

## course objectives

On completing this qualification candidates should:

- Appreciate the nature of health and safety
- Understand the scope of legislative requirements
- Understand the importance of preventing work-related ill health
- Understand the principles of accident prevention
- Understand the risks associated with poor welfare
- Understand that risk assessment is an important technique for accident and ill-health prevention
- Understand the terminology used in good hygiene practice
- Understand the concepts of hygiene hazards and how the risks can be controlled
- Understand the importance of good personal hygiene
- Recognise the need for high standards of hygiene and the importance of cleaning

## who is the course for?

This qualification is designed to ensure that all employees within the health & social care sector are aware of their own safety and the safety of those in their care. It is applicable in any private or public sector health & social care environment.

## duration / format

A Level 2 course. Flexible 6 hour duration plus a multiple-choice examination. Can be delivered as 2 half-day sessions.

## instructor / trainee ratio

**Min 1:6 Max 1:12**

## awarding body

Chartered Institute of Environmental Health

## course content

- Health & safety law
- Health
- Safety
- Welfare
- Risk assessment
- Introduction to hygiene
- Hygiene hazards
- Personal hygiene
- Cleaning

## course requirements / notes

This is a Level 2 course requiring no previous qualifications or experience.

Training venues will need to provide adequate seating and tables as attendees will undertake a written test.

Oral testing is available on request.

## further information / contact us

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