

### Could your staff and business survive a fire?

### WORKPLACE FIRE SAFETY COURSES



Course material was just right & very relevant to the work I do. Don't change anything!

Katy Griffiths - Barclays Wealth

## **FIRE SAFETY** TRAINING



#### Do you or your staff need fire safety training?

Are you comfortable that your employees would know what to do if a fire occurred in your business?

# More importantly, are you confident that your staff members know how to prevent fires from occurring in the first place?

The hazards from fire can pose a significant threat to business. Every year many people are injured by fires that occur in the workplace. The financial costs of a fire can be equally devastating. Annually, the cost to businesses through fire runs to many millions of pounds, and companies are all too often unable to recover from its catastrophic effects.

Jersey Fire & Rescue provides quality fire safety training specifically designed to assist both employers and employees to meet their obligations within current legislation, such as Health and Safety at Work (Jersey) Law 1989 and the Fire Precautions (Jersey) Law 1977.

All delegates will receive a course completion certificate accredited by Jersey Fire & Rescue which is valid for 3 years.

### THE COURSES



Jersey Fire & Rescue have developed a suite of fire safety training courses, which aim to provide a greater awareness of the threat posed by fire to people, property and business continuity.

By combining the recognition of individual responsibilities to promptly report fire related hazards and the actions to take should a fire occur, the risks to employees and the workplace will be reduced.

#### The courses that we currently offer are:

- Fire Awareness
- Fire Marshal
- Fire Extinguishers

All of our courses are delivered by serving or retired firefighters whose professional understanding of fire development, risk assessment and risk management provides an unrivalled edge to your training experience.

The use of professional firefighters also enables real life incidents to be utilised as examples for discussions.

Our courses are supported by the Jersey Safety Council.



Given me confidence - especially around fire extinguishers & blankets

Jane Simpson - Begbies Traynor

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### FIRE AWARENESS COURSE



#### Who should attend?

All members of staff. This is especially useful as part of an induction programme.

#### **Course aim**

To provide delegates with greater awareness and understanding of the dangers of fire, and to assist them in identifying and reducing the potential for a fire in the workplace.

#### Areas Covered

- Main causes of fires
- Understanding fire and smoke
- Introduction to relevant legislation
- Introduction to fire safety measures
- Hazard spotting and preventing fires
- Arson
- Introduction to fire extinguishers (no practical use)
- Actions on discovering a fire
- Evacuation procedures
- Home fire safety

#### **Course duration**

2 hours

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### FIRE MARSHAL TRAINING

#### Who should attend?

All members of staff undertaking the role of a fire marshal / warden or those with an identified role in the event of a fire.

#### **Course aim**

To provide delegates with the necessary skills and knowledge to enable them to act as a competent and confident Fire Marshal and assist in the management of fire risk reduction in the workplace.

#### **Areas Covered**

- Importance of fire safety at work
- Relevant Legislation
- Understanding of fire safety measures
- Human behaviour in fire situations
- Corporate responsibilities
- Expectations of a fire marshal
- Fire drills
- Evacuation procedures
- Roll calls
- Fire & Rescue Service liaison

#### **Course duration**

#### 2 hours

Please note: Delegates must have completed our 'Fire Awareness Course' or the 'Jersey Safety Council Fire Awareness Course' (within the last 3 years).

### FIRE EXTINGUISHER TRAINING



#### Who should attend?

Any member of staff who may potentially feel the need to use a fire extinguisher. If you have extinguishers, staff may feel obliged to use them.

#### **Course aim**

To provide delegates with the necessary skills and knowledge to enable them to confidently use fire extinguishers and fire blankets and to reduce the potential damage caused by fires in the workplace.

#### **Areas Covered**

- Identifying different fire extinguishers
- · Selecting the right extinguisher
- How to use extinguishers
- Water extinguishers
- Foam extinguishers
- · Carbon dioxide extinguishers
- Dry powder extinguishers
- Wet chemical extinguishers
- Fire blankets
- Practical use of extinguishers on real fire

#### **Course duration**

#### 2 hours



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### FIRE SIMULATOR



We recognise the importance of ensuring that delegates experience using fire extinguishers in realistic situations.

Our fire extinguisher training enables delegates to tackle a range of simulated fires including a toaster, waste paper bin, frying range, electrical motor and a plasma screen.

Delegates will also learn the correct techniques for using fire blankets safely and experience using a fire blanket on a simulated cooking pan fire.



## COURSE LOCATION



#### Standard

Courses are held at our Headquarters in Rouge Bouillon. Utilising our operational fire station really adds to the authenticity of the fire safety training. It also enables us to make use of some of our unique training facilities, such as our smoke chamber.

Unfortunately we do not have any parking facilities for delegates on site.

#### Outreach

If you would prefer to hold a complete course for your employees alone and want to keep them on site, we can deliver our training courses at your business location (*the minimum number of delegates is 10 people per course*).

To host an outreach course you would need to provide a training room and an outside area (at least 3 parking spaces) for the fire extinguishers course.

We provide presentation equipment to enhance the theory elements and a mobile fire simulator, which brings the real fire element to your workplace.

Bespoke courses tailored to your workplace can also be provided *(minimum number of 18 delegates)*.

Very well run, very informative & pleasant trainers "

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### **HOW TO BOOK**

For more details on course dates, prices and availability please contact our team on:

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#### Workplace Fire Safety Training

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