



QA Level 2 Award in

Safe Moving and Handling (QCF)



1 day
course



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Refresher training
recommended every 3 years

**This qualification contains both
theoretical and practical elements.*

Be Prepared!

Did you know that incorrect manual handling causes over a third of all workplace injuries?

The law states that employers have a legal responsibility to provide adequate training for those who perform manual handling tasks in their day to day role.

The **QA Level 2 Award in Safe Moving and Handling (QCF)** is a regulated and nationally recognised qualification designed for those who work, or intend to work, in a role that involves manual handling. It is the perfect course for those working in a variety of environments including warehouses and shops.

Successful candidates will learn the key principles of manual handling and how to apply these to their workplace. They will also practise a wide range of techniques, ensuring that they leave the course confident and proficient in moving and handling.

What's Covered?

- Ⓜ Common manual handling injuries
- Ⓜ Manual handling laws
- Ⓜ Responsibilities of employers and employees
- Ⓜ Risk assessments
- Ⓜ Safe movement principles associated with manual handling, including the body's:
 - Musculoskeletal system
 - Centre of gravity
 - Lever system
- Ⓜ Manual handling equipment:
 - Types of manual handling aids and equipment
 - Maintenance and requirements for testing
- Ⓜ Manual handling practical sessions:
 - Preparing for a lift
 - Solo lifting, carrying and lowering an object
 - Team manual handling
 - Using equipment

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