

AP06: 4 Day Authorised Person (Confined Spaces)

Purpose of the course:

This course delivers 28 hours Accredited Continuing Professional Development classroom and practical instruction and is designed to introduce delegates who have been selected for appointment as an Authorised Person (Confined Spaces) to the Safety Rules & Procedures for working in confined spaces, thus ensuring that a Safe Systems of Work is implemented, managed and controlled by competent persons. This course meets the main requirements of MoD JSP 375, Chapter 6 - Confined Spaces, SNHS/NHS confined space procedures and many other similar company procedures along with the Approved Code of Practice (ACOP) L101.

On completion of the course, delegates will have the requisite knowledge to be able to identify and advise on typical confined spaces, the associated risks, check the competency of operatives, the quality of their equipment and ensure that the correct control measures and safety documentation are in place prior to issuing a permit for any work to be carried out.

What will be covered on the course:

- ✓ Health and Safety and Confined Spaces Regulations
- ✓ Hazards Associated with Confined Spaces
- ✓ Identifying Confined Spaces
- ✓ Working in Confined Spaces
- ✓ Emergency Arrangements
- ✓ Introduction to Chapter 6 Confined Spaces Safety Rule & Procedures
- ✓ Roles and Duties
- ✓ Application of Chapter 6
- ✓ Management Arrangements and Training Requirements
- ✓ Introduction to Confined Space PPE Plant & Equipment
- ✓ Practical use of Tripod, Winch and EBA
- ✓ Overview of Self-Contained Breathing Apparatus
- ✓ Introduction to Risk Assessment
- ✓ Operational Procedures Standing Instruction - Worked Example
- ✓ Operational Procedures Safety Programme and PTW - Worked Example
- ✓ Assessing, appointing, auditing and monitoring
- ✓ Scenario based assessment, multiple-choice test paper and familiarisation exercise

