

Course Overview

A61 Appointed Person

Number of Candidates: 4 - 8

Course Duration: 5 days

Course Outcome: CPCS Red Card

Introduction

This course is designed for managers and supervisors with a responsibility for lifting operations and who have sufficient experience specified in British Standard 7121 Safe Use of Cranes.

Aims & Objectives

The course aims to ensure candidates are aware of the Appointed Person's responsibilities and how best to fulfil them. On completion of the course candidates will have sufficient knowledge and information to safely plan lifting operations for mobile cranes on a busy construction site. Candidates will be advised of the necessary managerial and practical considerations in planning lifting operations and will be given the opportunity to put this information into practice during lift planning exercise in the training room

Course Delivery

This course is delivered using classroom-based tutorials with a high proportion of hand-on demonstrations and practical exercises.

Location

All course take place at ITS PLANT TECH

Certification

Successful candidates will achieve a Red CPCS Trained Operator Card valid for two years. During this two-year period candidates will need to achieve a L4 NVQ Diploma in Controlling Lifting Operations – Supervising Lifts. This will enable delegates to upgrade their red card to a blue CPCS competent card.

Candidate Eligibility/Entry Requirements

Candidates must have sufficient experience of cranes to meet the requirements as laid out in the British Standards 7121 Safe Use of Cranes. Candidates must have a passed the CSCS Managers H&S test touch screen within two years of taking the CPCS technical test. It is important that all candidates have a good understanding of spoken and written English

Additional Information



COURSE PROGRAMME

The CPCS Appointed Person – Lifting Operations course covers the following:

- Safe systems of work including method statements
- Current legislation, regulations and codes of practice
- The role and responsibilities of the appointed person
- An appreciation of crane specifications
- Crane documentation, stability, duty charts and safety devices
- Crane awareness
- Explanation of British Standard 7121
- Lift Planning

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Candidates should bring Photo ID

