Basic Scaffolding Course Outline



Course Aim

This course will give participants the necessary skills and knowledge to plan, prepare & complete basic scaffolding work as prescribed by the National Standard for Licensing Persons Performing High Risk Work. On completion of this course participants will be able to manage risks; inspect equipment; work with fibre ropes; construct and dismantle modular scaffolds.

Pre-requisites

Licence applicants must be 18 years of age and be physically capable of performing scaffolding activities

Course Content

The Basic Scaffolding course is mapped to the Nationally Recognised unit of competency:

CPCCLSF2001A Licence to erect, alter and dismantle scaffolding, Basic Level, includes:

- Legislation, Australian Standards, National Standard for Licensing Persons Performing High Risk Work, codes of practice and company scaffolding procedures.
- Company risk management procedures and scaffolding risk control
- Plan Work Site requirements and rules; site hazard identification; emergency procedures; priorities; scaffold fit for the purpose.
- Rope work including bowline; clove hitch; timber hitch; rolling hitch; use of gin wheels.
- Identify scaffold components and use; identify damaged components.
- Identify individual modular systems, their advantages/disadvantages.
- Tube and Coupler overview and use
- Ground Bearing Pressure related to live load; dead load.
- Minimums and Maximums including lift height bay width, length light/medium/heavy duty scaffolds; bracing of scaffolds; tying of scaffolds.
- Estimation of material
- Practical Training Erect modular scaffold; use tube and coupler where necessary to modify; tag completed scaffold; dismantle scaffold and stow gear.

Certification

Successful candidates will be awarded the Nationally Recognised unit of competency **CPCCLSF2001A Licence to erect, alter** and dismantle scaffolding, Basic Level, recognised within the Australian Qualifications Framework (AQF). A Licence to Perform High Risk Work, class SB will also be issued upon application to Workplace Standards Tasmania

Duration: 35 hours conducted over 4 to 5 days.

Maximum Participants: 8 persons

Cost: \$1250 per person.

Reassessment

Students who do not successfully complete the course assessment or who are deemed not ready for assessment during the regular course time frame will require an additional assessment. Additional costs will apply to any additional assessments.

Cancellations

A cancellation fee will not be charged for courses cancelled or rescheduled no less than 5 working days prior to the course start date. For courses cancelled less than 5 days prior to the start date a cancellation fee of 50% of the course cost will be charged. For courses cancelled less than 1 day prior to the start date a cancellation fee of 100% of the course cost will be charged. Full course fees will be charged for "no shows" and participants who start a course but do not complete it.