

Risk Assessment Principles And Method Statement

Description:

Employers and the self-employed have a legal duty both to assess health and safety risks and to complete method statements in respect of those risks. Method statements are designed to describe work processes and control measures, detailing higher risk activities and processes, identifying hazards and outlining controls. Anyone carrying out a risk assessment must have the necessary knowledge, skills and qualifications. This qualification ensures that supervisors and managers have the necessary depth of understanding to carry out risk assessments and meet legal requirements. The course will also help staff to complete useful method statements, enabling them to identify higher level risks and recognise when more detail is required. Delegates will undertake practical activities throughout the learning process.

Objectives:

On completion of the course, delegates will be able to:

- Understand relevant legislation
- Understand the principles of risk assessment
- Implement a risk assessment strategy
- Identify hazards
- Identify and prioritise risks
- Identify and implement controls
- Complete relevant documentation
- Monitor controls
- Perform risk assessments in practice
- Demonstrate knowledge and understanding of method statements, when & why they are required
- Demonstrate ability to complete method statements

Course Size:

The maximum number of delegates per session is 12.

Typical Interest Groups:

All employment sectors. (In-house courses are designed around the specific employment sector they are delivered to).

Prerequisites:

Nil.

Qualification:

On successful completion of this course delegates will be awarded a Level 2 Certificate in Risk Assessment Principles.

Suitability:

This qualification is designed for people working in any organisation, regardless of the products or services they provide. It is essential for anyone who has a role that includes responsibility for managing health and safety issues and risk assessment. (Team leaders and foremen will also benefit from the greater understanding of risk assessment gained from this course.

Duration:

7 Hours

