

# **Driver Safety for Businesses**

According to research by the Department for Transport, driving is likely to be one of the most dangerous activities we engage in, with far more people being killed or injured driving whilst at work, than in any of the high-risk industries

#### **Course Overview**

Any business that has staff who drive as part of their work, whether regularly or occasionally, in either a company provided vehicle, or an employee's own vehicle, has a legal duty under Health and Safety at Work legislation to manage driving risk properly.

Failure to manage your work-related driving activities can result in:

- Unnecessary risk to staff and other road users
- Huge fines for any failings in Duty of Care (fines linked to turnover)
- Putting you, your organisation and your reputation at risk

This half day course will ensure you gain a full understanding of the processes your business should have in place to manage work related road safety and is a necessity for the key decision makers to ensure that the business is compliant with Health and Safety Legislation.

## **Course Syllabus**

This course will cover:

- Understanding why driving is a high-risk activity
- Insight as to your Duty of Care obligations under Health & Safety legislation
- The direct consequences if things go wrong for the business, its directors and employees
- The true cost of collisions
- The benefits to be derived from managing work-related road safety well
- An 8-point best practice health check
- Smartphone-based driver safety app to effectively manage driver risk, reduce collisions and drive costs down



# frequently asked questions...

### **The Course**

**Course Information** 

For further information contact us on 01782 480480

Course Delivery	This course is available as a Tailored or Open course
Accreditation	None
Course Length	Half day
Start / Finish Times	Typically 9 am to 1pm / 1pm to 5pm
Maximum Group Size	12
Tailored To Requirements	Yes - we will discuss details before quoting
Course Material	Everything is provided on the day
Certification	
Is there an assessment?	No assessment is completed, but there will be an 8-point assessment of the business
Are certificates issued?	Yes
Valid for?	No expiry date - certificate of attendance
When/how are they available?	Available for download from the NUK website upon completion
The Delegates	
Prerequisites	Delegates must have a good understanding of written and verbal English
Delegate to Provide	This will be confirmed at the point of booking
The Venue	
Course Location	At a venue of your choice or a Now U Know Training Centre
Venue Requirements	Please inform us of any mobility concerns
Non-NUK Venues	Must have adequate space, lighting, seating, welfare and a 240v socket Please call to discuss if you require the practical session
Refreshments at NUK Venues	Available on request

