



Sharps & Needles Awareness

Our Sharps & Needles Awareness course is aimed at providing an awareness of the hazards associated with sharps and needles through discard or intentional concealment. It addresses the health implications with these hazardous items and best practice to avoid contact as well as safe disposal measures.

This course is aimed at all levels of employee with the intention of raising awareness, improving understanding of the hazards and how to identify high risk areas for discarded items and concealment.

Course Content:

The course will cover the following learning outcomes:

- Overview of Legislation
- Identify occupations and personnel that could be affected
- Risk of infection from sharps injuries
- Identify sharps & needles hazards
- Control measures to reduce the likelihood of contact
- Methods of safe disposal

Test of knowledge

There is an end of course test to ensure the learning outcomes have been met.

On successful completion of this course Learners will be issued with a certificate of attendance.

Duration:

½ day