This qualification has been accredited and credit rated by the Scottish Qualifications Authority (SQA) and sits in the Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework (SCQF).

NEBOSH National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety

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NEBOSH, the National Examination Board in Occupational Safety and Health, is a world leading provider of Health, Safety and Environmental Qualifications.
The NEBOSH National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety – because in construction, you need to know what health and safety is all about.

With construction workers remaining the most vulnerable to major injury at work along with the high level of risks to those who need to maintain and alter buildings / structures, the NEBOSH Construction Certificate offers a sound benchmark level for all duty holders to demonstrate stage 1 competence.

Theoretical and practical application within the syllabus to manage both health and safety from planning, design and construction to use and demolition, ensures those awarded with the certificate are well capable to meet challenges to make a difference.

John Lacey
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What kind of people take the NEBOSH National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety?
People working in construction, civil engineering, utilities, facilities, broadcasting, property management and more. People who are managers, supervisors and duty holders under CDM. People who need the right level of skills and know-how to fulfil their health and safety responsibilities.

What will I gain from this qualification?
Knowledge – Whether health and safety is your main responsibility, or just a part of what you do, the NEBOSH National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety will give you vital knowledge to help you perform better in your role.

Enjoymnt – You’ll enjoy taking the NEBOSH National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety. You’ll discover skills and techniques that are really useful and practical, not just theoretical.

Recognition – NEBOSH is highly regarded in the construction industry. Our qualifications are what employers seek when it comes to health and safety.

Our National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety is also accepted by:
- IOSH (Institution of Occupational Safety and Health) to meet the academic requirements for Technical Membership (Tech IOSH)
- IIRSM (International Institute of Risk and Safety Management) for Associate Membership (AIRM)

It also makes a significant contribution towards the points required for registered membership of the Association for Project Safety (APS)

Career development - For some, this Certificate can be a first step towards a career in health and safety. For others, it forms part of an important set of qualifications which brings them success and advancement in their chosen field.

What will my employer gain from this qualification?
A safer workplace – Construction work can be very dangerous. Done properly, health and safety protects people from injury and loss of life. People with the NEBOSH National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety know how to help employers avoid prosecution, litigation, absence costs and loss of reputation.

Competence – An employer whose staff are NEBOSH qualified is an employer committed to health and safety. The NEBOSH National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety demonstrates knowledge and understanding, which can help employers meet recognised standards, codes of practice and even win new business.

Return on investment – An employee with a NEBOSH National Certificate in Construction Health and Safety has a practical set of skills that brings real value to the modern construction site and other places of work.

Are you already one step towards your next NEBOSH Certificate?
Unit NGC1 of this qualification (Management of health and safety) is common to the National Certificate in Construction, the National General Certificate and the Certificate in Fire Safety and Risk Management. You do not need to sit Unit NGC1 again if you have already passed it within the last five years.

What does the course cover?
It covers a broad range of construction hazards and how to control them, as well as the key legal requirements. Crucially, the practical element of the course also ensures that participants can carry out, unaided, a safety inspection of a construction workplace and prepare an appropriate report.

Further details including a syllabus summary can be found on our website.

How is the course assessed?
Candidates are assessed with written examinations for each of the two taught units and a practical assessment. A unit certificate is issued denoting successful achievement of each unit. A certificate parchment is issued on completion of the two units and the practical assessment.

Where can I take a course leading to the NEBOSH Certificate in Construction?
Details of training providers that represent NEBOSH throughout the world are on our website. These training providers offer courses to fit around your requirements:
- Distance or E-learning
- Day or evening courses over a number of weeks
- Block release or modular courses

Sometimes courses can be arranged to take place where you work. Employers can also become accredited NEBOSH course providers so that they can provide in-house training for staff.