# **Introduction to Personal Safety for Lone Workers**

**IIRSM Approved** 

### **Course Description**

Every day, thousands of people are exposed to situations where they are left alone in work premises, when visiting members of the public during their working day, or working from home.

There are many risks associated with working in isolation, without the support of colleagues. These risks can include accidents and violence.

This course acts as an introduction to personal safety for lone workers and applies to those that work alone within business premises, mobile workers and homeworkers.

It covers the legal responsibilities of both employers and employees, some of the common security precautions that can be implemented, practical steps you can take to avoid conflict in lone worker situations and other elements that can contribute to lone worker safety.

#### **Target Audience**

This course is aimed at anyone who works alone or manages people that work alone.

#### **Advantages**

IIRSM approval means that this course meets the rigorous standards of this leading industry body.

Online training is flexible, efficient and cost-effective, so candidates can progress through the modules at their own pace, in their own time, making it easy to fit the training around their work and personal life.

#### **Further Progression**

Courses that would complement this one would be:

Display Screen Equipment for anyone who works from home.

Conflict Resolution for anyone who may find themselves in a conflict situation or that has to work with difficult people as part of their job.

Sales Skills for those people working in a sales role.

Course	Module	Module Name	Pass %
	Number		Required
Introduction to Personal	1	Lone Worker Personal Safety: The Basics	70
Safety for Lone Workers			
Introduction to Personal	2	The Law: Responsibilities	70
Safety for Lone Workers			
Introduction to Personal	3	Assessing the Risks	70
Safety for Lone Workers			
Introduction to Personal	4	Personal Safety Solutions	70
Safety for Lone Workers			
Introduction to Personal	5	Practical Tips to Avoid Conflict	70
Safety for Lone Workers			
Introduction to Personal	6	Reporting and Recording Incidents	70
Safety for Lone Workers			

## **Recommended System Requirements**

Browser: Up to date web browserVideo: Up to date video drivers

• Memory: 1Gb+ RAM

• Download Speed: Broadband (3Mb+)

**Duration:** 45 minutes (*Note: This is based on the amount of video content shown and is rounded off. It does not account in any way for loading time or thinking time on the questions*).