

Confined Space Permit Writers (CSPW)

This course is for managers, supervisors, or others who will have responsibilities for reviewing and issuing permits for confined space entries.

It will give them the background knowledge to be able to confidently write and issues permits for personnel involved in entry into confined spaces who have the appropriate level of training.

Successful completion of this course would allow authorisation and audit of confined space permits.

Course Contents

- Definition of a confined space (HSE, C&G, Water UK NC1-NC4 classifications)
- Specified risks
- Legislation and regulations
- Risk assessment, safe systems of work, and permit to work
- Atmospheric hazards and principles of gas detectors
- Duties under the regulations
- Roles and responsibilities of key personnel
- Confined space equipment including records and inspection requirements

Learning Outcomes

- Understand legislation governing working in confined spaces
- Explain what is meant by a confined space
- Be able to define individual roles and responsibilities
- List the major hazards and hazardous atmospheres
- Be aware of appropriate industry-specific standards and procedures
- Understand the principles of gas monitoring
- Being able to authorise working in confined spaces
- Understand the responsibility to monitor the working team to ensure procedures are followed and the importance of emergency planning
- Desktop audit and writing of confined space permits exercise

Course Assessment

- Audit for safe system of work
- Knowledge test



One Day



Maximum of 10 people



Training Academy
or on-site



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