

# Legionella

## Highfield Level 3 Award in Legionella Control for Responsible Persons (RQF)

This qualification provides learners with the knowledge and understanding in the effects of legionella bacteria on the body and the impact an outbreak of Legionnaires' disease would have on a working site, how to identify and control the risks associated with legionella bacteria and how legislation and codes of practice can support its control. It is also designed to enforce the importance of the Responsible Person in respect of ensuring competence of all operatives on the site.

The objective of the qualification is to support those either in the role of or aspiring to be in the role of Responsible Person relating specifically to control of legionella on a site.

### **How long will it take me to achieve this qualification?**

The total qualification time (TQT) and guided learning hours (GLH) for this qualification are 8 hours.

TQT is an estimate of the total number of hours it would take an average learner to achieve and demonstrate the necessary level of attainment to be awarded with a qualification, both under direct supervision (forming guided learning hours) and without supervision (all other time). TQT and GLH values are advisory and assigned to a qualification as guidance.

### **How is the qualification assessed?**

This qualification is assessed by learner workbook. This assessment model requires learners to provide a short response to prescribed questions within a workbook set by Highfield. Successful learners will have to demonstrate knowledge and understanding across the breadth of the qualification syllabus.

### **What next?**

Learners successfully completing this qualification may wish to progress onto further qualifications such as:

- Highfield Level 3 Award in Health and Safety in the Workplace (RQF)

### **Where can this course be taken?**

Through any Highfield approved training centre.