

Certificate in Fire Risk Assessment

Introduction

The certificate in Fire Risk Assessment provides formal recognition of an individual's ability to undertake a fire risk assessment in line with the Health and Safety Executive's guidance.

Course Objectives

Upon completion of the course, learners will:

- Understand the importance of fire risk assessments
- Understand the principles of controlling the risks from fire
- Understand how a fire risk assessment is undertaken.

Duration: 1 Day Course

Course Content

- Reasons for Conducting Fire Risk Assessments
- Main Legislation Relating to Fire Risk Assessment
- Determining the Responsible Person
- Risk Assessment Approach to Fire Safety
- Competencies Required of Fire Risk Assessors
- Principles of the Fire Triangle and Fire Prevention
- Main Causes of Fire in Different Occupancies
- Recognising Fire Hazards in the Workplace
- Identifying the Location of People at Risk
- Evaluating the Adequacy of Existing Arrangements
- Principles of separation
- Detection and warning systems
- Means of escape
- Fire fighting
- Maintenance and testing of equipment
- Fire procedures
- Fire safety training
- Recording the Findings of a Fire Risk Assessment
- Making Recommendations Based on the Findings
- Reviewing and Revising a Fire Risk Assessment

Duration: One day followed by an assessment task completed after the course, testing knowledge and understanding of the fire risk assessment process.

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