



Asbestos Awareness

This Asbestos Awareness course is designed to help workers understand the serious health risks associated with working with asbestos and asbestos-containing materials (ACMs). If there's a chance that you may come across asbestos or potential asbestos in your work, then you must have an awareness of the correct health and safety procedures.



Asbestos could be present in buildings built or refurbished before the year 2000 - this course provides online awareness training on how to avoid the risks. This online course is designed to provide an understanding of the hazards and risks posed by asbestos and how to avoid exposure. It outlines how to identify those materials that may contain asbestos and where they might be found.

COURSE CONTENTS

This course is split into three chapters:

- Introduction - A brief definition of asbestos and description of its background
- Control measures - Becoming aware of places where asbestos can be found and the Control Measures when working with ACMs (Asbestos Containing Materials)
- Risk assessment - An overview of asbestos surveys as well as best practises and emergency procedures to follow when exposed to ACM's

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WHAT RESULTS CAN I EXPECT?

At the end of the course, delegates will be able to:

- Recognise the risks and hazards that come with different types of asbestos
- Understand the history of asbestos and the regulations
- Control measures: signs and symbols, registers and asbestos drawings
- Understand the importance of asbestos removal
- The importance of risk assessments
- Understand the emergency procedure



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