

Course Number: 0025c

## **Asbestos Management Awareness**

This one day course is aimed at employees and employers who are not necessarily directly responsible for health and safety but needs an awareness of asbestos and what their legal responsibilities are. It will also provide knowledge of where asbestos is likely to be found and how the work should be carried out.

The training will also ensure that the delegate is aware of the duties associated with managing asbestos products within buildings.

The course will be tailored to suit the delegates' needs, as we have found that most organisations not only have different asbestos products, but very different approaches to dealing with the issues

This course would be appropriate for people who do not necessarily know the in depth knowledge of the BOHS P405 'Management of Asbestos within Buildings' course but still require some knowledge of the relevant issues.

This course is not adequate for people who want to carry out limited work with asbestos. In this case you should consider either our IOSH How to Work Safely with Asbestos or our Working with Asbestos Products.

The maximum ratio of delegates to trainers on this course will be 16:1. The contact time for the training will be 6: 5 hours.

### **Objectives**

By the end of the training, delegates should:

- be aware of the principal legislation
- understand the history and uses of asbestos
- be aware of where asbestos is likely to be found
- be aware of the health implications
- be able to consider the options for surveys
- be aware of safe methods of working with asbestos
- have knowledge of the requirements for safe disposal of asbestos waste.
- have knowledge of the role of an analyst.



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## Program

### Welcome & Introduction BOHS' role in asbestos

#### Session 1 – Asbestos History, Use and Health effects

An interactive session with the use of photograph, video and samples to familiarise delegate with the most common forms of asbestos and to promote awareness of the main asbestos related diseases.

#### Coffee

#### Session 2 - Asbestos & Health & Safety Law in the UK

The laws which cover work with asbestos in the UK overlap, this session introduces the basic legislation and covers the appropriate parts of the following law.

- HSW, MHSW, RIDDOR, CDM
- CAR Inc Reg 10

#### Lunch

#### Session 3 – Managing Asbestos

Legal Position  
Surveys MDHS 100  
Type 1, 2 & 3 Surveys  
CAR Reg 4

#### Coffee

#### Session 4 – Managing Contractors

Method Statements/Risk Assessments Licenses  
Asbestos Waste  
PPE/RPE

#### Session 5 – Role of the Analyst

Air Testing  
Bulk Analysis  
Contract Compliance



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