



Sharps

The aim of the course is to:

Provide you with an awareness of needles and sharps so you can understand more about your legal responsibilities and how to protect yourself and others.

Learning outcomes

By the end of this course, learners will be aware of:

- Why they need to know about needles and sharps
- What needles and sharps are
- The laws that relate to needles and sharps
- Who is at risk of injury
- The potential health effects of sharps injuries
- The stages of a risk assessment
- What to do in the event of a sharps injury
- How to report sharps injuries
- Safer sharps
- How to dispose of sharps safely

Course summary:

- Aims and Learning outcomes.
- Introductions
- Risks associated with needles and sharps.
- Assessing the Risks
- Responding to a sharp injury
- The safe use of sharps and needles
- The safe disposal of sharps

Course Duration: 1 Day

Certification: Inhouse STS Certification