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Level 6 Qualification



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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, self-paced digital learning.



Individual Units

Purchase units individually and complete at your own pace.



Virtual

Live, interactive online training with a tutor.



OnlinePlus

Digital learning with the tutor-led virtual sessions.



Distance

Self-paced digital textbook learning with revision webinars.

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

- ▶ **Lower Accident Rates:** Organisations employing NEBOSH 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.

Course Syllabus and Assessments

National modules: DN1, DN2, and DN3

International modules: DI1, DI2 and DI3.

DN1

Workplace Health and Safety Principles

- Element 1** Sourcing, Evaluating, Interpreting and Communicating Relevant Health and Safety Information
- Element 2** Health and Safety Culture
- Element 3** Individual and Organisational Health and Safety Competence
- Element 4** Risk Management
- Element 5** Proactive and Reactive Health and Safety Monitoring
- Element 6** Professional Skills and Ethics
- Element 7** Health and Safety Policy Strategy
- Element 8** Health and Safety Practitioners' Contribution to Legal Actions
- Element 9** Managing Contractors and Supply Chains

DI1

Workplace Health and Safety Principles

- Element 1** Legislation Enforcement and Standards
- Element 2** Health and Safety Culture
- Element 3** Individual and Organisational Health and Safety Competence
- Element 4** Risk Management
- Element 5** Proactive and Reactive Health and Safety Monitoring
- Element 6** Professional Skills and Ethics
- Element 7** Health and Safety Policy Strategy
- Element 8** Managing Contractors and Supply Chains

DN2 / DI2

Controlling Workplace Health Issues

- Element 1** Occupational Health and Safety Services
- Element 2** Mental Ill Health, Wellbeing, Workplace Violence, Lone Working
- Element 3** Health Surveillance
- Element 4** Hazardous Substances
- Element 5** Health Risks from Hazardous Substances
- Element 6** Epidemiology and Toxicology

- Element 7** Asbestos
- Element 8** Ventilation and PPE
- Element 9** Hazardous Substance Monitoring
- Element 10** Biological Agents
- Element 11** Noise
- Element 12** Vibration
- Element 13** Radiation
- Element 14** Musculoskeletal Issues and Manual Handling
- Element 15** Workplace Temperatures and 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

Click here to visit our Exam Hub »

Learning Outcomes

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

- 1** 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.
- 2** 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 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.



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