

RIPH Level 1 Certificate in Hazard Awareness

**1 day
Course**

‘Develop, Motivate and Inspire to Achieve’

Course Overview

Employers and the self-employed have a legal duty to assess health and safety risks.

This RIPH Level 1 Hazard Awareness Award is OFQUAL accredited and provides an introduction to the fundamentals of Health & Safety in the Workplace and an excellent introduction to Risk Assessments. This course is mapped to relevant elements of the National Occupational Standards for Health & Safety Knowledge Unit “HSK1” (Basic Hazard Awareness) as published (April 2007) by the Standards Setting Body “ENTO”. This award has also been designed to contribute to the foundation-learning tier (FLT) development work initiated by the Qualifications and Curriculum Authority and the Learning Skills Council (LSC). Whilst it will be of use to everyone, it will be of particular use for people to raise their ability to identify and understand “Hazards” in preparation for work experience and beginning employment.

This Award provides a basis upon which to build more specific risk awareness leading to life long learning in Health & Safety for all employees. This course is relevant for workers in all general work settings.

Qualification Content Summary

1. General Introduction to Health & Safety
2. Hazards and Accidents, and Reporting and Record Keeping
3. The Working Environment
4. Personal Protective Equipment

Qualification Structure

The Level 1 Award in Hazard Awareness is a single unit qualification. All outcomes are assessed.

Guided Learning Hours

4 to 6 guided learning hours are normally appropriate for a course of study for this award (including the assessment time).

Form of Assessment

The assessment will consist of one examination paper of 20 multiple choice questions to be answered in 45 minutes. To attain a pass, candidates must achieve 13 correct answers out of 20 (65%). To attain a credit, they must achieve 17 correct answers out of 20 (85%).