



NEBOSH HEALTH AND SAFETY AT WORK

OVERVIEW

INTRODUCTION

The NEBOSH Health and Safety at Work (HSW) Award looks at everyday solutions for general workplace health and safety issues.

Participants will gain knowledge and practical health and safety skills. This will enable them to:

- understand why health and safety needs to be managed, ensuring effective processes are in place
- inspect the workplace, recognizing common hazards, evaluating risk, recommending controls measures, and assigning actions
- understand why incidents happen and how to investigate them.

LENGTH OF COURSE

This qualification has a minimum of 18 taught hours, two hours of self-study and a recommendation of three hours for the assessment.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

There are no entry requirements for this qualification.

ASSESSMENT

After completing the course, participants will be asked to complete a workplace health and safety review which:

- Considers how health and safety is managed, and how it could be done better
- Identifies health and safety issues, how they are controlled and if the risk can be reduced
- Select the most important issue for improvement

This assessment is designed to test the participants' ability to put into practice what they have learnt and, as it is carried out in the workplace, can add instant value to their organization.

CERTIFICATE

Once a participant achieved a pass, a qualification parchment will be issued within 20 working days of the confirmation of the successful unit.

NEBOSH HEALTH AND SAFETY AT WORK SYLLABUS

Element summary		Learning outcome	Assessment criteria
		On completion of this course the learner will be able to:	
1	Why and how you manage health and safety	Understand why health and safety needs to be managed, ensuring effective processes are in place.	<div>Carry out a workplace health and safety review which:</div> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• considers how health and safety is currently managed, and how it can be managed better• identifies health and safety issues present, how they are controlled, and if the risk can be reduced• selects the most important issue for improvement using moral, legal and financial reasons.
2	Dealing with common workplace hazards	Inspect the workplace, recognizing a range of common hazards, evaluating risks (taking account of current controls), recommending further control measures and assigning actions.	
3	Stopping incidents and ill-health before they happen		
4	Learning from incidents	Understand why incidents happen and how to investigate them	