

Asbestos Awareness Half Day Course

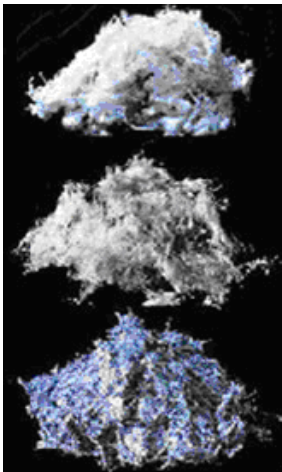
“Do you know that each week approximately 20 tradesmen die from a hidden killer; thousands of tradesmen are unknowingly working with asbestos! Are you one of them?”

Overview

This course has been developed in order to provide appropriate training for individuals who may be exposed to asbestos as part of their work activities, as prescribed by virtue of Regulation 10 of the Control of Asbestos Regulations 2006.

How does it work?

This course is United Kingdom Asbestos Training Association (UKATA) approved and uses a series of written and oral presentations; group exercises & case studies to provide participants with the relevant knowledge and skills to gain an understanding about asbestos, the associated risks and how to avoid or control them.



This assessed course covers the following topics:

- **What is Asbestos?**
 - Nature, origins & properties, versatility, positives & negatives
 - Group Exercise: What do you know about asbestos?
- **Where and How it was used?**
 - Types of materials found in buildings (the usual & the very unusual)
 - Group Exercise: Asbestos? Where?
 - Diverse case studies of buildings delegates to identify where asbestos is likely to be found
- **Adverse Health Effects**
 - Mechanism of Illness, Pleural Plaques, Asbestosis, Lung Cancer, Mesothelioma, Incidence of disease
 - Choice of Video: How Are You Today?; “Mesothelioma” or “Asbestos – The Facts”
- **Legislation Update**
 - Control of Asbestos Regulations 2006, Hazardous Waste Regulations 2005 and other associated legislation (including a brief overview of UK Asbestos Legislation involving Management Strategy, Building Surveys and Safe Working Practices & Procedures).
- **Asbestos Removal**
 - Site set up, enclosure, decontamination units, (DCU's), air movers, 3-stage airlocks, RPE/PPE, wet stripping techniques, fibre levels, control measures, 4-stage clearance & air testing, waste
- **Other Areas Covered**
 - Avoiding the risk from Asbestos
 - Dealing with emergencies
 - Sources of further information
 - Course summary and assessment questions
 - Certification on completion of the course



What will the course cost?

- Open Course: £65 Per Person
- Group Bookings / In-House Training (course costs available on request)

If you would like more information on dates and locations of the Asbestos Awareness Course, or would like to book a place please contact us on:

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