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What Is the NEBOSH Level 6 Diploma?

The NEBOSH Level 6 Diploma is a flagship course regarded as the gold standard of workplace health and safety training.

In a nutshell, this internationally recognised qualification is the highest-level qualification for people who want to become top-notch experts in occupational safety and health.

Renowned for its extensive syllabus, it covers a wide range of topics, including safety laws and regulations, assessing and managing workplace risks, and influencing safety culture at all levels of an organisation.

Course Duration:

- ▶ Online/Distance: 415 hours
- ▶ Virtual/Classroom: 6 split weeks (30 working days).

Entry Requirements: ·

No formal requirements, but it's recommended you complete the NEBOSH General Certificate.

This course is well-known for being very challenging, even for the more practised members of the profession. We recommend that learners view the course as a sizable investment of time and effort, likening it to the structure and difficulty of an Honours Degree in the UK.

Who Is the Course For?

The course is built specifically for anyone with an ambition to progress their career in health and safety. It's just right for people already working in health and safety who want to build on their competency, including:

- ▶ Health and Safety Managers, Advisors or Officers
- Compliance Managers
- Engineers
- Consultants
- Directors

The course is frequently used by professionals to accelerate their career growth into senior leadership positions, as it builds the strategic knowledge expected of an in-house safety expert.

National vs International Versions

How Do They Differ?

There are two versions of the NEBOSH Level 6 Diploma available:

- ▶ NEBOSH Level 6 National Diploma for Occupational Health and Safety Management Professionals
- ▶ NEBOSH Level 6 International Diploma for Occupational Health and Safety Management Professionals

The only difference between the two is in the specific legislation and laws mentioned in the content.



The NEBOSH National Diploma is specific to the UK, so it'll help make sure you're working to UK standards, laws and regulations, e.g. Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974.



The NEBOSH International Diploma uses worldwide examples because it focuses on best practice and international guidelines set by regulating organisations such as the International Labour Organisation (ILO) codes of practice.

Available Learning Methods



Online

Flexible, accessible, selfpaced digital learning.



Individual Units

Purchase units individually and complete at your own pace.



Virtual

Live, interactive online training with a tutor.



Classroom

In-person, tutorled learning in a classroom setting.



OnlinePlus

Digital learning with the tutor-led virtual sessions.



Distance

Self-paced digital textbook learning with revision webinars.



On-Site

Train together in a collaborative, face-to-face setting.

Why Study the NEBOSH Level 6 Diploma?

Employee Benefits

- ► Career Progression: This is one of the Diploma's primary benefits. An overwhelming number of advertised health and safety management roles specifically require the NEBOSH Diploma, and we frequently see professionals secure pay rises and promotions after completing the course.
- ▶ Global Recognition: This qualification is approved by professional membership organisations across the globe. You'll be part of a growing community of people passionate about occupational safety and health, so you can continue to learn and develop.
- ➤ Transferable Skills: Skills that can be applied to any industry or discipline.
- ➤ Salary Progression: Access to jobs with salaries ranging from £45,000 to £100,000 (depending on experience).

Employer Benefits

- Diploma holders typically experience measurably lower accident frequency rates. The advanced risk management techniques taught in the qualification enable professionals to identify and mitigate hazards before they result in incidents.
- ▶ Lower Insurance Premiums:
 Insurance providers often recognise
 the NEBOSH Diploma when
 calculating risk profiles, with some
 businesses securing premium
 reductions after demonstrating
 enhanced safety leadership
 capacity.
- ▶ Improved Efficiency & Productivity: Advanced risk management creates operational benefits beyond accident prevention. Diploma-qualified professionals identify process inefficiencies, eliminate waste associated with poor planning, and optimise workflows while maintaining safety standards.

Element 8

Element 9

Course Syllabus and Assessments

Health and Safety Practitioners' Contribution to Legal Actions

Managing Contractors and

Supply Chains

National modules: DN1, DN2, and DN3 International modules: DI1, DI2 and DI3.

DN1		DII		
Workplace Principles	Health and Safety	Workplace Health and Safety Principles		
Element 1	Sourcing, Evaluating, Interpreting and	Element 1	Legislation Enforcement and Standards	
	Communicating Relevant Health and Safety Information	Element 2	Health and Safety Culture	
Element 2	Health and Safety Culture	Element 3	Individual and Organisational Health and Safety Competence	
Element 3	Individual and Organisational Health and Safety Competence	Element 4	Risk Management	
Element 4	Risk Management	Element 5	Proactive and Reactive Health and Safety Monitoring	
Element 5	Proactive and Reactive Health and Safety Monitoring	Element 6	Professional Skills and Ethics	
Element 6	Professional Skills and Ethics	Element 7	Health and Safety Policy Strategy	
Element 7	Health and Safety Policy Strategy	Element 8	Managing Contractors and	

