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QQI Level 5
Safety & Health at Work (5N1794)

Commencing the 13th March and concluding on 10th April 2019

Class Dates
• 13th March 2019
• 20th March 2019
• 27th March 2019
• 3rd April 2019
• 10th April 2019

The purpose of the programme on Safety and Health at Work (5N1794) is to provide learners the opportunity to the study Safety and Health, and its key concepts, theoretical concepts and practical applications and is designed is to equip the learner with the relevant knowledge, skill and competence to work as an appropriate worker and member of a team at work.

The objectives of the programme on Safety and Health at Work (5N1794) are to train learners to become competent in the knowledge, skill and understanding of Safety and Health in the Work environment. By the end of the programme, learners will have a broader understanding awareness of safety and health issues. Learners will have clarity on the diverse responsibilities and duties pertinent to both the employer and the employee in the area of Safety and Health. Learners will be able to identify possible and potential hazards and will have enhanced their competency in undertaking risk assessment in the work environment. Learners will have enhanced understanding of both universal and specific risks, safety concepts, risk identification, prevention and reporting skills. Learners will also be familiar with the relevant national legislation and the relevant statutory bodies. Learners will also be familiar with the importance of a focus on healthy work environments and lifestyle influences e.g. diet, drugs, stress.

Learners will gain an understanding of accident prevention approaches in the work environment and how to ensure and work safely. Learners will develop attitudes of self-accountability for safety and health in the work environment and will have gained awareness of taking responsibility for their own learning about Safety and Health at Work.

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The programme covers subject matter such as awareness of safety and health issues in the working environment, responsibilities and duties of employers and employees in that milieu, identification of hazards and importance of risk assessment, the current national legislation and statutory bodies, an understanding and development of infection control, protective equipment, health promotion, and of both the academic and vocational language of the subject matters of Safety and Health at Work

Following successful participation learners will achieve a Level 5 Certificate in Health & Safety at Work (5N1794) with 15 credits towards Major Awards 5M4339 and 5M4349

Assessments: Assignment 1 (30%)
Assignment 2 (30%)
Written Exam (40%)

Assignments:

- Please note all written assignments must meet the Education Centre policy on plagiarism
- In the event of unforeseen circumstances (e.g. Illness) the Education Centre will facilitate a student to submit their assignment to QQI at the next submission date
- This offer is available for the next submission date only

On successful completion of this course, learners are awarded a ***QQI Level 5 Safety & Health at Work Component Certificate (5N1794)*** This course can be used towards several QQI Major Awards in Healthcare.

Entry Requirements:

- Leaving Certificate or relevant qualifications and/or relevant life and work experiences.
- All participants on this course must have good fluency in English (both written and oral)

Cost: €325.00 – booking form and payment required in advance of course commencement.
Fee is non-refundable. **A deposit of €100 is required to secure a place on this course. Full fees must be paid by the first day of the course. Please note this policy as students cannot commence the course unless fees are fully paid**

Please note mobile phones must be switched off while in class.
Location: The Education Centre is located on the Grounds of St. Luke's Home, Castle Road, Mahon. We are located close to Blackrock Castle and the following link provides directions and map.

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