

Laboratory Health and Safety Training

A training course for those working in, or interested in, biological containment laboratories or supervisory and laboratory management roles. This course is provided in partnership with Newcastle University.

Who is the course for?

This one-day event will be of particular interest to practitioners working in biological containment laboratories, and also for those keen to acquire skills that are relevant for career progression to supervisory and laboratory management roles.

What does the course cover?

The morning session will address the essentials of risk assessment, focusing in particular on the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health (COSHH) Regulations, and will also include aspects of spills management in laboratories. The afternoon session will focus on two further aspects of health and safety management: accident investigation, and audits and safety inspections.

Who is the course trainer?

The trainer, Lindsay Murray, is a graduate microbiologist, Chartered Scientist, Chartered Biologist and Fellow of the Royal Society of Biology, with more than thirty years of practical experience in clinical and teaching laboratories. He is currently a health & safety manager at The University of Edinburgh's College of Medicine & Veterinary Medicine, and has obtained numerous qualifications in occupational health and safety.

Certification and Continuing Professional Development (CPD)

A certificate of attendance will be provided after the event.

We evaluate all of our training events, to make sure that we maintain a high quality of training.

This event has been approved by the Royal Society of Biology for purposes of [CPD](#) and can be counted as 18 CPD points.

Quotes from previous attendees

Very good! Great presentations and important information and advice on an important topic. I do feel more equipped to improve lab safety on my work now.

Very informative for all levels of H&S knowledge.

Excellent trainer. Made a subject that can be quite 'dry' very interesting.

Excellent content delivered very well. Trainer very knowledgeable.