Early Years Policy – Administration of First Aid

Attachment 1 – Basic Life Support Flow Chart

**RESPONSE**

Talk and touch

**LOOK FOR AND REMOVE RISKS/HAZARDS**

**DANGER**

Ensure the scene is safe

Unsafe

Unsafe

Safe

WAIT FOR EXPERT ASSISTANCE

Responsive

Unresponsive

* Obtain history
* Signs and symptoms
* Call for help if needed
* Find injuries/illness
* Treat injury/illness
* Monitor casualty

**SEND FOR HELP**

Stay with casualty

**OPEN AIRWAYS**

Check for possible obstructions

**CHECK BREATHING**

Look listen and feel for ***NORMAL*** breathing

No normal breathing

Normal breathing

**30 compressions**

Place casualty on side

Call triple zero (000)

Monitor casualty

Repeat

* If unsure if breathing is normal treat as though it is not
* Only stop to recheck casualty if they start breathing ***NORMALLY***
* If possible, change first aiders every 1 to 2 mins to reduce fatigue
* Send or go for help as soon as possible.

**2 breaths**

**Use AED if available**