

Certificate verification request

Resuscitation Council UK is able to verify the following course provider certificates: **ALS, EPALS, NLS, ARNI, GIC, ILSi** and **FEEL**. ILS or PILS provider course certificates can only be verified by the attending Course Centre/training organisation – please contact these institutions for verification. Please allow 14 working days for verification.

Resuscitation Council UK's (RCUK) advanced course certificates are valid for four years from the course date. Unfortunately, we are unable to verify course certificates older than four years which have expired.

We are unable to verify certificates from other organisations such as Advanced Life Support Group (ALSG) or the Royal College of Surgeons. Please make enquiries directly with these organisations.

RCUK writes the NICE accredited national Resuscitation Guidelines; these were last published in 2021 and can be accessed here <https://www.resus.org.uk/library/2021-resuscitation-guidelines>.

In addition, RCUK also writes the UK's resuscitation Quality Standards which can be accessed here <https://www.resus.org.uk/library/quality-standards-cpr>. Our Guidelines and Quality Standards documents are used by health and care organisations as the benchmark for best practices for providing resuscitation services and care throughout the UK.

As such, all RCUK's courses meet the national requirements for these guidelines and standards. Therefore, the **Core Skills Training Framework/Skills for Health** benchmark their requirements against our guidelines, standards, courses and levels of training.

The award of a Resuscitation Council UK certificate indicates that an individual has successfully completed an RCUK course but does not constitute a licence to practice. This is a matter for their employer, who may recommend further training. Employers are themselves directly responsible for establishing that their staff have the capabilities requisite to their clinical setting – this is essential in the interest of patient health and safety. Accordingly, employers must not rely on the holding by an individual of a certification of qualification from RCUK as lessening their responsibility in that respect.

More information relating to our courses can be found here <https://www.resus.org.uk/training-courses>.

For further information or support, please contact us at <https://support.resus.org.uk/support/home>.

Certificate verification request form

Date of request					
Please select which certificate(s) you would like verified	Candidate	ALS	EPALS	NLS	
		ARNI	GIC	ILSi	FEEL
	Instructor	ALS	EPALS	NLS	
		ARNI	GIC	ILS	PILS

Please note: ILS or PILS Candidate certificates can only be validated by the original Course Centre/training organisation.

Please complete the Candidate's details below; please complete separate forms for each respective course type.	
Name as registered on the course	
Grade	
Course Centre/ Hospital name	
Professional Registration Number	
Course dates	

We request that, along with this form, you email a scanned copy of the Candidate's certificate to be verified from an email address within your organisation to Courses@resus.org.uk.

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