



National  
Operational  
Guidance

## Control measure

**Risk assess and adopt the appropriate  
level of casualty care**



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### TRAINING SPECIFICATION

#### Knowledge and understanding

Control measure element	Learning outcome
Clinical governance	Understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The reasons why fire and rescue services providing casualty care that is over and above first-aid regulations should have appropriate clinical governance in place</li> <li>• The need for the fire and rescue service to have obtained clinical governance leadership from a healthcare professional</li> <li>• What activity in the organisation should consider clinical governance arrangements</li> </ul>
Providing casualty care under the direction of medical responders	Understand: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• That personnel may need to provide casualty care at an incident under the direction of medical responders</li> <li>• The need to nominate a competent firefighter to assist with the care being administered to the casualty</li> </ul>

#### Practical application

Control measure element	Learning outcome
Provide casualty care following their service policies, procedures or tailored guidance	Demonstrate the ability to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Provide appropriate casualty care, while following:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Service policies</li> <li>- Service procedures</li> <li>- Tailored guidance</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



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**Control measure element**

Support the delivery of casualty care by following the instructions of medical responders

**Learning outcome**

Demonstrate the ability to:

- Appoint a competent person to assist with casualty care
- Ensure the instructions of medical responders are followed