



Promoting Quality in Fire Safety

BAFE, The Fire Service College, London Road, Moreton-in-Marsh, Gloucestershire, GL56 0RH
+44 (0)844 335 0897 | info@bafefire.org.uk | www.bafefire.org.uk | @BAFEFIRE

BAFE SP101 - Competency of Portable Fire Extinguisher Organisations and Technicians: Accepted Accreditation for Asbestos Awareness and Health and Safety Training Providers

Updated: 15th December 2017 (V2)

Organisations who wish to obtain BAFE registration must have registered fire extinguisher technicians with accepted asbestos awareness and health and safety training. The training standards listed below represent our current requirements.

Only training courses which have been approved by the listed bodies will be acceptable under the BAFE SP101 scheme.

Additional accreditation organisations and clarification of requirements may be added to this guidance in the future at BAFE's discretion. If you feel another accreditation body for training providers should be added to the accepted list please contact the BAFE Office info@bafefire.org.uk

Asbestos Awareness

Asbestos Awareness training providers must be accredited from one of the following bodies:

Accreditation Body	Information
UKATA (United Kingdom Asbestos Training Association)	www.ukata.org.uk
IATP (Independent Asbestos Training Providers)	www.iatp.org.uk

Health and Safety

Health and safety training providers must be accredited from one of the following bodies:

Accreditation Body	Information
CITB (Construction Industry Training Board)	www.citb.co.uk
RoSPA (Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents)	www.rospace.com
IOSH (Institution of Occupational Safety and Health)	www.iosh.co.uk
NEBOSH (National Examination Board in Occupational Safety and Health)	www.nebosh.org.uk

Please see second page for what areas of Health and Safety training should cover.

Please note: Evidence that a Fire Extinguisher Technician holds a CSCS, CCNSG Safety Passport or equivalent card will be deemed to comply with the Health and Safety requirements only.



Promoting Quality in Fire Safety

BAFE, The Fire Service College, London Road, Moreton-in-Marsh, Gloucestershire, GL56 0RH
+44 (0)844 335 0897 | info@bafefire.org.uk | www.bafefire.org.uk | [@BAFEFIRE](https://twitter.com/BAFEFIRE)

What areas of Health and Safety Training should be covered?

General Requirements for Certificated Health and Safety Training are as follows:

- The need to prevent accidents
- health and safety law
- how your role fits into the control and management of the site
- risk assessments and method statements
- performing safely and asking for advice
 - The importance of safe manual handling
 - Working safely at height
 - Risks to health
 - Working safely around plant and equipment
 - Slips and trips
 - Noise
 - Vibration
 - Hazardous substances
 - Alcohol and drugs
 - Personal protective equipment
- Fatalities, injuries and ill health
- Emergencies and first aid
- Reporting accidents and ill health