



MSMWHS217

Gas test atmospheres

Description

This unit of competency covers the skills and knowledge required to test the working atmosphere, using electronic test apparatus, to find out if it is safe for the proposed work. It applies to situations where an individual may be required to carry out gas testing of an atmosphere prior to entering a specific area or workspace. The competency requires the person to interpret readings and take actions based on the interpretation. Working environment may be hazardous, unpredictable, subject to time pressure, chaotic and expose responders to risk, on land or water, by day or night. Workplace atmospheres may include visible and invisible hazards and hazardous surfaces.

The unit is suitable for use in the following situations:

- Confined spaces
- Enclosed and partially enclosed spaces
- Hot work
- Storage tanks, silos, pits, pipes, shafts, ducts, transport vehicles and ships
- Testing as part of issuing a work permit
- Monitoring as part of working under a work permit
- Open areas
- Holding the gas tester by hand
- Lowering the gas tester into a space, e.g. on a line

This unit of competency applies to an individual working alone or as part of a team or group and working in liaison with other shift team members and the control room operator, as appropriate.

Licensing/Regulatory Information

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication

Delivery Method

The course is delivered by highly experienced trainers, using face-to-face delivery techniques. It includes a combination of questionnaires, discussions and practical exercises. The course is interactive and focuses on practical skills and knowledge.

Duration of this Course

Course duration will depend on previous experience and course numbers. Please contact us for more details.

Cost of this Course

The cost of this course is \$330* per person. *Concessions may apply to eligible students.

Please Note: The Student tuition fees are indicative only and are subject to change given individual circumstances at enrolment. Additional fees may apply such as Student service and resource fees.

How will I be Assessed?

You will be assessed via a knowledge test that is conducted in a classroom testing environment where students may reference their training materials, workbooks and manuals used throughout the training course. The practical section of the course will be assessed via observation.

What will I get at the end of this Course?

On successful completion of this unit, you will receive:

- Statement of Attainment

For more information, please contact Progressive Training on the number below.

Enrolments

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