

Level 2 COSHH Principles

This qualification is designed for those who use substances hazardous to health at work. It introduces candidates to substances, the risks and controls available, and outlines what to expect from a control of substances hazardous to health (COSHH) assessment. The qualification will prepare employees to contribute to the safer use of hazardous substances in their workplaces.



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Who Should Attend

This qualification is for all employees working with hazardous substances in a workplace.

Learning Outcomes

By the end of this course delegates should be able to understand:

- Demonstrate an understanding of the main causes of accidents and ill health, and the implications they have for people in the workplace
- The scope of hazardous substances in the workplace
- The range of legislation covering hazardous substances
- How hazardous substances adversely affect health
- Methods of identification for hazardous substances
- Sources of guidance available for the safe use of hazardous substances
- The range of control measures available for the safe use of hazardous substances
- The purpose and content of COSHH assessments.

Course Content

Delegates will receive training in the following subjects:

- Definition and types of substances hazardous to health in the workplace
- Health effects of hazardous substances and their causes
- COSHH assessments and control options
- Responsibilities imposed by the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002

Course Duration

The course is ½ day in duration (3 hours + exam)

Assessment Method & Certification

The assessment will be by the completion of a multiple choice question examination at the end of the course. On successful completion of the course, delegates will receive a certificate of competence, which is valid for 3 years.

Candidates wishing to obtain a Nationally Accredited Certificate would sit the exam for the relevant Awarding Body (for the additional price of the certification and exam fee of the Awarding Body).

For this Qualification we can currently offer certification from the following Awarding Bodies:

CIEH (The Chartered Institute of Environmental Health)