



Understanding the Construction (Design & Management) Regulations

Managing a successful construction project in compliance with the 2015 Regulations

1-day course

Aim

The aim of this course is to provide a comprehensive review of the changes and to bring delegates up-to-date with the regulations. This will ensure that delegates are well equipped to ensure compliance with the Regulations and to follow best practice in the field.

Objectives

By the end of this course you will:

Understand the main requirements of the Construction (Design and Management) Regulations

Be able to identify when the CDM Regulations apply

Understand the roles of the duty holders: clients, designers, principal contractors and other contractors

Be able to identify what you need to do to comply with the Regulations

Understand the importance of the pre-construction information, the construction phase plan and the health and safety file, and what information they should include

Description

Everyone controlling site work on their premises has health and safety responsibilities – you need to check that working conditions are adequate before work begins, and ensure that the proposed work is not going to put others at risk. This course explains the key aspects of the CDM regulations. The 2015 Regulations are based on the EU Temporary Working Directive and make a number of changes to existing CDM Regulations, such as the removal and replacement of the CDM Coordinator role, replacement of the ACoP, expansion of the CDM remit and changes to the competence requirements.

Who should attend?

Everyone who has duties under the Construction (Design and Management) Regulations, including clients who commission any construction, renovation or demolition work, Facilities Managers, contractors, designers, project managers and planners.

Course contents

- Introduction
- - CDM Regulations: overview, definitions & principles
- When do the CDM Regulations apply?
 - Notification of projects to the Health and Safety Executive
- Competence, co-operation and co-ordination
- Principles of prevention

- Duties for all construction projects
 - Clients, including pre-construction information
 - Designers, including risk assessment and control
 - Contractors
- Duties for notifiable construction projects
 - Clients
 - Designer(s)
 - The CDM Co-ordinator
 - The principal contractor, including the construction phase plan
 - Contractors and the self-employed
- The Health and Safety file
- Health & safety on construction sites – an overview

Programme

9.00 Registration

9.30 Introduction
Definitions
When do the CDM Regulations apply?

11.00 Tea & coffee

11.15 Competence, co-operation and co-ordination
Principles of prevention

12.30 Lunch

1.30 All construction projects
Notifiable projects

3.00 Tea & coffee

3.15 Notifiable projects cont.
The Health and Safety file

4.45 Close

How do I book?

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