

Hazardous Substances Basics



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Work safely around hazardous substances by understanding risks, labels, and workplace controls.



Capacity
12



Duration
Half Day (4 Hours)



Locations
At our local training centre
At your own site or workplace

Overview

The Hazardous Substances Basics course is designed for workers who do not directly handle hazardous substances but may work in areas where they are used, stored, or present. This includes staff in shared workplaces who could be indirectly exposed through proximity, accidental release, or emergency situations. The course focuses on recognising hazardous substances, understanding labels and Safety Data Sheets (SDS), identifying potential exposure risks, and knowing appropriate workplace controls and emergency responses. It supports learners to work safely around hazardous substances and comply with site-specific health and safety procedures.

Course Content

- ✓ Identify hazardous substances commonly present in shared workplaces and recognise associated risks through labels and Safety Data Sheets (SDS).
- ✓ Explain the potential routes of exposure and the basic workplace controls used to minimise risk when working around hazardous substances.
- ✓ Respond appropriately to hazardous substance incidents by following site-specific procedures and emergency actions.

Unit Standards

Unit 31292 Demonstrate knowledge of workplace procedures relating to hazardous substances

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