

P402 Asbestos Surveys and Sampling for Asbestos

Duration: 3 Days

This course aims to provide background and practical knowledge in the surveying of buildings for asbestos and to provide general guidance on management procedures necessary to minimise exposure to any identified asbestos

Content:

Topic	Time Allocation
1 Introduction and Legislative Requirements	5%
2 Asbestos in Buildings	45%
3 Bulk Sampling	15%
4 Practical Work	35%

What can you do?

This training is a proficiency certificate and will give an understanding on how to conduct asbestos surveys and create registers for buildings

Who should attend:

This course is aimed at anyone in a trade or industry who would like to conduct asbestos surveys on their own or clients properties. There are no pre-requisites for this course other than reading pre-course information contained in the MDHS100 or new surveyors guide either will be supplied prior to attending

Topic areas covered:

- Asbestos in Buildings
- The properties of asbestos and effects on health
- Types, uses and risks of asbestos containing materials in buildings and plant
- General emergency procedures for accidental release of asbestos dust
- How to avoid the risk from asbestos
- Visual examination of asbestos material under controlled conditions
- Risk Assessment and Method Statement
- How to conduct a survey
- What Personal Protective equipment is required
- Use of H Type vacuums
- Practical Sampling Works on simulated asbestos materials

Course Assessment:

The students would be assessed as follows:

1. A 1 hour 15 minute Short one line written test (45 questions).
2. A practical assessment carried out by an approved practical assessor.
3. Candidates are required to demonstrate that they have carried out, possibly under supervision, Two field surveys for asbestos, which must include sampling, analysis and a material assessment

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