Confined Space Management Awareness (CSMA)

This course is designed to enable those attending to be aware and understand the legal requirements for managing confined space work in the UK.

The course will provide an overview of the hazards/specified risks that bring an area under the Regulations, and provide an overview of the main control measures, including training and rescue.

Course Contents

- Definition of a confined space
- Specified risks
- Legislation and Regulations
- An understanding of 'reasonably practicable' when applied to confined space management
- Selection of personnel for entry, including contractors
- Training requirements, including those for rescue teams
- Alternative methods of carrying out confined space work
- Control measures during confined space entry to include:
 - Supervision
 - Communication
 - Atmosphere monitoring and oxygen depletion
 - Safe working in confined spaces
 - Plant, equipment, and PPE
 - Rescue
- Desktop planning exercises

Learning Outcomes

- Learn how to engage a competent person(s) to manage confined space work
- Make managers aware of the need to identify confined space areas on their site and manage entries into them in line with the Regulations and Approved Code of Practice (ACOP)



One Day



Maximum of 10 people



Training Academy or on-site



Eurosafe Certificate Valid for 3 years

Course Assessment

- Assessment for managing awareness
- Knowledge test