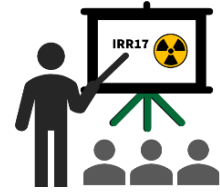


Radiation Safety Training Courses

The UK's Ionising Radiations Regulations 2017 (IRR17) require that employers ensure suitable training is provided to employees who work with ionising radiation.



All employees working with radiation require suitable information and training to create awareness of:

- The risks to health created by exposure to ionising radiation
- Precautions necessary under normal circumstances and in the event of an accident
- Importance of complying with the regulations

Furthermore, appropriate information must be provided to anyone who may be affected by an employer's work with ionising radiation.

Employers' Responsibilities

The UK Health & Safety Executive (HSE) enforce IRR17, which applies to employers working with ionising radiation. Under Regulation 15, employers have an obligation to ensure that their employees receive training that is adequate and appropriate to the nature of their work with ionising radiation. This training must be refreshed at suitable intervals.

When an employer must appoint a Radiation Protection Supervisor (RPS), they must ensure that the RPS receives specific training to be able to carry out this role. At Amentum, we recommend RPS training is refreshed every three years, to ensure compliance with the regulations and ensure RPS' knowledge and awareness of the radiation protection aspects of their work with ionising radiation is kept up to date.

Our Services

Amentum has a Corporate RPA Body [accredited by the HSE](#) and able to offer expert radiation protection advice to UK companies. Amentum will help you to fulfil your legal responsibility to provide suitable information and training to your employees by offering bespoke courses to suit your needs.

The radiation safety training products we offer include:

- **Radiation Protection Supervisor Training** – A course designed to ensure regulatory compliance with Regulation 15 of IRR17 and provide RPSs with the confidence to carry out their role effectively. This course fulfils the syllabus outlined in the HSE information sheet [No. 6- Radiation Protection Supervisors](#)
- **Radiation Awareness Training** – Intended to cover basic knowledge of radiation hazards and provide a general overview of aspects of radiation protection, including the regulatory framework. This is aimed at people working with or in the vicinity of ionising radiation
- **Toolbox talk packs** – Our slide packs are designed to be used by RPSs for provision of in-house training and are specific to the individual clients' requirements

Our courses are interactive and can be delivered at your client site, our facilities in Birchwood Park, Warrington, Cheshire or virtually over Microsoft Teams where appropriate. Attendees are supplied with

certificates of completion and course notes following all our courses.

We are committed to delivery of high-quality services, and can tailor and adapt our products to suit your specific needs and requirements.

Our Experience

The Radiation Protection team at Amentum is highly experienced in applied health physics, radiation protection and management of radioactive substances, including wastes. Our team of experts work across the nuclear and non-nuclear sectors, such as food and drinks manufacturing, and have in-depth practical knowledge of the many different uses of radiation and radioactive materials.

We have extensive experience assessing the requirements of our customers and delivering radiation safety training to a wide variety of clients. Our proven capability in developing robust courses to suit our clients' needs include:

- Development of engaging training courses to suit a range of abilities and technical expertise
- Additional training to support a client in compliance with requirements associated with the use of High Activity Sealed Sources (HASS)
- Use of radiation safety training simulators to support our training courses and demonstrate good monitoring practices



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