

Draft Award Specification

Physical Intervention Practice 5SXXXX

Title	Physical Intervention Practice
Award Type	Special Purpose
Code	5SXXXX
Level	5
Credit Value	15
Purpose	The purpose of this award is to equip the candidate with the knowledge, skill and competence to safely and legally remove non-compliant persons at the scene of an incident.
Statements of Knowledge, Skill and Competence	Learners will be able to:
Knowledge	
<i>Breadth</i>	Acquire a broad range of knowledge on physical intervention principles and practice and the laws surrounding physical intervention and use of force.
<i>Kind</i>	Demonstrate understanding of physical intervention concepts, the causes of conflict and violence and how behavioural changes can lead to escalation to a point requiring intervention.
Know How and Skill	
<i>Range</i>	Demonstrate a range of skills including non-physical and verbal interactions and physical responses to escalating aggressive and violent situations.
<i>Selectivity</i>	Assess situations, selecting and applying the most appropriate and safest interventions in response to a variety of changing situations encountered deciding on using physical intervention only as a last resort.
Competence	

Context	Act in accordance with policy and the law, responding as appropriate to the environment, situation presented and individuals involved, while safeguarding oneself, other people and property.
Role	Respond appropriately to evolving situations, working both independently and as a part of a team, making decisions on intervening, deciding on the nature and level of the intervention and taking control of a situation if required.
Learning to Learn	Learn from interactions, evolving, improving and sharing knowledge.
Insight	Reflect on personal performance and behaviour, remaining aware of the impact on others as a result of actions taken.

Components required to achieve the award:

Physical Intervention Procedures 5NXXXX

Supporting Documentation

1. Private Security Authority Requirements for Training Providers TP1'
2. Current safety and health at work legislation and codes of practice

Specific Validation Requirements

1. A training provider must show evidence of having sought approval from the Private Security Authority in accordance with the Private Security Authority 'Requirements for Training Providers TP1'
- 2, Providers must show evidence of the information and procedures in place to satisfy the PSA requirements on dealing with learners whose first language is not English or Irish