



This course is for people who deal specifically with highly hazardous substances; explosives, fumigants, vertebrate toxic agents, acutely toxic substances class 6.1A and 6.1B.

This course is designed to support students to develop their knowledge, understanding and leadership required to ensure their workplace handles hazardous substances safely, compliant to the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017.

This is intended to prepare students for their application for a Compliance Certificate.

Note: This course will ensure an applicant has the required competency and compliance evidence they must provide to an independent Certifier to be awarded a Certified Handler Compliance Certificate.

Key Learning Outcomes:

- Describe the purpose and principles of the Health and Safety at Work (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017
- Understand the requirements under the HSNO Act 1996 EPA Notices, the HSWA 2015 (Hazardous Substances) Regulations 2017 and Safe Work Instruments as they apply to those hazardous substances
- Describe the procedures to adopt in an emergency involving hazardous substances in accordance with organisational requirements
- Describe requirements relevant to a Certified Handler
- Demonstrate knowledge of hazardous substances relevant to the students role

CERTIFIED HANDLER	
Unit Standard 31291	Demonstrate knowledge of hazardous substances relevant to Certified Handlers.
Attendance Prerequisites	Unit Standard 31290: Demonstrate knowledge of safe management and potential adverse effects of hazardous substances in the workplace.
Course Duration	Self-paced
Availability	Facilitated Online & by Correspondence Learning