

Course Title

Lift Truck Supervisor Awareness

Course Overview

Every year there are around 8000 reportable injuries involving lift trucks. These injuries, some fatal, create suffering for those involved. They also involve a heavy cost on the employer's business. Even an incident not involving an injury may result in costly damage to trucks, buildings, fittings and goods. Lift-truck accidents are frequently associated with lack of suitable and sufficient operator training. Such training is an essential first step in reducing damage and injury. PUWER 1998 (9) requires all people who use such equipment, to receive adequate training to supervise / manage it's safe use.

Who Should Attend

Supervisors or Managers who are required to safely supervise / manage a variety of lift trucks within the scope of any working activity they are employed to carry out.

Course Content

- Current Legislation - (HASAWA 1974 / PUWER 1998 / LOLER 1998 / ACOP L117)
- Delegates issued with an operators handbook
- Operator safety video(s) – (7 Deadly Sins / Dangerous Manoeuvres)
- Pre Use Checks & Maintenance (Record Keeping and Reporting)
- Observational Techniques
- Loading & Unloading a Vehicle
- Re-Fuel / Re-Charge / LPG Changing Bottles
- Theoretical Assessment
- Practical Assessment

Course Outcome

- Identify the basic construction and components, and the purpose and use of all its controls and gauges.
- Identify and comply with manufacturers instructions in accordance with the operator's handbook, other information sources, and applicable legislation.
- Explain all relevant documentation.
- Supervise / Manage all pre-use and running checks.
- Supervise / Manage all employees in the work place to maintain high standards of operation.

Course Durations

1 to 10 delegates over half day or 1 full day

