



Unit FC1

NEBOSH NATIONAL CERTIFICATE IN FIRE SAFETY AND RISK MANAGEMENT UNIT FC1

Introduction

This Supplement has been prepared to update your study material for Unit FC1 of the NEBOSH Fire Certificate. You should read it in conjunction with your existing course material.

Element 6: Fire Safety Risk Assessment

Principles and Practice of Fire Safety Risk Assessments

Fire Safety Risk Assessments

In this subsection, please delete the existing graphic and caption (The Five Steps of Risk Assessment) and substitute the following new graphic and caption:

Fire safety risk assessment	
1	Identify fire hazards Identify: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• sources of ignition;• sources of fuel; and• sources of oxygen.
2	Identify people at risk Identify: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• people in and around the premises; and• people who are especially at risk.
3	Evaluate, remove or reduce, and protect from risk <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Evaluate the risk of a fire starting.• Evaluate the risk to people from a fire.• Remove or reduce fire hazards.• Remove or reduce the risks to people from a fire.• Protect people by providing fire precautions.
4	Record, plan, inform, instruct, and train <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Record any major findings and action you have taken.• Discuss and work with other responsible people.• Prepare an emergency plan.• Inform and instruct relevant people.• Provide training.
5	Review <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Review your fire-risk assessment regularly.• Make changes where necessary.
Remember to review your fire-risk assessment regularly.	

The Five Steps of Fire Safety Risk Assessment

Source: Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005: A short guide to making your premises safe from fire, Department for Communities and

Local Government (https://www.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/14879/making-your-premises-safe-short-guide.pdf)



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Sources of Information

After the 3rd bullet point in this subsection (which ends “range of guides that is available.”), please insert the following new bullet point:

- “PAS 79:2012 *Fire Risk Assessment - Guidance and a recommended methodology* from the British Standards Institution provides a structured approach to fire risk assessment.”

Suggested Answers to Revision Questions

Element 1: Managing Fire Safety

Question 14

Please amend the last bullet point in this answer to read:

“**Over-7-day injuries** must be reported within 15 days of the accident.”