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HABC Level 2 Award in Risk Assessment (QCF)

Half Day Course

Introduction

HABC qualifications specifically cover areas that the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) consider important. All our regulated qualifications form part of the Qualifications Credit Framework (QCF). These qualifications are recognised by Ofqual (the regulator of qualifications, examinations and assessments in England), the Welsh Government and vocational qualifications in Northern Ireland. HABC qualifications have received recognition from ProSkills who develop the national standards for occupational health and safety

Qualification Overview

This is suitable for learners working in any environment who need to be more risk-aware. It improves their knowledge of risk in the workplace and the basic steps they can take to control it. This qualification is designed to be an introduction to the principles of risk assessment.

Accredited

The HABC Level 2 Award in Risk Assessment (QCF) has been accredited by the regulators of England and Wales (Ofqual and the Welsh Government) and is part of the Qualifications and Credit Framework (QCF)

Length of Course

This qualification is a half day classroom based course

Assessment

This qualification is assessed through a 15 multiple-choice question examination. The duration of the examination is 30 minutes. Successful learners must achieve a score of at least 10 out of 15.

Credit Value: 1

Certification:

We aim to have results confirmed and certificates issued to successful candidates within 7 working days of examination

Cost:

In-house contact us for a competitive price for up to 12 candidates Open Courses please contact us for further information

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Learning Outcomes and Assessment

Learning Outcomes		Assessment Criteria	
The learner will		The learner can	
1.	Understand why risk assessments are necessary for maintaining and improving standards of health and safety at work	1.1	State the main causes of work-related fatalities, injuries and ill health
		1.2	Outline the moral, legal and economic reasons for preventing accidents and ill health at work
		1.3	Define key terms associated with risk assessment in the context of health and safety at work including:
			 accident near miss accident triangle hazard risk risk assessment risk control hierarchy suitable and sufficient competence
		1.4	Outline the role of risk assessment in accident and ill health prevention
2.	assessment	2.1	Outline the legal requirements for risk assessment
		2.2	Describe a simple process for undertaking a risk assessment
		2.3	Give examples of occupational, environmental and human factors that can affect the level of risk from hazards at work
		2.4	Outline a method that can be used to prioritise risks
		2.5	Outline the requirements for providing information about, and records on, the results of a risk assessment

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