

Risk Assessment

Duration 1 Day

Objective

The management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations require that a risk assessment is undertaken prior to undertaking a task. The course is designed to enable delegates to understand the basis of risk assessment and to undertake a general/task specific risk assessment.

Course Outline

- 1) The legal requirement for risk assessment
- 2) Definition of hazard and risk
- 3) Basic risk calculation and examples in use within industry
- 4) How to prioritize the risks
- 5) Classroom based assessments
- 6) Delegates to undertake "live" assessment on the premises

Assessment

Additional options available:

Option 1: If required a post course assessment of the delegate can be included. This takes the form of the delegate conducting a risk assessment at their place of work and submitting this to the tutor for approval.

Option 2: If all delegates are from the same organisation the organisations own risk assessment methodology can be incorporated within the course. This would be used for both the classroom and "live" assessments.

Teaching & Learning Strategies

The teaching and learning strategies employed in this programme by the training consultants are based on the philosophy of experimental learning – "learning through doing". Delegates are encouraged to participate as individuals and within groups.

A variety of methods are employed to deliver and enhance the learning experience. Trainer-led input is complemented by a variety of activities such as skills practice (role-play), practical exercises, discussions, presentations and case studies.

A strong emphasis is placed on the transfer of learning into the workplace. Delegates are encouraged and challenged to discover and identify ways they can each specifically apply the training experience to the workplace.