

The National Capabilities Framework for Professionals who care for Children and Young People with Asthma

What is it and who is it for?

[The National Capabilities Framework for Professionals who care for Children and Young People with Asthma](#) is aimed at anyone who may encounter a child with asthma as part of their job or role and includes childcare providers, those working in education, uniformed services, sports coaches, social services, local government, health care workers.

It allows individuals, employers and integrated care systems to be aware of the **skills and knowledge that are required to safely care for a child or young person with asthma.**

The 5 Tiers of the Framework

The framework is divided into 5 tiers. A tier describes the level of care a person may be expected to deliver to a child or young person with asthma. Individuals should look at their own role and choose the tier most appropriate to the care they deliver. (See table for examples)

Most people working in primary care will need to complete Tier 1,2 or 3. Tiers 4 and 5 are for people who manage difficult to treat or severe asthma. Non healthcare professionals caring for children and young people with asthma should complete tier 1 training.

Training is on-line and free of charge for tiers 1,2 and 3 and should be completed every 2 years.

CYP Asthma Capability Framework Tiers

Tier	Level of care	Example profession	Knowledge and skills
1	Signposting	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Social care Education staff Childcare providers Leaders of children's clubs GP receptionists Health Care Assistants 	<p>Basic awareness of asthma, its management, inhaler use and basic modifiable risk factors.</p> <p>Able to signpost families to resources.</p>
2	Supporting prescribed care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practice, School, Community and ward nurses Health visitors Community pharmacist AHPs Ambulance staff 	<p>Greater understanding of the principles of asthma management and able to deliver prescribed care both routinely and in an emergency.</p> <p>Able to view asthma as a chronic condition and identify risk factors for poor control</p>
3	Assessment and prescribing of care	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> General Practitioners Emergency department doctors Paediatricians Doctors in training Nurses with a special interest Clinical pharmacist 	<p>Able to diagnose, assess and manage acute and chronic asthma.</p> <p>Able to address the factors that contribute to poor control</p>
4	Assessment and prescribing for the more difficult to treat asthmas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Paediatricians with special interest Advanced nurse practitioners 	<p>In depth knowledge of asthma and the differentials and able to diagnose, assess and manage the more difficult to treat asthmatic.</p> <p>Able to work with wider teams to support all aspects of management and transition</p>
5	Managing the difficult and severe asthmas	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Tertiary paediatrician AHP member of the asthma MDT 	<p>Specialist knowledge and skills to diagnose, assess and manage the most severe and difficult to treat asthmatics</p>

How do I access the relevant on-line training for my tier?

Via e-Learning for Health

- Register for or sign into eLFH [HERE](#)
- Choose continue and complete your registration. You will receive an email asking you to set up a password.

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I work in social care

I am eligible for an NHS OpenAthens account

I am an active volunteer or I am interested in volunteering

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- Alcohol Dependence (PWP)
- Alcohol Identification and Brief Advice (ALC)
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- All Our Health Professional - Virtual Reality 360

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- Once you have an eLFH account login then you can access the training through this link: [NHSE elfh Hub Asthma \(Children and Young People\)](#).

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 - Acute Medicine (ACUMEN)
 - Acute NIV (NIV)
 - Administrative triage using digital tools in General Practice
 - Adolescent Health Programme (AH)
 - Adult Safeguarding in a Secure and Detained Setting
- Supporting Children and Young People's Health: Improving Asthma Care Together for Tier 1 Providers
- Asthma (Children and young people) - Tier 2**
- Children and young people asthma training for Tier 3 providers
- Advancing Paediatric Asthma Care Course for Tier 4 providers

- Click on the info icon next to the relevant tier of training (1,2 or 3)
- Click enrol then continue with enrolment
- You will then be able to click play to complete the e-learning

Via ESR (NHS Electronic Staff Record)

If you are an NHS staff member who uses ESR for your mandatory training etc you may need to access the online training course via ESR

- Log in to ESR - [Home - ESR Hub - NHS Electronic Staff Record](#)
- Click on "My Learning" in the menu on the left hand side
- In the search box choose course and type asthma into the search box
- Click enter
- You will see the course options below

Search Course Exact Phrase **Go** Advanced Search

Learning > Current Learning >

Courses

Click on 'Course' link to view details about the course. All courses beginning with '000' are nationally provided. Any other courses are provided by your organisation.

Course Name	Choose or Enrol in class	Course Code
000 All Our Health: Air Pollution		
000 Asthma (Adults)		
000 Asthma (Children and young people) - Tier 2		
000 Children and Young People's Health: Improving Asthma Care Together - Tier 1		
000 Children and young people asthma training for tier 3 providers		
000 Disability Matters - Hidden Disabilities Matter		
000 FENO in Asthma		
000 HSC 05: The Child with Additional Needs: Long-standing Illness or Disability		
000 Image Interpretation: X-ray: Pathology (Paediatric Chest)		

- Click on "Choose or enrol in class" for the appropriate tier of training
- Click on "Apply"
- The course will then go into "My e-learning enrolments"
- You can then click play to complete the course