



Passed by Executive:
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First Aid Training for Officials

This Union Notes:

1. Currently there is no first aid training offered to any members or officials in Sports and Societies

This Union Believes:

1. That the Union has a duty of care towards its students, in particular with regards to their health and safety
2. That at least one official within each Sport and Society should have received first aid training, in order to protect all members of all Sports and Societies in case of any injury or accident occurring during a related practice, event or trip
3. That having a greater number of first aid trained students will be of benefit to all Coventry University students, even those not members of Sports or Societies, as if any accidents were to occur it would be more likely that someone with first aid training was in the facility to assist
4. That this is an ongoing concern, therefore we believe this would need to happen on an annual basis

This Union Resolves:

1. To support, arrange and fund one member of each CUSU Sport and Society to receive first aid training
2. To allow Sports and Societies to opt in to this first aid training
3. To offer first aid training to any further Society/ Sport member or official if the Sport or Society will then incur the further costs

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