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### St John First Responder App

#### Who needs to read this?

All Curtin University Staff, Students and Contractors

#### Information

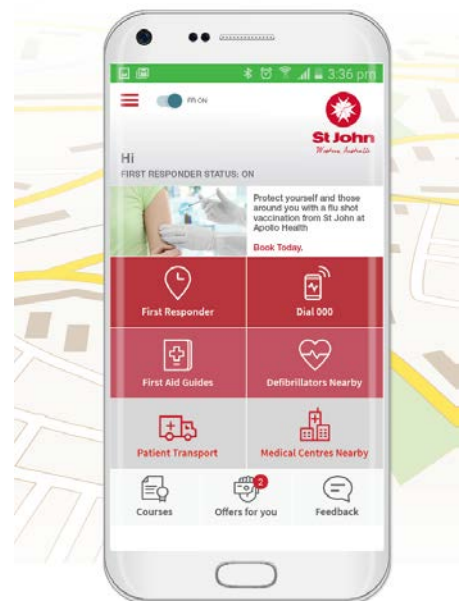
St John Ambulance WA has released a new, free smart phone app, First Responder.

The St John First Responder app has a range of features, one being its unique first responder capability. The app allows qualified first aiders to sign up as a first responder and be notified when someone has called 000 for an ambulance within 500 metres of their current location and in a public place.

To become a first responder you will need to provide evidence of having completed a first aid course within the last three years. Minimum qualification level of HLTAID001 Provide cardiopulmonary resuscitation.

If you're not looking to sign up as a first responder yet, then that's okay! The app also contains a number of other resources, including:

- **First aid instruction guides** – helping you to treat a range of injuries and illnesses.
- **Triple zero (000) calling with automatic GPS location** – calling 000 from the app will send your GPS coordinates direct to the St John State Operation Centre, making it easier for an ambulance to locate you.
- **Locate nearest medical centres and emergency departments** - including live ED waiting time information.
- **Your first aid course information** and refresher reminder notices





- **First aid tips and special offers** - keeping you up to date with handy first aid information.

### Recommendations

First Responder is a free app and available on [Apple's App Store](#) and [Google Play](#). You can find out more about how to use the app in our [First Aid Responder App Guide](#).

### Who do we call with questions?

If you have any queries, please contact Health, Safety and Emergency Management on 9266 4900 or email [emergency\\_management@curtin.edu.au](mailto:emergency_management@curtin.edu.au).

### References

[St John Ambulance website](#)

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