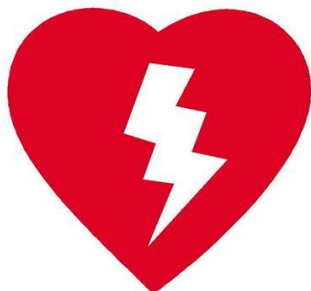


## Clive Parish Council Automated External Defibrillator (AED) Scheme

# AED



**What if someone in your home or workplace suddenly collapsed? Would you know what do?**

**Sudden cardiac arrest** (different to a heart attack) is when the heart suddenly stops beating, the person stops breathing, and loses consciousness. Sudden cardiac arrest is a life-threatening emergency, but the emergency services are rarely able to reach a patient quickly enough to provide defibrillation (an electric shock to get the heart beating again).

**Someone's chances of surviving a Sudden Cardiac Arrest drops by 7-10% with every minute that defibrillation is delayed.**

**Every Minute Counts!**



**AEDs save lives.... but only if someone is trained to use it.**

Thankfully we already have a defibrillator (AED) in Clive, but we need local people to be trained in how to use it whilst waiting for an ambulance to arrive. Training is free and provided by West Midlands Ambulance Service.

**Having trained AED volunteers in Clive could mean the difference between life and death.**

If you are interested in being trained in CPR and using the AED, please contact the parish Council clerk (email preferred):

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