

Legionella – Risk Assessment & Control of Hot & Cold-Water Systems (L8)

This course details the causes, health effects and the control measures required to prevent Legionnaire's Disease. The course also covers the risks associated with hot and cold-water systems and how to manage those risks in accordance with the requirements of ACOP L8.

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| Duration: | 1 Day |
| Course Space: | 8 Trainees |
| Method of Delivery: | Trainer Led |
| Who is this for? | Those with a good working knowledge of hot and cold-water systems |

Course Objectives:

- State the main legislative & guidance documents relative to the control of Legionnaire's Disease
- Basic properties of water
- What is meant by the term Legionnaire's Disease and Legionella bacteria
- Sources of bacteria
- Controlling the risk of Legionella
- Carry out risk assessment of a hot and cold-water system in a building & make recommendations to rectify problems
- Carry out cleaning and disinfection of systems
- What the bacteria is and how it is transmitted

Technical Information

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Pre-requisite Qualifications: There are no pre-requisites for this qualification, although the course is aimed at engineers with a good working knowledge of hot and cold-water systems.

Assessment Type: Multi Choice question papers and practical assessment's