Certified Forklift Operator Technician Course

Length: 2 Days CEU's 1.6

Course Fees: $495.00

Course Credential: Certified Forklift Operator Technician (CFOT)

Note: Refresher certification is required every three years to maintain professional credential.)

Course Overview

This Forklift Operator certification technician course is based on OSHA standards and covers construction of the forklift, inspection criteria, operational characteristics, load handling, center of gravity and the stability of the lift, fuelling, general safety rules and driver evaluations. You will be instructed in the OSHA Code of Federal Regulations, Article 29, General Industry Standards, Section 1910.178, Powered Industrial Trucks.

Learning Outcome:

Upon successful completion of this course, the student will be able to differentiate the types of forklifts and powered industrial equipment, understand materials handling techniques, understand operating techniques, determine hazards associated with powered industrial equipment and safely operate the powered industrial truck(s) to which he/she is assigned in his/her workplace.

Course Topics

- Overview of Forklift Operator Certification
- 29 CFR 1910.178 Industrial Truck Standards
- Pre-shift Inspections
- Seven (7) Classes of Forklifts
- Counterbalanced Lift Truck Characteristics
- Forklift Stability Triangle
- Fuelling & Battery Charging
- Operating Environment

- Loading Dock Safety
- Load Handling Techniques
- Operating Safety Rules and Practices
- Operational Evaluations
- Written & Proficiency Operating Test

Audience

- Industrial Truck (Forklift) Operators
- Managers & Supervisors
- Safety & Health Professionals
- Safety & Health Committees
- Government Inspectors
- Building Inspectors
- Training Managers
- Environmental Professionals

Testing:

Students completing the course must take a proctored final exam. A score of 80% on the final exam is necessary to receive your personalized certificate of completion. The student gets three (3) attempts to pass the course.