

FIRE SAFETY AWARENESS

COURSE CONTENT OVERVIEW



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TRAINING

This Fire Safety e-learning course has been designed to teach learners about the fire safety measures and procedures that all workplaces must have in place. It will enable them to effectively minimise fire risks and follow evacuation procedures, which will help their business comply with the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005 and protect people from harm.

Module One: Introduction to Fire Safety

This module provides an overview of why fire safety is important and everyone's responsibilities regarding fire safety. It also looks at the fire triangle and common elements that cause fires in workplaces.

- Why fire safety is important
- The fire triangle
- Types of fire
- Responsible persons
- Fire wardens
- Employee duties

Module Two: Fire Safety Law

This module discusses what the law requires of businesses regarding fire safety, particularly in reference to the Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005. It also explains the importance of responsible persons carrying out fire risk assessments and how staff can contribute to assessments.

- Fire safety legislation
- Fire risk assessment
- Who enforces fire safety?

Module Three: Fire Safety Measures

This module looks at the various fire safety measures that all businesses must have in place to prevent fires and enable safe evacuations. It also explains how employees can contribute to maintaining these safety measures and how they can actively minimise risks through good housekeeping.

- Housekeeping
- Detection and warning systems
- Fire extinguishers
- Evacuation routes and exits
- Fire signs
- Emergency lighting

Module Four: Evacuation Procedures

This module details the different type of evacuation strategies that workplaces may use and what people must do during an evacuation or a fire drill. It also covers the importance of having suitable measures in place for vulnerable people who may not be able to evacuate unassisted.

- Evacuation strategies
- What to do during an evacuation
- Personal emergency evacuation plans
- Fire drills

Aims of the Training

By the end of this course, learners will understand:

- What causes fires and how to prevent them.
- What the law requires of businesses regarding fire safety, including who enforces the law.
- The importance of good housekeeping to minimise risks.
- What type of detection and warning systems should be in place in their premises.
- How to ensure their evacuation routes and exits remain effective at all times.
- Fire safety signage.
- The different types of evacuation strategies their workplace may use.
- What to do during an evacuation.
- The importance of personal emergency evacuation plans and fire drills.