

Authorised Person Confined Space Training (HXT-APCS)

This course is designed to meet the essential requirements for 'controlling the entry and work' in confined spaces, required by the Confined Spaces Regulations 1997 and the MOD Safety Rules and Procedures contained within JSP 375 Volume 3 Chapter 6.

Is this the right course for you?

- Suitably qualified personnel who have been nominated for appointment as an Authorised Person confined spaces.

Anticipated benefits of attending (for the learner)

- To provide Learners with the practical skills and the required level of understanding of the MOD Safe Working Procedures associated with entering and working in confined spaces.

Anticipated benefits of attending (for the employer)

- To be able to comply with safe working practices in the MOD.

What you will learn.

- Understanding the legislation applying to confined spaces working.
- Applying the JSP375 V2 Chapter 6
- Undertaking the risk assessments of confined spaces work.
- Working with permits to work.
- Developing safe systems of work and safe methods of work.
- Selecting, installing and maintaining control measures.
- Understanding the mechanisms of atmosphere testing and monitoring.
- Developing, installing and maintaining emergency plans and procedures,
- Maintaining records and documents for confined spaces working for entries, which have been, risk assessed and classified under JSP375.

What certification will you achieve?

- Successful candidates will achieve a certificate in Authorised Person Confined Spaces Training. The certificate should be refreshed every 3 years.

How is this course delivered?

- Learning will come in a classroom environment in the form of trainer explanation, group discussions, videos, practical classroom exercises and will be broken up with breakout sessions. Practical within a simulated confined space trailer unit. Assessment of learning will be a multiple choice delivered by paper.
- During the course learners will be assessed by both written and practical exercises.

Do you need to bring anything with you?

- As the course has external practical elements, delegates are advised to bring outdoor protective clothing.
- There are practical exercises involving the use of breathing apparatus, delegates working on MOD estates are advised of the need to provide evidence that they meet the level of medical fitness required by the MOD safety rules covering confined spaces.

Delegates undertaking this course might also consider:

- [HXT-CS01](#)
City & Guilds Accredited Confined Space Training Low – Medium Risk
- [HXT-CS02](#)
City & Guilds Accredited Confined Space Training Medium – High Risk

Duration

This is a 5-day event commencing at 10:00am Monday, ending at the latest 1:00pm Friday, with a 30-minute Lunch break each day.