

Training

Asbestos Awareness e-learning

Overview:

Working in Partnership with Training First Safety to offer an assessed UKATA Approved e-learning course on asbestos awareness. This course takes approximately 65 minutes to complete (the course duration is based on the amount of video content shown and is rounded off. It does not account in any way for loading time or thinking time on the questions).

Asbestos is probably the most dangerous building material ever used. Every year thousands of people fall ill and die because of exposure to asbestos and it was widely used by the construction industry right up until the year 2000.

The Control of Asbestos Regulations (CAR) apply to employers, employees, self-employed persons and duty holders and cover all work with asbestos containing materials. Regulation 10 of CAR states that every employer must ensure that adequate information, instruction and training is given to employees who are liable to be exposed to asbestos. This includes maintenance workers and others who may come into contact with or disturb asbestos.

As well as informing candidates about the risks of working with asbestos, the course will deliver content to help them recognise asbestos containing materials, make them aware of where it was used, include steps they can take to minimise the risks and discuss the legislation that applies to working with asbestos.

Note: Members should note that this course is likely to form the first part of any training for work with asbestos and, on its own, does not qualify you to work with any forms of asbestos and does not meet the legal requirements laid down under Control of Asbestos Regulations.

Target Audience:

The Asbestos Awareness course is designed for anyone who may come into contact with asbestos in their work. Most commonly, that includes builders, plumbers, electricians, carpenters and other building related and maintenance trades.

Advantages:

Being aware of the products that are likely to contain asbestos and the risks associated with them give workers and supervisors the information they need to avoid work that may disturb asbestos.

Company:

Training Safety First Ltd who is a UKATA approved registered company

Fees:

SELECT Members - £35 + VAT (£42)

Non-Members - £45 + VAT (£54)