

Health Hazard Awareness

Half Day Course



This course has been designed to provide engineers and planners who visit and inspect construction sites with an awareness of the health risks and potential controls pertaining to hazardous substances, noise, vibration and asbestos. Where these hazards can be found and the legal implications are also included.

Session 1 Introduction and Setting Course Objectives

Session 2 Hazardous Substances

A briefing on the requirements of the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Regulations 2002 (COSHH), including Workplace Exposure Limits (WELs). The hierarchy of controls and the information requirements.

Syndicate Exercise: Consider where hazardous substances may be found on construction sites that you visit or inspect.

Session 3 Noise and Vibration

A briefing on the requirements of the Control of Noise at Work Regulations 2005 and the Control of Vibration at Work Regulations 2005, including the control limits.

Syndicate Exercise: Consider where noise and vibration may cause health risks on construction sites that you visit or inspect.

Session 4 Asbestos

A briefing on the requirements of the Control of Asbestos Regulations 2006, including the control limits, licensing requirements and notification.

Syndicate Exercise: Consider where asbestos may cause health risks on construction sites that you visit or inspect.

Session 5 Discussion and Course Conclusion

Objectives

Upon the conclusion of the course, delegates should be aware of:

- ❑ the legislation that applies to hazardous substances, noise, vibration and asbestos; and
- ❑ where hazardous substances, noise, vibration and asbestos health risks can occur on construction sites that they visit or inspect.

Maximum number of delegates: 16