

FIRE AWARENESS

DESCRIPTION

This course has been designed in accordance with the 1971 *Fire Precautions Act*, 1974 *Health & Safety at Work Act*, the *Fire Precautions (Workplace) Regulations 1997* and the *Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005*. This course aims to reduce the risk of fire by providing basic fire training for staff and promoting fire safety awareness.

OBJECTIVES

By the end of the programme the delegate will have an understanding of:

- 🕒 Fire Precautions Regulations/Legislations
- 🕒 Basic Fire Prevention
- 🕒 Fire Procedures
- 🕒 Evacuation procedures
- 🕒 Chemistry of fire and how fires spread
- 🕒 Common causes of fire
- 🕒 Safety features within buildings
- 🕒 Action on discovering a fire
- 🕒 Calling the Fire Service
- 🕒 Hazard spotting/hazard reduction
- 🕒 Fire Notices
- 🕒 Record Keeping
- 🕒 Daily and Weekly Fire Checks
- 🕒 Fire extinguishers
- 🕒 Fire Action Planning
- 🕒 Evacuating people with special needs
- 🕒 Liaising with Fire Controllers/Fire Service
- 🕒 Dealing with bomb threats

DURATION

Half Day.

PREREQUISITES

Nil.

SUITABILITY

Designed for all levels of staff to develop fire awareness and understand how to respond in an incident.

TYPICAL INTEREST GROUPS

All employers and employees in all working environments. Fire Marshals.

QUALIFICATION

After successful completion candidates will receive a certificate valid for one year. This qualification provides evidence sufficient to meet the training requirements laid down in the *Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005*.

COURSE SIZE

Maximum Course attendance is 12.

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