

Asbestos Awareness

IATP & CPD Approved - 3 CPD points

Asbestos is probably the most dangerous building material ever used.

Every year thousands of people fall ill and die due to asbestos exposure and it was widely used by the construction industry right up until the year 2000. The Control of Asbestos Regulations (CAR) apply to employers, employees, self-employed persons and duty holders and cover all work with asbestos-containing materials.

Regulation 10 of CAR states that every employer must ensure that adequate information, instruction and training is given to employees who are liable to be exposed to asbestos. This includes maintenance workers and others who may come into contact with or disturb asbestos, in common builders, plumbers, electricians, carpenters and other building-related and maintenance trades.

The course covers the risks of working with asbestos, recognises asbestos-containing materials, raises awareness in areas of use, steps to minimise the risks and introduces legislation that applies to working with asbestos.

Module Number	Module Name	Pass % required
1	Properties and Risks of Asbestos Exposure	100
2	Different Types of Asbestos	100
3	Avoiding the Risks from Asbestos	100
4	An Outline of Asbestos Legislation	100

Duration: 65 minutes (Note: This is based on the amount of video content shown and is rounded off. It does not account in any way for loading time or thinking time on the questions.)