



Your partners in
health, safety and
environmental
welfare

Level 6 Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety Practice

Who is it for?

The Level 6 Diploma in Occupational Health and Safety Practice qualification is for those who wish to demonstrate and develop their skills and knowledge in managing health and safety in the workplace.

Entry requirements

Whilst there are no formal entry requirements, students must be engaged in a substantial Health and safety role within their organisation.

What we offer

- Occupational Health Services
- Regular Site Inspections
- Site Inspection Reports
- Non-Compliance Reporting
- Accident Reporting
- CDM Compliancy
- Risk Management Tools
- Annual Health Check
- Accident Investigation
- Training Courses
- SSIP Assistance
- Member Helpline
- Toolbox Talks
- Fire Risk Assessments
- Health and Safety Audits
- Annual Office Inspections
- Environmental advice
- UK Coverage
- Online Accident Statistics
- Dedicated Safety Advisers

Length of study

An average time for completion of the NVQ is 12 months. Competence is assessed by proven results rather than examination

Study Method

NVQs are completed largely at your workplace and there are no mandatory classroom sessions, however we provide a number of taught sessions at our offices in Bristol or via zoom where candidates will be given specific guidance. There will be an introductory session, followed by Support tutorials which will be held at agreed intervals.

Course objectives

Upon completion of this course, candidates will be able to:

- Apply management principles and practices to health and safety issues
- Set practicable health and safety objectives
- Recognise risks present in the workplace and be able to set appropriate control measures
- Take account of risks posed by human factors
- Ensure that adequate information, instruction, training and supervision is provided within the workplace
- Investigate all incidents involving injury or damage in order to determine the causes and to take appropriate remedial actions
- Communicate effectively on health and safety issues with management, operatives and health and safety professionals
- Understand the main legal responsibilities of employers and managers and to act to fulfil them

Where is it held?

This qualification is workplace based.

An introductory session followed by additional sessions held over Zoom.

Qualifications

Successful candidates may apply to the Institute of Occupational Safety & Health (IOSH) for membership at Certified level and, upon completion of an open book assessment and a minimum of 2 years Initial Professional Development (IPD), can achieve Chartered level membership (CMIOSH).



Course programme

Support tutorials will be held at agreed intervals following the induction day during which facilitators will:

- Explain the requirements of each Unit of Competence
- Outline the key areas of the domain knowledge and understanding
- Discuss the various forms of evidence available
- Assist candidates to develop their initial action plans
- Assist candidates to develop their portfolios of evidence
- Assess any completed units of the diploma

In order to attain the award you must achieve the following 7 core units:

- 601** Health and safety emergency procedures
- 602** Health and safety audits
- 603** A positive health and safety culture in an organisation
- 604** Organisational health and safety policy
- 605** Professional development and ethics in health and safety management. This unit must be completed to gain IOSH Certified membership recognition
- 606** Systems monitoring and risk control
- 607** Organisational health and safety strategy

Many different methods of assessment can be used for the portfolio of evidence, including:

- Direct observation
- Oral questioning
- Witness testimonies
- Candidate statements
- Professional discussions
- Product evidence

Unit 605 is a City & Guilds set assignment which requires evidence to be collected over a 12 month period.

About BSG

The Building Safety Group (BSG) is a not-for-profit organisation which specialises in providing Health, Safety and Environmental consultancy and training for the construction industry. BSG has over 800 members operating across 3500 workplaces throughout the UK.

We conduct over 20,000 site inspections every year and train more than 10,000 construction workers.

What our clients say about us

"Excellent Instruction and very clearly conveyed."

Southside Scaffolding Limited

"BSG are clearly experts in Health and Safety training for the construction industry."

CTS

"As I was pretty new to the role, my knowledge was limited but after taking the BSG course I feel very confident I will be able to positively move on in my position. I have learnt a massive amount."

Prodeck Fixing Ltd

"I learnt a lot about disciplines I previously knew nothing about. Learnt new regs and reinforced my previous knowledge."

Mirage Interiors

How to book

Book your place by calling our Training Services Team on 0300 304 9080 or email Training@BSG Ltd.co.uk with your enquiry.

Course Rates

BSG Members

Rate

£1523+VAT*

Non- Members

£1827+VAT*

Course fees include all tutor sessions and support tutorials.

