



ESSENTIALS OF HEALTH & SAFETY MANAGEMENT

Tuesday 6th December 2022

Time allowed

Three hours

Instructions

- Ensure that you pay particular attention to words in **bold**.
- Write the question number next to each answer in your answer booklet.
- You are **not** required to rewrite the question in your answer booklet.

Information

- Different questions may carry a different number of marks.
- Marks for each question are shown in [].

Advice

- Read each question carefully before you start to answer it.
- Use the full time permitted and check all your answers.

Materials

- Notes or books are **not** permitted.
- Non-programmable calculators are permitted.



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ANSWER ANY FIVE QUESTIONS FROM THE FOLLOWING EIGHT QUESTIONS

1. (a) Explain the purpose of health and safety inspections. [4 marks]
(b) State six types of health and safety inspection. [6 marks]
(c) Discuss the techniques and skills used during workplace health and safety inspections. [10 marks]
2. (a) Explain what is meant by the following terms in the health and safety context:
 - Risk
 - Residual risk
 - Near miss [4 marks]
(b) Design a quantitative risk assessment for a workplace environment of your choice. [16 marks]
3. Training staff at induction level sets the standard for health and safety in the workplace.
(a) Describe the contents of typical health and safety induction training programmes. [15 marks]
(b) Some workers will also require job specific training.
State five topics covered within job specific health and safety training. [5 marks]
4. Outline ten hazards associated with working as a builder on a large construction site, using examples of each to support your answer. [20 marks]
5. Explain the ways in which an organisation can gather feedback from its workforce, using examples to support your explanation. [20 marks]
6. Describe the purpose and importance of a Health and Safety Policy. Use examples to support your description. [20 marks]
7. (a) Describe the function of a safety committee as part of workforce consultation. [10 marks]
(b) Describe the training, facilities and assistance employers must provide to safety committees. [10 marks]
8. Suggest the contents of a health and safety policy for plant and substances, including reasons for your suggestions. [20 marks]

END OF QUESTIONS