

The Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order requires that locations with five or more employees on shift must have a designated and trained Fire Marshal.

This course provides nominated Fire Marshals with the knowledge required to carry out their duties and to contribute to the organisation's prevention of fire measures.

# Module 1: The Law and Science

This module covers both fire safety law and the conditions required for a fire to begin.

- Regulatory Reform Fire Safety Order
- The fire triangle
- Fire prevention, discovery and spread

## Module 2: The Risk of Fires

Fires spread quickly, and understanding how they start is crucial for safe extinguishment.

- Types of fire extinguishers
- Fire classifications
- Putting out fires
- Smoke inhalation and damage
- Heat damage

#### **Module 3: Fire Controls**

Many factors contribute to making a premise safe from fire, so it's essential to understand how to reduce the risk.

- Fire controls
- Good Housekeeping
- Extinguisher and fire exit inspections
- TAB

## **Module 4: Accountability and Training**

Business and site managers are responsible for recognising fire hazards and ensuring appropriate controls are in place.

- The chain of accountability
- The provision of information
- Training provision

## Module 5: Minimising the Risk of Fire

Fires spread rapidly, and removing potential fuel sources is key to containment.

- Minimising sources of ignition
- Reducing oxygen
- Arson

## Module 6: Fire regulations

Fire Safety Regulations 2022 require improvements to fire safety since the Grenfell Tower fire.

- · Continuous record-keeping
- Enforcement Authorities
- Residential properties

# **Module 7: Fire Inspections**

Fire inspections ensure safety, prevent potential hazards, and safeguard lives and property.

- The law and associated offences
- Implications of non-compliance
- The burden of proof
- Fire inspections

#### Module 8: Risk Assessments

A fire risk assessment must be conducted if a work area has five or more employees.

- Five steps to fire risk assessments
- Fire hazards
- Identifying ignition hazards

#### Module 9: Tasks

Fire marshals play a crucial role in ensuring workplace safety by enforcing compliance with fire safety regulations.

- Tasks of a Fire Marshall
- Human Behaviours
- Assembly points

#### Suitable for:

Designated Fire Marshals or wardens and Health and Safety advisors.

#### Skills achieved:

- Fire Marshal (Expert)
- Fire Safety (Intermediate)
- Health and Safety (Intermediate)

#### **Related Resources:**

- Accident Management System Assessment
- Fire Safety Site Use Risk Assessment
- Hazard Vulnerability Risk Assessment
- Elevator Safety Audit
- Fire Safety Door Audit
- Risk Management Audit
- Fire Extinguisher Checklist
- Fire Safety Checklist

## **Benefits:**

The Delegate will receive a Total Quality Assured (TQA) certificate of achievement upon successful completion.

## **Estimated Time:**

100 minutes

#### **Related Courses:**

- Fire Safety for Managers
- Fire Safety for Team Members
- Fire Door Safety
- Fire Safety Fire Marshals Irish Law
- Fire Safety for Managers Irish Law
- Fire Safety for Team Members Irish Law

