About the Course

Who is this course for?

Aligned with the best safety management standards, the course is recommended for anyone accountable for health and safety at work, including managers, supervisors, administrators, business owners, occupational health nurses, and engineers. In addition, Health and Safety Committee members have found the course to be very useful.

How will I benefit from attending?

The course will provide an understanding of the duties and responsibilities as required by the occupational health and safety legislation, and ways of meeting those responsibilities. The course uses an interactive approach to learning, giving participants the opportunity to apply their knowledge and skills.

Are credits awarded?

The classroom course has been awarded 2.0 Continuing Maintenance (CM) Points by the American Board of Industrial Hygiene (ABIH), (approval no. 04-1537 (2004), 04-1538 (2005)*; 1.0 Mandatory Maintenance Points (MMPs) by the Board of Canadian Registered Safety Professionals (BCRSP) (approval no. 9903); 14 hours of Continuing Medical Education (CME) Credits by the Canadian Board of Occupational Medicine (CBOM); and 2.0 Maintenance Points by the Canadian Registration Board of Occupational Hygienists (CRBOH) (award no. 2004-25)*.

*The on-line course has been awarded Maintenance and Continuing Maintenance Points.

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About CCOHS

The Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety (CCOHS) is Canada's national centre for occupational health and safety information and is dedicated to being the global innovator and expert in the area of making the workplace a healthy and safe environment.

CCOHS' mandate is to promote health and safety in the workplace and encourage the application of knowledge and methods that will lead to improved physical and mental health. Through its products and services that are designed with an emphasis on prevention, CCOHS helps foster improvements in today's workplace in the areas of workplace health, ergonomics, job design and safe use and control of chemicals. A non-profit national organization established in 1978 by the federal Ministry of Labour, CCOHS is governed by members from employers, labour and government sectors, who together ensure that impartial and accurate health and safety information is provided to everyone in the workplace.

Course Delivery Options

Classroom Sessions

Registration in our 2-day classroom course is limited to allow sufficient discussion time and attention to individual participants. The course fee is \$500 and includes a course manual, lecture notes and beverage breaks.

e-Learning Packages

If you like to learn at your own pace and in your own environment e-learning delivery format is for you! All you need is a computer and an Internet connection to work through the course modules. With built-in links to supporting information and documents, interactive learning activities, utilities such as a printable "notepad", detailed help features and the ability to interact with a course facilitator, the e-learning format delivers everything you need!

Whether you wish to access the course individually for a period of time or you wish to take advantage of our multi-user course management features to train a number of people, CCOHS has the licensing option for you.

Let CCOHS Come to You!

Special arrangements can be made to have classes delivered onsite at a location of your choice, tailored to your specific needs.

Pricing Information

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- Materials Handling
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