



Display Screen Equipment Assessors

WHO IS IT FOR?

The course is suitable for all those who have been appointed to undertake assessments of display screen equipment workstations (DSE) and anybody involved in the design of tasks, workplace environments or workstations.

AIM OF THE COURSE

To provide delegates with the ability to identify common workstation hazards, assess the risks associated with the hazard, select suitable workplace precautions and determine when specialist support is required.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

On successful completion of the course delegates will be able to:

- Appreciate the main legal requirements of the Display Screen Equipment Regulations, related legislation and standards
- Describe the main hazards associated with display screen use, the causes of ill health and a range of workplace precautions that can be applied
- Interpret ergonomic measurements from relevant standards
- Appreciate the principles of ergonomics, anthropometric data and workstation design
- Undertake a workstation assessment and report back on the findings
- Complete a short end of course assessment

COURSE CONTENT

- Principles of ergonomics
- Reasons for conducting DSE risk assessments
- Main legislation relating to DSE risk assessments
- Competencies required of DSE risk assessors
- Health effects relating to DSE use
- Principles and benefits of good ergonomic design
- Recording the findings of a DSE risk assessment
- Making recommendations based on the findings
- Reviewing and revising a DSE risk assessment

DURATION

One day programme.

CERTIFICATION

On successful completion of the course, candidates will be awarded a Praxis42 'Display Screen Assessor's' certificate.