



# ARC Advanced Life Support Level 1: Immediate Life Support Recertification Course Regulations 2011

**Please note: These regulations should be read in conjunction with the standard ALS1/ILS Course Regulations**

## 1. General

- 1.1** All Course Directors, Instructors and Instructor Candidates must abide by the Australian Resuscitation Council ALS1/ILS regulations.

## 2. Pre-course Organisation

- 2.1** The maximum number of candidates per course is **30**.
- 2.2** All candidates must be provided with an ALS1/ILS manual purchased from the Australian Resuscitation Council. After the course they must retain the manual for reference. This purchase includes the registration and certification fee.
- 2.3** Assessment forms and manuals for candidates must be forwarded to the candidates at least **2 weeks** before the course.
- 2.4** The Course Director is responsible for checking the candidates' ALS1/ILS certification meets requirements to attend the course.

## 3. Candidate Eligibility and Certification

- 3.1** Only candidates who have successfully completed the ARC ALS1/ILS or RC(UK) ILS course can attend an ALS1/ILS recertification course.
- 3.2** ALS2/ALS Providers who hold a current ALS2/ALS Provider certificate may obtain ALS1/ILS certification by attending an ALS1/ILS recertification course.
- 3.3** Candidates may only attend the ALS1/ILS recertification course within two years of the date of their current ALS1/ILS certificate.
- 3.4** Candidates are not permitted to re-certify by joining part of a standard one-day ALS1/ILS course. They must attend the course they attend in its entirety.
- 3.5** If the candidate is unable to show evidence of successfully completing an ALS1/ILS course or cannot provide evidence of current ALS2/ALS certification, they **cannot** attend the ALS1/ILS re-certification course and must complete the full ALS1/ILS Course.
- 3.6** Candidates cannot be considered for ALS1/ILS Instructor training if they attend the ALS1/ILS re-certification course.
- 3.7** Candidates cannot successfully complete the course unless they are present for the entire half-day.
- 3.8** Candidates who successfully complete the course will receive a Resuscitation Council certificate. The ALS1/ILS certificate is valid for **4 years**.

## 4. Program, Lectures, Skill Stations and Assessment

- 4.1 The ALS1/ILS recertification course must adhere to the standard program.
- 4.2 The same course organisation, lectures/skill stations and assessment regulations for the ALS1/ILS course apply to the recertification course (see the relevant sections of the standard ALS1/ILS Course Regulations)
- 4.3 All faculty teaching on the recertification course must be ALS2/ALS Instructors or Instructor Candidates, ALS1/ILS Instructors or Instructor Candidates, and APLS/EMST Instructors who are also ALS Providers. There must be at least one ARC ALS Instructor. For further details regarding faculty requirements, please see the relevant section of the standard ALS1/ILS Course Regulations.
- 4.4 ALS1/ILS Instructors may not recertify on the ALS1/ILS recertification course.

## 5. Post-Course Organisation

- 5.1 Course results must be submitted to the Australian Resuscitation Council using the recertification course returns form.
- 5.2 Certificates will be issued in the usual way as per the standard ALS1/ILS Course Regulations.