



Confined Space Entry including Working Breathing Apparatus

Duration: Two days

Who would require this service?

This in depth, highly practical, course is designed for individuals who enter confined spaces classed as Medium Risk such as manholes, shafts, chambers, culverts and similar spaces, and those who assist with confined space operations. Working breathing apparatus training is also included.

A certificate to demonstrate an understanding of the theory and practices associated with the hazards and risks of medium risk confined space entry and working

Intended learning objectives:

On completion of the course, delegates shall be competent in:

- Understanding current legislation and Approved Codes of Practice (ACoP)
- Recognising types of confined spaces and their associated hazards
- Implementing control measures to either eliminate or reduce potential risks
- Organising and implementing appropriate accident and emergency procedures
- The safe use and maintenance of escape breathing apparatus
- The safe use and maintenance of working breathing apparatus

Content:

- Definition and types of confined spaces
- Legislation
- Confined space hazards
- Permits to work systems
- Safe working procedures
- Personal protective hygiene / equipment (PPE)
- Gas detection and Access equipment
- Use of escape or airline breathing apparatus
- Accident and emergency procedures
- Self rescue
- Accident and Emergency procedures
- Respiratory functions
- Cylinder identification

Method:

Presentation, discussions, practical sessions and assessments

PPE required:

Safety helmet, safety footwear, gloves and overalls

Delegate experience:

Previous experience would be an advantage but it is not essential, Delegates must be able to set up, physically don and carry BA kits and not have a phobia of face coverings and confinement

Venue requirements:

Classroom facility such as tables, chairs and screen. **A suitable example of a confined space must be available for exercise purposes with sufficient space for the inclusion of other personnel.**

Delegate Numbers:

6 Maximum