

Australian Child Restraint Resource Initiative

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Child Restraint Training: (Program 'B')

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ACRI Training program 'B' is for workplace exposures of:

- **Transportation of children.** (NB: This is not the course if you wish to provide child restraint installation checking and in house training services. It's designed to cover frontline staff as for)
 - **Family Services.**
 - **Child carers / Family Day Care Educators.**
 - **Nannies.**

As a national member organisation **ACRI** is dedicated to helping all workplaces operate legally and safely in respect to child restraint exposures. Our members include product retailers, automotive industries, professional restraint service providers and child carers. We've decades of experience and knowledge in this field, providing training and support for service providers across Australia.

Child restraints are generally quite simple in principle, but in service provision environments they bring a variety of industry specific challenges. There are also many myths and misperceptions concerning child restraints and their use across our community. One example is that *'there is a correct way to install a child restraint, teach it to me'*. There are many ways to get child transit safety correct and many more to getting it wrong. Client perceptions drive our training approaches.

Course title:	'Course in correct child restraint use' (Program 'B')
Course description:	This 9 unit certificate course is directed at 'End user' groups such as Nannies and Child carers or Educators, where the skills they learn are used everyday in a limited controlled environment. Limited in the sense that the child or children to be restrained are relatively static in size and number and the vehicle/s are limited to one or two. Such an environment is one, in which it is relatively easy to control and or manage child restraint variables.
Delivery format/s:	Online interface or Group face to face delivery. (NB: Face to face delivery is dependant on enrolment numbers and geographical location)
1 & 2. Introduction and risk perception topics. Overview participants understanding of travel and collision dynamics and other basic preliminary understanding to be expanded on in subsequent elements.	Assessments 1.1 - 1.5 / 2.1 – 2.8 Why the need for Child restraints is explored, Dynamic collision awareness in our communities is examined through case histories and multi media presentations. Anecdotal examples to assist user understandings are demonstrated. This highlights the need for effective communication techniques Discuss the training resource manual and referencing

<p>3, 4 & 5 Passenger and road rule considerations concerning Child restraints. Choose and configure automotive child restraints systems correctly.</p>	<p>Assessments 3.1 - 3.6 / 4.1 - 4.5 / 5.1 - 5.11:</p> <p>Road rules, Child restraint types and modes are identified and features and benefits described. Appropriate restraint systems are selected based on their size limitations, application limitations of the restraint and limitations of the vehicle.</p> <p>OHS requirements, including personal safety needs are observed throughout the work</p> <p>Chassis mechanisms are adjusted to provide correct mode in accordance with manufacturer's instructions. Angular aspect of rearward facing restraints is managed appropriately.</p> <p>Twisted and incorrectly routed harnesses are corrected.</p> <p>Harness strap adjustments to meet safety and manufacturer's instructions are identified and made in accordance with child requirements</p>
<p>6, 7, 8 & 9 Vehicle requirements and correct installation of automotive child restraints systems and overview self assessment of installations equipment and record keeping</p>	<p>Assessments 6.1 - 6.5 / 7.1 - 7.8 / 8.1 - 8.4 / 9.1 – 9.14</p> <p>Anchor format and location accessed, completed safely and thread management are identified. Installed child restraint systems are correctly demonstrated with opportunities provided for the customer to practice use of the system</p> <p>User knowledge shared on the correct day to day use, configuration and maintenance of the restraint system.</p> <p>Maintenance items discussed.</p> <p>Equipment details are documented clearly and accurately in accordance with the enterprise's requirements</p> <p>Final assessment overview of entire program</p>
<p>Access, Duration & Fee</p>	<p>Online training access for 1 enrollee is granted through initial membership registration by joining the appropriate membership level at www.acri.com.au/Membership.aspx or call 1300 472 672 to arrange.</p> <p>(Check website for current Fee) Member rates available for additional enrollees. (Estimate time duration is based on 3.5 hour face to face session)</p> <p>Group face to face sessions (3.5 hour duration - Max 6 per session) (Check website for current fee. NB: Geographical/Attendee limited. POA) Please apply by email to info@acri.com.au quoting numbers and location.</p>