

Duration:

4 hours

Aim:

This course is designed for those who use, generate, or come into contact with hazardous substances at work. It introduces candidates to various types and forms of hazardous substances, and the risks and controls available.

Objectives:

By the end of the course candidates should be able to;

- Understand the scope of the term "hazardous substance"
- Identify common causes of work-related exposures to hazardous substances and their effects
- Understand how the elements of a risk assessment for hazardous substances
- Understand the legal duties of employees and employers in relation to hazardous substances

Contents:

- Definition of the term "hazardous substance"
- How hazardous substances can cause injury and ill-health
- Identifying and controlling hazardous substances
- Risk assessment for hazardous substances,
- Key legal duties related to hazardous substances

Certification:

The Institute of Health and Safety