Supply Chains

DN2 / DI2		Element 7	Asbestos
Controlling	Workplace Health Issues	Element 8	Ventilation and PPE
Element 1	Occupational Health and Safety Services	Element 9	Hazardous Substance Monitoring
Element 2	Mental III Health, Wellbeing,	Element 10	Biological Agents
	Workplace Violence, Lone	Element 11	Noise
	Working	Element 12	Vibration
Element 3	Health Surveillance	Element 13	Radiation
Element 4	Hazardous Substances	Element 14	Musculoskeletal Issues and
Element 5	Health Risks from Hazardous		Manual Handling
	Substances	Element 15	Workplace Temperatures and
Element 6	Epidemiology and Toxicology		Welfare Arrangements

DN3 / DI3

Controlling Workplace Safety Issues

Element 1 Safe Working Environment

Element 2 Confined Spaces

Element 3 Fire and Explosion

Element 4 Fire

Element 5 Dangerous Substances

Element 6 Work Equipment and Machinery

Maintenance

Element 7 Work Equipment

Element 8 Machinery

Element 9 Mobile Work Equipment and

Lifting Equipment

Element 10 Electricity

Element 11 Construction, Work at Height,

Demolition, Excavation

Element 12 Workplace Transport, Work-

Related Driving

Assessments

DN1 / DI1 - Assignment

This assessment is split into two papers:

- ➤ The first paper will present you with a health and safety management scenario, and you will be required to complete a set of improvement tasks connected to that scenario.
- ► The second paper will be based on a real workplace, so learners can elect to use their own workplace or a suitable alternative.

DN2 / DI2 - Case Study

A scenario-based case study assessment requiring you to analyse a workplace situation and apply your knowledge to identify and control health risks. You will be required to apply the knowledge you have gained throughout the course.

DN3 / DI3 - Case Study

Another scenario-based case study assessment requires you to identify and control safety risks, based on a real-world situation, in which you will need to apply the knowledge you have gained from the course.

Keep up to date with the latest assessment information

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Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of the NEBOSH Level 6 Diploma, you will be able to:

- Source, develop, evaluate and interpret relevant health and safety information, such as legislation, best practices and procedures and communicate effectively to stakeholders at all levels of an organisation.
- Promote a positive health and safety culture by influencing leaders and changing attitudes and behaviour.
- 3 Assess, develop and maintain individual and organisational health and safety competence.
- 4 Understand risk management, including the techniques for identifying hazards, the different types of risk assessment, considerations when implementing sensible and proportionate additional control measures, and developing a risk management strategy.
- 5 Develop and implement proactive and reactive health and safety monitoring systems and carry out reviews and auditing of such systems.
- 6 Continually develop your professional skills and ethics to actively influence improvements in health and safety by providing persuasive arguments to workers at all levels.
- 7 Develop a health and safety policy strategy within your organisation (including proactive safety, Corporate Social Responsibility and the change management process).
- 8 Contribute to health and safety legal actions.
- 9 Manage contractors and supply chains to ensure compliance with health and safety standards.
- 10 Advise the organisation on a range of common workplace health issues/ hazards, including how these can be assessed and controlled and the legal duties associated with these issues/ hazards.



Don't just take our word for it

"When I did my first qualification with Astutis, I had such a positive experience and I wanted to continue with you. And it's not just the fact that you offer quality training processes. It's affordable because I funded myself through many of the qualifications personally. I've built a relationship with the tutors, and it's a pleasure to keep growing with the same company. I always had a point of contact. So, if I ever needed something, asked for help, or had a question about finances or funding or anything like that, there was always somebody on hand to help."

ROBBIE CANHAM

SHEQ MANAGER, TERRA FIRMA

"I feel the course would absolutely give value to anyone who wants to get to a board level. At a director level, I think the NEBOSH Diploma gives you the ability to speak to key stakeholders about health and safety, professionalism and all the other stuff that comes with it. I've 25 seen friends who made the jump from a general manager to a director title once they've completed the course, which is incredible. I would absolutely recommend the NEBOSH Diploma to everyone."

JASON KENT

SHEQ DIRECTOR, DALKIA

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Why Astutis?

Award-Winning Training Provider

Being an Astutis learner carries significant weight. Our learners have won the **Best Overall Candidate at NEBOSH Graduation** for the last three years running. We're the choice of award winners and experts around the world. And for good reason.

Transparent Pricing with No Hidden Costs



All our courses are completely transparent about pricing, which means there are **no hidden costs or fees.** You can rest easy and focus on your training, knowing there will be no unwelcome charges further down the line. Your NEBOSH registration, all exam fees, comprehensive learning materials, and full access to tutor support are all covered.

Feefo Platinum Award



By choosing us for your NEBOSH National General Certificate, you will receive an unmatched level of customer service and care, recognised with the **Feefo Platinum Trusted Service Award every year since 2023**, awarded only to businesses that consistently achieve an exceptional standard of customer service year after year.

Feefo is one of the world's leading independent review platforms, collecting genuine feedback from verified customers.

High Pass Rates



We have an **82% NEBOSH Certificate first-time pass rate** - which is far higher than the national average, and a demonstration of our course's efficacy.

Flexible Payment Options



Eligible customers can choose to pay in 30 days or split their payments into three monthly instalments via Klarna, helping them spread the cost over time while accessing courses straight away.

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