Pet First Aid & CPR Training Course

Professional Development Training Course Outline

Category	Veterinary and Animal Science	**Duration**	5 Days
Base Fee	$1,500 USD	**Delivery Mode**	Online / On-site Hybrid

Course Introduction

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Course Objectives

1. Master pet CPR techniques for dogs, cats, and small animals.
2. Learn first aid procedures for injuries, bleeding, and fractures.
3. Understand choking management and airway clearance techniques.
4. Recognize early signs of pet emergencies and critical conditions.
5. Develop skills for emergency preparedness and risk mitigation.
6. Apply wound cleaning, bandaging, and splinting methods effectively.
7. Gain knowledge in poisoning response and toxin management.
8. Train in heatstroke, hypothermia, and shock management.
9. Conduct vital signs assessment and monitoring in emergencies.
10. Learn pet-safe transport techniques for injured animals.
11. Practice hands-on simulations of real-life emergency scenarios.
12. Integrate technology and apps for pet emergency assistance.
13. Enhance confidence and decision-making skills in critical situations.

Target Audience

1. Pet owners seeking emergency preparedness
2. Veterinarians and veterinary technicians
3. Animal shelter staff and volunteers
4. Pet groomers and daycare providers
5. Pet sitters and dog walkers
6. Animal rescue workers
7. Community first responders
8. Students in veterinary or animal care programs

Course Modules

Module 1: Introduction to Pet First Aid & CPR

- Understanding the importance of pet emergency care
- Overview of common pet injuries and emergencies
- Introduction to CPR and life-saving principles
- Case study: Dog choking incident in a household
- Safety and hygiene protocols during first aid

Module 2: Basic Pet Anatomy & Physiology

- Vital signs: pulse, respiration, and temperature
- Key anatomical differences between species
- Understanding pet behavior during emergencies
- Case study: Cat collapse due to cardiac arrest
- Hands-on monitoring techniques

Module 3: CPR Techniques & Resuscitation

- Step-by-step CPR for dogs and cats
- Rescue breathing techniques for small animals
- Timing, compression depth, and rate
- Case study: Puppy cardiac arrest in a park
- Simulated CPR practice

Module 4: Wound Management & Bandaging

- Cleaning and disinfecting injuries
- Bandaging techniques for limbs and torso
- Splinting broken bones
- Case study: Dog cut by glass at home
- Hands-on application exercises

Module 5: Choking & Airway Obstruction

- Recognizing signs of choking
- Performing the Heimlich maneuver for pets
- Emergency airway clearance techniques
- Case study: Cat choking on a toy
- Simulation drills with mannequins

Module 6: Heatstroke, Shock & Poisoning

- Identifying heatstroke, hypothermia, and shock
- Emergency cooling and warming strategies
- Managing poisoning and toxic ingestion
- Case study: Dog heatstroke at a summer outing
- Real-life emergency response practice

Module 7: Emergency Transport & Preparedness

- Safe ways to transport injured pets
- First aid kit essentials
- Emergency planning and response strategies
- Case study: Injured dog rescued from traffic accident
- Roleplay: emergency scenario drills

Module 8: Advanced Case Studies & Hands-on Simulations

- Simulated multi-pet emergency scenarios
- Decision-making under pressure
- Teamwork and communication in crises
- Case study: Shelter emergency evacuation
- Practical assessment and certification prep

Training Methodology

This course employs a participatory and hands-on approach to ensure practical learning, including:

- Interactive lectures and presentations.
- Group discussions and brainstorming sessions.

- Hands-on exercises using real-world datasets.
- Role-playing and scenario-based simulations.
- Analysis of case studies to bridge theory and practice.
- Peer-to-peer learning and networking.
- Expert-led Q&A sessions.
- Continuous feedback and personalized guidance.

Register as a group from 3 participants for a Discount

Send us an email: info@fineskilltrainingcenter.org or call *+254769199797*

Certification

Upon successful completion of this training, participants will be issued with a globally- recognized certificate.

Tailor-Made Course

We also offer tailor-made courses based on your needs.

Key Notes

a. The participant must be conversant with English.

b. Upon completion of training the participant will be issued with an Authorized Training Certificate

c. Course duration is flexible and the contents can be modified to fit any number of days.

d. The course fee includes facilitation training materials, 2 coffee breaks, buffet lunch and A Certificate upon successful completion of Training.

e. One-year post-training support Consultation and Coaching provided after the course.

f. Payment should be done at least a week before commence of the training, to Fineskill Training Center account, as indicated in the invoice so as to enable us prepare better for you.

Upcoming Scheduled Sessions

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Online	$1,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$1,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$3,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000

Start Date	End Date	Location	Price
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$4,500
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000
23 Nov 2026	27 Nov 2026	Physical	$6,000

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