

RESUSCITATION AUSTRALIA ADVANCED LIFE SUPPORT (ALS)

In 2025, Northern Health become an Accredited Course Centre of [Resuscitation Australia](#). Northern Health seeks to ensure that it provides wide choice for ALS course participants, to ensure their individual learning needs are met through the selection of the most appropriate course to suit their requirements and preferred learning style.

Below is a resource answering some commonly asked questions.
Please email resuscitationcoordinator@nh.org.au if you require any additional support in selecting the most appropriate ALS course for you.

How will I receive my ALS course materials?



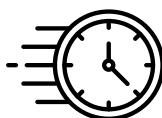
All ALS theory is delivered in an interactive eLearning format, accessible via the device of your choice (phone, tablet, laptop or desktop) immediately after booking your course. You will automatically receive a link to access the eLearning in your registration confirmation.

Resuscitation Australia's eLearning includes video and microlearning activities as well as mandatory quiz modules. ALS1 includes 20 modules (including 4 mandatory quizzes) and ALS2 includes 35 modules (including 5 mandatory quizzes). Read participant feedback about RA's eLearning at [pp.9-12](#).

The modules are continuously updated to reflect the latest [ANZCOR Guidelines](#) and were last updated on 15 August 2025.

Frequency of updates: [monthly](#)

What is the course duration?



ALS1: eLearning + attendance at face-to-face training day ([half day format](#), 4 hours, e.g. 8:30am – 12.30pm). View the Program [here](#).

ALS2: eLearning + attendance at face-to-face training day ([1 day format](#), 8 hours, e.g. 8.00am – 4.00pm). View the Program [here](#). Note: ALS2 Recertification is a [half day format](#) (4 hours).

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How am I assessed?



Assessment is **continuous** with knowledge checks embedded throughout the eLearning. Practical skills are assessed throughout the face-to-face training day. Read about what participants have to say about RA's continuous assessment at [pp.18-20](#).

What is the format of my result?



eLearning quizzes are required to be completed to **80%+** accuracy, with unlimited attempts permitted. Successful participation in the face-to-face training day requires a cumulative average **Likert score of 6/10** or above to pass the scenario-based assessments. You will receive notification of your pass, if successful, at the conclusion of the face-to-face training day.

How will I receive my ALS certification?



Upon passing your ALS course, you will receive your certification digitally. Your ALS credential will be automatically **sent within one business day**, in an encrypted format, to your nominated email. Your ALS credentials are verifiable and instantly shareable via the platforms of your choice and can be converted to PDF. You can read more about RA's secure credentialing [here](#).

Can I keep the materials after my course?



You will retain access to the eLearning modules for your credentialing period (4 years), which means you will always have access to the latest version of content for revision/refresher training.

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Can I claim CPD points/hours for participation in the course?



Yes, you can claim time spent attending an ALS1 or ALS2 course developed by Resuscitation Australia, including if you teach on a course as a Resuscitation Australia Accredited Instructor.

Participation in a RA ALS course can be reported to the following colleges as per the [RA website](#):

- ACEM
- ACSEP
- ACN
- ACRRM
- ANZCA
- CICM
- RACDS
- RACGP*
- RACP
- RACS
- RANZCOG
- RANZCR

*For participants for whom RACGP is their CPD home, please note you must self-report your CPD to RACGP

How can I claim CPD hours?



CPD hours are claimable with your CPD Home for actual time spent on eLearning and attendance at the face-to-face training day. Please claim both eLearning time and face-to-face training time under 'EA': Educational Activities. Refer to [Resuscitation Australia's CPD Program Information Sheets](#) for CPD information specific to your College.