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Small Power Tools

Introduction

This course develops the skills and knowledge needed to operate portable hands tools and to gain a fundamental understanding of current legislation and regulations that encompass these skills and the need to work safety at all times.

Aims

By the end of the course all delegates will:

- Be able to carry out a suitable and sufficient risk assessment
- Explain the relevant safety requirements and procedures for safe operation of hand tools
- Define Hand Arm Vibration syndrome, describe the symptoms and state who is at risk and how this condition can be prevented
- Use appropriate Personal Protective Equipment
- Demonstrate safe operation of identified power tools
- Carry out General maintenance on power tools.

Who should attend?

Any personnel required to operate small power tools at work

Course content

Health and Safety at Work Act, 1974, Section 2 – 7 & 8
Provision & Use of Work Equipment Regulations 1998
Risk Assessments
Hand – Arm Vibration Syndrome (HAVS)
Safe operation of power tools
General maintenance.

Personal Protective Equipment Required: Safety Helmet, High Viz Vest, Safety Boots

Durations

Duration	Operators	
1 Day	6	Max 3 different types of power tools (depending of type of power tools) per day

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