

CPR in Schools

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)



Q: What is the CPR in Schools Training Kit?

A: The CPR in Schools Training Kit empowers students to learn the core skills of CPR in under 30 minutes. The kit contains everything needed to learn CPR, AED skills and choking relief in school classroom settings. The easy-to-use kit is designed specifically for the needs of school educators, and it's portable, allowing for convenient movement from classroom to classroom and easy storage. The CPR in Schools Training Kit was developed by the American Heart Association, the leader in CPR programs, and incorporates the very latest science.

Q: Does the CPR in Schools Training Kit teach the latest science?

A: Yes, both the instructional DVD and the Mini Anne® Plus manikin included in the kit reflect science from the 2010 American Heart Association Guidelines for Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation and Emergency Cardiovascular Care, including an emphasis on Hands-Only™ CPR for adult sudden cardiac arrest.

Q: Where can I purchase a kit or learn more about it?

A: The CPR in Schools Training Kit can be purchased at www.heart.org/cprinschools or by calling the CPR in Schools Hotline at (866) 935-5484.

Q: Who is the target audience for this kit?

A: The kit was developed for educators, school nurses or even student leaders to train groups of 10 students at once in a school setting. The kit can also be used to train school faculty, staff, parents, volunteers and community members to extend the lifesaving skills into the community.

Q: Will this kit help me meet the new CPR in Schools graduation requirement?

A: Each state has specific CPR legislation. Please refer to the interactive map at www.heart.org/cprinschools to see the legislation for your state.

Q: How many kits do I need to train my student body?

A: Each CPR in Schools Training Kit can train 10 students at once. If your class contains 30 students, you can purchase three kits to train your whole class at one time or you can purchase one kit and train students in groups of 10 at a time.

Q: Will students who complete this training program receive an AHA course completion card?

A: No, completion of this course does not result in an AHA card.

Q: Can the CPR in Schools Training Kit be used to teach Hands-Only CPR or CPR with breaths?

A: Yes. The kit teaches Hands-Only CPR and also CPR with breaths (used with children) for schools interested in teaching that skill.

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Q: What is included in the CPR in Schools Training Kit?

A: The portable, easy-to-use kit includes

- 10 Mini Anne Plus inflatable manikins
- 10 kneel mats with carry bags
- 10 practice-while-watching training DVDs
- Hand pump for manikin inflation
- 2 mesh collection and storage bags
- 1 classroom carry bag
- 50 replacement airways, if you choose to practice CPR with breaths
- 50 manikin wipes
- 10 replacement face masks
- Facilitator Guide

Q: Do we have a choice of manikin ethnicity?

A: Yes. Two skin tones are available for purchase: Product #90-1088, CPR in Schools Training Kit (Light Skin), and Product #90-1089, CPR in Schools Training Kit (Brown Skin).

Q: What curriculum and skills are taught in the CPR in Schools Training Kit?

A: This course covers

- Adult Hands-Only CPR
- Child CPR
- Adult and child choking relief
- Use of an AED

Q: About how long does CPR in Schools training take to complete?

A: The kit is designed to teach the core skills of CPR in less than 30 minutes.

Q: Is the CPR in Schools Training Kit available in other languages?

A: Yes, the kit is fully bilingual (English/Spanish) for the US market. No additional translations of the kit are planned at this time.

Q: Does the CPR in Schools Training Kit teach infant CPR?

A: No. However, Infant CPR Anytime® is available at www.shopcpranytime.org and provides anyone who cares for an infant under 12 months old with the lifesaving skills of infant CPR.

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Q: How is the CPR in Schools Training Kit packaged?

A: The all-in-one CPR in Schools Training Kit comes in a canvas, zippered bag measuring 800 × 300 × 410 mm (31.5 × 11.8 × 16.1 inches). The cardboard box one kit is shipped in measures 825 × 300 × 450 mm (32.5 × 11.8 × 17.7 inches).

Q: Is the Mini Anne Plus manikin latex-free?

A: Yes.

Q: Is the CPR in Schools Training Kit DVD closed captioned for the hearing impaired?

A: Yes. Q: How many times can I use the CPR in Schools Training Kit?

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A: Each kit trains hundreds of students, and each manikin can withstand a maximum of 300,000 compressions.

Q: Can the CPR in Schools Training Kit be used by groups or organizations that are not schools?

A: Yes.

Q: Are the individual components of the CPR in Schools Training Kit sold separately?

A: Yes. Replacement faces, lungs and manikin alcohol wipes may be purchased separately at www.heart.org/cprinschools.

Q: What do I do if 1 of the 10 manikins in my kit becomes punctured or torn?

A: Replacement Mini Anne Plus manikins may be purchased separately at www.laerdal.com/us/cprinschools.

Q: Do the manikins have a warranty?

A: The quality and value of the Mini Anne Plus manikins is supported by a limited warranty that provides assurance that they will be free from defects in materials and workmanship. A copy of the limited warranty for any product is available here for your review before purchase: www.laerdal.com/binaries/ACZQAYDX.pdf.

Q: Can I return the CPR in Schools Training Kit?

A: Because of the nature of this product, the AHA does not accept returns on this product except as covered by the limited warranty here: www.laerdal.com/binaries/ACZQAYDX.pdf.

Q: Whom should I contact if I have problems with the CPR in Schools Training Kit?

A: For problems with this product, customers should contact the CPR in Schools Hotline at (866) 935-5484.

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