

Lone Working

Lone workers should not be put at more risk than other employees. It can often be safe to work alone however legislation requires employers to identify and control H&S risks.

Course Overview

Lone workers are often placed in positions of isolation, vulnerability and increased risks. It is not illegal to work alone however certain measures must be put in place in order to provide a safe working environment. Lone Working can occur either within a fixed base or working away from a fixed base either during or outside of normal working hours.

This course is suitable for any persons working alone such as those in the entertainment, retail, services, factories, social care, warehouses, security, representatives visiting domestic and commercial premises, etc. This training may be in crucial in enabling people to cope in unexpected circumstances and with potential exposures to violence and aggression.

By the end of this presentation learners will be able to demonstrate their understanding of the control measures to be followed, as detailed in the safe working procedure, that are necessary to safeguard lone workers.

Course Syllabus

- Current Legislation and guidance applicable to Lone Working including INDG73 –Working Alone
- Health & Safety at Work Act 1974
- Management of Health & Safety at Work Regulations 1999
- Employer & Employee Responsibilities
- Identifying Lone Working
- Medical suitability for Lone Working
- Limitations of may and may not be done when working alone
- Supervision of Lone Workers
- Safe Working Arrangements
- Risk Assessment Process
- Emergency Procedures
- Tracing Systems
- Conflict Management
- Practical Exercise

Course delivery options:







frequently asked questions...

The Course

Course Delivery This course is available either as a Tailored or Open Course

Accreditation None

Course Length 4 hours (1/2 Day)

Start / Finish Times To suit

Maximum Group Size 12

Tailored to Specific Requirements Yes - Please provide specific information at the booking stage

Course Material Hand Outs are provided on the day (except for Online Courses)

Certification

Are certificates issued? Yes

Valid for? 3 years

Is there an Assessment? Theory Exam and Assessment

When / how are they available? Available for download 2 working weeks after the course

The Delegates

Prior Knowledge / Prerequisites None

Needs to bring along None

The Venue

Course Location At a venue of your choice or a NUK venue

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 Tea, Coffee, Water and Biscuits are available

