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St John quality first aid kits for home and play.

St John Ambulance Australia is the leading provider of first aid training, kits and care to the Australian community, training over 350,000 people annually and supplying around 500,000 first aid kits each year.

Dr Finlay Macneil, Chief Professional Officer, St John Ambulance Australia, says “St John is committed to providing the highest level of skills, knowledge and equipment to the Australia community.”

“St John first aid kits are regularly reviewed by a medical advisory panel of experts in pre-hospital care and also advised by the experience of over 10,000 first aiders and first responders working with St John kits around Australia. St John has almost 125 years of experience providing first aid to the Australian community and feedback from customers. All our first aid kits are fit for the specific purposes for which they are developed.”

St John has made many changes to their kits since the Australian Standard was introduced in 1983, such as single use items that are now so important in modern infection control.”

St John Ambulance Australia is registered with the Therapeutic Goods Administration (TGA) and holds licence Aust L 33739 — First Aid Kits with the Australian Register of Therapeutic Goods (ARTG) for the manufacture and supply of first aid kits.

St John continues to purchase high quality first aid components from its suppliers which are most suitable for purpose of first aid.

St John Ambulance Australia stands by its products and continues to provide leading first aid services to the Australian community.

For information on first aid kits and first aid training please contact 1300 360 455.

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Additional information

- St John is a self-funded charitable organisation dedicated to helping people in sickness, distress, suffering and danger.
- Training (RTO and WorkCover accreditations)
- St John is Australia's leading first aid trainer, teaching life-saving skills to over 350,000 people last year
- St John volunteers provide treatment for around 85,000 casualties in 2006.
- St John volunteers provide more than 550,000 hours of voluntary service each year.
- St John is Australia's leading provider of first aid kits, courses and event first aid.