



# PARAMEDIC PRACTICE, TOP-UP

## Goal:

To provide paramedics with the skills and knowledge needed to innovate in patient care, develop leadership strategies, and conduct rigorous research within prehospital settings.

## Target group:

HCPC-registered paramedics seeking advanced training and career progression in prehospital and urgent care.

## Highlights:

- Designed for HCPC-registered paramedics seeking to deepen their practice with Level 6 training.
- Focuses on human factors, evidence-informed leadership, and healthcare management.
- Combines theoretical and practical assessments for comprehensive learning.

## Qualsafe Level 6



### Diploma in Paramedic Practice (RQF)

## Instructor



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## Period of validity



CPD Required

## Certification



Qualsafe Level 6 Diploma

## Venue



Practical training will take place at Outreach Rescue, Llanllechid, Bangor, Gwynedd, North Wales LL57 3HY

## Medic Skills



Total Qualification Time: 1200 hours, including 160 Guided Learning Hours (GLH), 290 hours of online study, and 750 hours of self-directed study.

## Description

An advanced 'top-up' diploma for HCPC registered paramedics, focusing on research, leadership, and evidence-based practice to enhance critical care capabilities in prehospital environments.

Qualsafe Level 6 Diploma in Paramedic Practice (RQF) offers HCPC-registered paramedics advanced training in theoretical and practical skills essential for high-level patient care and healthcare management. Comprising three core modules — Human Factors and Leadership, Research and Governance, and Strategic Healthcare Management—this course deepens expertise in risk assessment, research methodologies, and leadership. Delivered through a blend of guided and self-directed study, this course enables paramedics to undertake innovative, evidence-based approaches to patient care and system management.

## Compliance:

Recognised by Qualsafe Awards, aligned with Skills for Health, College of Paramedics, and HCPC standards.

## Previous knowledge:

Each participant is required to be registered as a paramedic with the HCPC. Evidence of a paramedic qualification and a CPD portfolio should also be provided.

## Requirements:

Delegates must be 18+

## Progression:

Can support career advancement within paramedic practice and lead to further study or roles in healthcare management.

## Theoretical elements:

- Human factors in paramedic practice
- Research, governance, and clinical audit
- Healthcare management and policy innovation
- Submission of a Dissertation on an agreed relevant subject

## Practical elements:

- Scenario-based leadership exercises
- Research and audit projects
- Strategic management and healthcare solution development