

Supervising Safely

Aims

This two day programme aims to provide delegates with the information and skills necessary to enable them to understand their responsibilities as Supervisors.

Objectives

At the end of the course each delegate should be able to:

Understand the basic legal requirements under UK legislation, covering both Statute and Common law.

Conduct a basic risk assessment, using the 5 steps approach.

Appreciate a variety of common hazards, and identify suitable control measures.

Understand the definition of accidents and incidents, reporting requirements, and accident investigation techniques

Appreciate the contribution and functions of safety representatives and safety committees.

Appreciate a variety of heath related issues and identify suitable control measures

Understand the basis of safety management systems.

Programme content (can be made bespoke)

Day 1

UK Legal system

Statute Law, including the Health & Safety at Work Act Common Law, including civil actions, the tort of negligence and precedents The role of the HSE, advisory services and enforcement Court structure and punishments

Management regulations

Risk assessment process Hazard and Risk, principals of prevention Vulnerable groups Recording and reviewing assessments

your partners in health, safety and the environment

Common hazards and controls

Manual Handling, Display Screen Equipment Work Equipment and Welfare requirements

Accidents

Definition, reporting and investigating

Day 2

Consultation with Employees

Safety Representatives, trade union and non union Safety committees, roles and functions Communication with employees

Safe Systems of Work

Safety Management Systems HSG 65 Safety policy, organising and planning Auditing and review

Health risks and controls

Control of Substances Hazardous to Health Hazards and control measures Noise and vibration risks Fire triangle and methods of spread Fire extinguishers – requirements and use Fire prevention and evacuation

All delegates will receive a certificate of attendance Client specific process and procedures can be used throughout this session.

Programme may be subject to change without prior notification