

## 1. TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (ES)

**Certificado de Profesionalidad de nivel 2 en  
SANT0208 TRANSPORTE SANITARIO**

## 2. TRANSLATED TITLE OF THE CERTIFICATE (EN)

**Professional Certificate Level 2 in  
SANT0208 HEALTH CARE TRANSPORT  
(This translation has no legal status)**

## 3. PROFILE OF SKILLS AND COMPETENCES

The holder of this certificate will have acquired the **general competence** to carry out preventive maintenance on the vehicle and ensure it has the necessary equipment; provide basic medical attention in a prehospital environment; and transfer patients to the appropriate health care centre. This general competence is divided into the following **skill units**:

- Maintain the medical vehicle in good condition and ensure it has the necessary equipment (UC0069\_1).
- Provide patients with basic and advanced life support (UC0070\_2).
- Transfer patients to the appropriate health centre (UC0071\_2).
- Apply psychological and social support techniques in crisis situations (UC0072\_2).

The professional skills are acquired through the **learning outcomes** defined within the related training modules:

- Preventive maintenance operations on the vehicle and supervision of its equipment (MF0069\_1).
- Basic life support techniques and assistance with advanced life support techniques (MF0070\_2).
- Techniques for immobilising, mobilising and moving patients (MF0071\_2).
- Psychological and social support techniques in crisis situations (MF0072\_2).
- Practical training at the workplace in Health care transport (MP0140)

(See legal basis for all learning outcomes information acquired by the holder of this Certificate).

As a reference the learning outcomes include in the practical on job training module that complete and reinforce the learning outcomes acquired in the other training modules, are:

- Identify the structure and organisation of the medical transport company with respect to the provision of services and the professional activity involved in each job.
- Review the equipment in the medical transport vehicle and check its condition and fitness for use according to its assistance requirements, applying standard work protocols and regulations.
- Carry out checks on the mechanical and electrical elements, the communications system and safety devices on the medical vehicle, in accordance with the protocol and the daily review sheet.
- Recognise serious signs in situations of patients in life-threatening situations, in accordance with the protocol.
- Apply life support techniques to patients in life-threatening situations, in accordance with the protocol.
- Transfer the patient safely to the health centre, applying established procedures in accordance with the patient's pathology.
- Apply psychological first-aid techniques according to the situation and the magnitude of the occurrence.

## 4. RANGE OF OCCUPATIONS ACCESSIBLE TO THE HOLDER OF THIS CERTIFICATE

The holder of this certificate may work in the public and private health sector in pre-hospital assistance.

The most pertinent occupations and positions are:

- Ambulance driver.

This professional certificate enables for the provision of health care transport services in non-assistance ambulances class A1 and A2 in Spain (according to Royal Decree 836/2012, 25 of May). The training received fulfills the skills requirements to take the accreditation test that allows the profession practice in ambulance and care assistance transport with basic and advanced life support equipment, according to Royal Decree 619/1998 of 17 April and the standards set by the competent bodies of the Autonomous Communities. To transport patients to an appropriate healthcare centre (UC0071\_2) requires, in addition, having the Spanish driving license BTP.

<b>5. OFFICIAL BASIS OF THE CERTIFICATE</b>	
<p><b>Name and status of the national/regional authority providing accreditation/recognition of the certificate</b> The Ministry of Employment and Social Security or the corresponding autonomous regional administration within the scope of its competence, in the name of the King. The certificate is valid throughout Spain.</p>	
<p><b>Level of the certificate</b> The Professional Certificate Level 2 of the National Repertoire of Professional Certificates corresponds to level 3 of the International Standard Classification of Education (ISCED-P 2011).  The European Qualification Framework (EQF) level:</p>	
<p><b>Grading scale/Pass requirements</b> The grading scale and pass level of the training modules are expressed on a scale of 0 to 10. The minimum score for a pass is 5 in every training module including a pass in the practical training at the workplace module. The grading system is as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- FAIL: 0 to 4.9</li> <li>- PASS-SATISFACTORY: 5 to 6.9</li> <li>- PASS-GOOD: 7 to 8.9</li> <li>- PASS-EXCELLENT: 9 to 10</li> </ul>	
<p><b>Access to next level of education/training</b> This Professional Certificate Level 2 gives access to Professional Certificate Level 3 within the same professional area and family.  For validation purposes, the educational authorities will recognise the professional module or modules of the VET diplomas corresponding to the skills units included in the training modules of this certificate.</p>	
<p><b>Legal basis</b> Royal Decree 710/2011 of 20 May, establishing two professional certificates in the professional family Health, which are included in the National Repertoire of Professional Certificates. (Appendix II, Code: SANT0208)</p>	

<b>6. OFFICIALLY RECOGNISED WAYS OF ACQUIRING THE CERTIFICATE</b>		
<p>This certificate may be acquired by:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Training: Completion with a pass grade of the face-to-face or online training programme.</li> <li>2. Recognition of the professional skills acquired through professional experience or non-formal training (prior learning): Completion of a process of skills evaluation and accreditation in all the skills units making up the professional certificate.</li> <li>3. Dual training: Completion of a training and apprenticeship contract, which may range from 1 year (or 6 months, if stipulated as such in the collective agreement) to 3 years, during which effective working time is combined with time dedicated to training under the training programme for the professional certificate.</li> </ol> <p>The training method (number 1 above) requires successful completion of the training modules and the practical training at the workplace:</p>		
<b>Description of vocational training received</b>	<b>Percentage of total programme (%)</b>	<b>Duration (hours)</b>
Training modules	71	400
Practical training at the workplace	29	160
<b>Total duration of training leading to the certificate</b>		<b>560</b>
<p><b>Entry/access requirements:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Compulsory Secondary Education Diploma (Lower secondary education); or</li> <li>- Professional Certificate Level 1 in the same professional area.</li> </ul>		

- If neither of the above or higher certifications are held, a pass in the key skills tests.

**Additional information:** Professional certificates are instruments for official accreditation of the professional qualifications in the National Catalogue of Professional Qualifications for all economic activities, within the scope of the labour administration. The National Repertoire of Professional Certificates is divided into three qualification levels (Level 1, Level 2 and Level 3), and by sectors into 26 professional families and 102 professional areas. More information is available at: [www.sepe.es](http://www.sepe.es)

National Europass Centre: [www.oapee.es](http://www.oapee.es)

(\*) **Explanatory note:** This document is designed to provide additional information about the specified certificate, but has no legal status in itself. The format of the description is based on the following texts: Council Resolution 93/C 49/01 of 3 December 1992 on the transparency of qualifications; Council Resolution 96/C 224/04 of 15 July 1996 on the transparency of vocational training certificates; and Recommendation 2001/613/EC of the European Parliament and of the Council of 10 July 2001 on mobility within the Community for students, persons undergoing training, volunteers, teachers and trainers.

More information is available at: <http://europass.cedefop.eu.int>

## Information on Professional Certificates of the Map of Qualifications and Vocational Training in Spain

