

Snag your White Card today and start "building" your way onto construction sites tomorrow!

# CPCWHS1001 Prepare to Work Safely in the Construction Industry - (White Card)

## COURSE OVERVIEW

This course teaches you how to work safely on construction sites by focusing on Workplace Health and Safety (WHS) outcomes. It's designed for anyone, from any industry, who needs to access construction sites.

Without successfully finishing this nationwide training program and obtaining the Construction Induction Card, your ability to work on or enter construction sites will be significantly limited. This course is applicable to construction and trade professionals, civil construction workers, delivery drivers, site security personnel, and individuals aspiring to begin a career in the construction industry.

This course holds full national accreditation and recognition, resulting in the award of a Statement of Attainment for the national competency unit, CPCWHS1001 Prepare to work safely in the construction industry.

## COURSE ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- You must be at least 14 years of age. If under 18, a parent or guardian must sign your enrolment form to accept responsibility.
- Before finalizing your enrolment, you'll need to successfully complete an online assessment to evaluate your Language, Literacy, and Numeracy skills.
- You will be undertaking this course using ZOOM. ZOOM is a communications platform that allows users to connect with video, audio, phone, and chat. Using Zoom requires an internet connection and a supported device. ONLY Laptop / Desktop / Tablet devices can be used whilst undertaking this course.  
**Mobile Phones will NOT be an accepted device as a means of undertaking this course.**
- You will need to download ZOOM on your nominated device (Laptop / Desktop / Tablet). Use the following link to download ZOOM. <https://zoom.us/download>

- To participate in the training, presenting 100 points of identification (ID) is necessary. If you're uncertain about the ID prerequisites, our staff can provide you with a NSW Safe Work Evidence of Identity Sheet. The original ID documents must be physically verified before you start the program. However, there are exceptions for secondary school students, Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islanders, and individuals who have entered the country within the last 6 weeks.
- The following Personal Protective Equipment (PPEs) are REQUIRED during the webinar to successfully complete this course.

**Note: You will need to purchase these PPE items. Your trainer will check that you have these items prior to you commencing the webinar. You will not be allowed to partake in the webinar if you fail to have these items.**



A Hard Hat



High Visibility Vest  
(night & day – so it has reflective strips)



Hearing Protection  
(muffs or earplugs – can be disposable)



Eye Protection  
(safety goggles)

- This course is subject to State and Territory licensing regulations. In New South Wales (NSW), General Induction Training (GIT) cards distributed after January 1, 2012, hold recognition nationwide. SafeWork NSW acknowledges all out-of-state GIT cards, as long as they remain valid and unexpired, without suspension or cancellation. Should you possess an Interstate GIT card, there's no obligation to undergo GIT training within NSW.

## DURATION AND STRUCTURE

This course is carried out through an online classroom setup and is conducted in person, spanning a single day. Your participation will involve attending the online face-to-face session for a minimum of 7 hours, scheduled from 9:00 AM to 4:00 PM.

During the course, you'll collaborate in small groups as well as work individually. To demonstrate competency, you'll undertake a range of assessments. These assessments encompass short-answer and multiple-choice questions, oral questioning, and observation.

## POTENTIAL JOB ROLES

- Site Security Officer
- Site Traffic Control Officer
- Capability to access and work on construction sites across the country
- Capability to deliver goods and services to construction sites
- Capability to access both residential and commercial sites for inspections, client accompaniment, and buyer interactions

## COURSE UNIT

This course constitutes a single Unit of Competency, CPCWHS1001 Prepare to Work Safely in the Construction Industry, and upon completion, you will be awarded a nationally accredited Statement of Attainment. The course focuses on educating you about the primary risks and potential hazards associated with construction work, as well as strategies to mitigate these risks effectively.

The course encompasses the following topics:

- Legislative requirements for Workplace Health and Safety (WHS)
- Duty of Care
- Person Conducting a Business or Undertaking (PCBU)
- Safe Work Practices
- Identification of common construction hazards
- Hazard identification techniques
- Application of hazard control measures and the "hierarchy of controls"
- Understanding safety signs and symbols
- Recognizing designated safety positions on construction sites
- Emergency response procedures
- Overview of basic first aid principles
- Fire safety and responding to fire emergencies
- Reporting incidents
- Proper usage of Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)
- Roles of Health and Safety Representatives
- Roles of Work Health and Safety Committees

## COURSE FEES

# \$140

The cost covers the issuance of the SafeWork NSW Statement of Training for General Induction, which you will receive upon successfully completing the training day and being deemed competent. Additionally, it includes the competency card, dispatched by SafeWork NSW within 30 days. The Statement of Training remains valid for 60 days, allowing you to begin work on-site before the card arrives.

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