



International Award in **Infection Prevention & Control in the Workplace** Level 2

Recommended Entry:
None

Course Duration:
6 Hours



Course Overview:

This qualification is aimed at anyone needing to develop the underpinning knowledge of how to prevent and control the spread of infection in their workplace; housekeeping and other workplace such as an office or a factory or home environment.



Learning Outcome:

1. Understand the common infections and the chain of infection
2. Understand the importance of correct hand washing procedures for infection prevention and control
3. Understand the principles of personal protective equipment (PPE) used in infection prevention & control
4. Understand the decontamination process
5. Understand waste management procedures and the associated risks
6. Understand the roles and responsibilities in preventing infection



Content outline:

- ▶ the common health care associated infections
- ▶ the chain of infection
- ▶ the importance of correct handwashing procedures
- ▶ the use of personal protective equipment
- ▶ the decontamination processes (cleaning and disinfection)
- ▶ waste management and associated risks
- ▶ management and staff