at the operational level or are training to do so.
	People credited with this unit standard are able to explain and maintain vessel security and provide on board first aid according to STCW A-VI.

Classification	Maritime > Sea Survival and Sea Safety

Available grade	Achieved
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### **Guidance Information**

Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes:
Health and Safety at Work Act 2015.
Maritime Transport Act 1994 and subsequent amendments.

### 2 References

International Maritime Organization (IMO), International convention on *Standards of Training, Certification and Watchkeeping* (STCW) for Seafarers including 2010 Manila amendments; *MARPOL 73/78; International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea 1972; International Ship and Port Facility Security (ISPS) Code; Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) Convention (1974/1988), and any subsequent amendments. Available at <a href="https://www.imo.org">www.imo.org</a>.* 

### 3 Definition

First aid refers to assistance and intervention to persons suffering sudden illness or accident with the aim to preserve life, prevent the condition from worsening and promote recovery.

### 4 Assessment information

- All work practices must meet recognised codes of practice and documented worksite safety procedures (where these exceed the codes) for personal, product, and worksite safety, and the obligations required under current legislation.
- b Assessment may be of evidence that is naturally occurring in the workplace or obtained from approved instruction or during attendance at an approved course, including practical demonstrations in spaces which provide realistic training conditions and simulated shipboard conditions.

# Outcomes and performance criteria

#### **Outcome 1**

Explain and maintain vessel security and provide on board first aid according to STCW A-VI.

### Performance criteria

- 1.1 Maritime security is enhanced through heightened awareness in accordance with STCW A-VI/6-1.
- 1.2 Security threats are recognised in accordance with STCW A-VI/6-1.
- 1.3 The need for and methods of maintaining security awareness and vigilance are explained in accordance with STCW A-VI/6-1.
- 1.4 Immediate first aid is applied in the event of accident or illness on board in accordance with STCW A-VI/4-1.

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