



Fire Marshal in Care Homes

Persons over the age of 80 are ten times more likely to die in a fire than someone aged 30 or under. The current Fire Safety Order states that fire risks must be managed in places of work.

Course Overview

Impaired mobility means that increased fire safety awareness is essential in all care homes.

The course is suitable for those working in care homes not having designated fire duties but still requiring a basic level of fire safety awareness.

The course covers why fire occurs and what actions you must take to help prevent them starting and the actions that must be taken when they do.

Course Syllabus

- Role of the Fire Marshal
- Chemistry and causes of fire
- Basic safety features in buildings
- Fire statistics
- Current fire safety legislation
- Fire risk assessments
- Preventative measure
- Fire drills and evacuation
- Fire extinguisher – introduction, pre-engagement action and using an extinguisher
- Liaising with the emergency services

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Course type options:



Tailored



Open



Online

frequently asked questions...

The Course

Course Delivery	This course is available either as a tailored, open or online Course
Accreditation	ROSPA online
Course Length	2 hours (online) 4 hours approximately (tailored & open)
Start / Finish Times	Typically 8.30am to 12.30 pm or to suit
Maximum Group Size	12
Tailored to Specific Requirements	Yes - Please provide at the booking stage
Course Material	Handouts are provided on the day (except for online courses)

Certification

Is there an Assessment?	Multiple choice assessment
Are certificates issued?	Yes
Valid for?	Recommended refresher every 3 years
When / how are they available?	Available for download from the NUK website upon completion

The Delegates

Prior Knowledge / Prerequisites	None
Needs to bring along	Everything is provided on the day

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
Refreshment at NUK Venues	Available on request

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