

## FIRE EXTINGUISHER & AWARENESS CERTIFICATE

***Hands-on extinguisher training for the workforce.  
 In-house course for up to 15 employees per session.***

*“Very concise, raised my awareness to a higher level. A worthwhile course.”*

*Angela Tompson  
 Servite Houses*

*“Excellent course, trainer made the subject interesting and easy to understand.”*

*Lynne Vickers  
 Powys CC*

*“Very informative, with just the right amount of shock value to underline the importance of fire safety.”*

*Adrian Valesco  
 Chartwells at  
 Haileybury School*

*“Vulcan has had a significant impact in providing fire safety management training for delegates from industry, commerce and other organisations. Vulcan has an impressive balanced fire training portfolio and the IFSM were pleased to grant ‘Approved Centre’ status to them.”*

*Stuart Cocking Accreditation  
 Secretary of the Institute of  
 Fire Safety Managers*



### INTRODUCTION

The Regulatory Reform (Fire Safety) Order 2005, or Fire (Scotland) Act 2005 give the responsible person a duty of care to ensure the fire safety of their staff. This duty of care includes the appointment of nominated staff with fire safety responsibilities and other staff should receive adequate information, instruction and training on a regular basis. This should be provided by a competent person and be pertinent to the fire risks present in the workplace and includes the use of fire extinguishers by staff.

### ABOUT THE COURSE

90 minute sessions involves part theory (1hr) and part practical (½hr) using water and CO<sub>2</sub> extinguishers to extinguish fires on our Simulator, which requires an area equal to 3 car parking spaces. Maximum 4 sessions per day.

An extremely practical course using a fire simulator that is:

- environmentally friendly
- safe to use
- realistic in use

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND

Workforce and nominated staff with fire fighting responsibilities.

### WHAT WILL STAFF BE ABLE TO DO AFTER THE COURSE

On completion of this course, delegates will be able to:

- Carry out company fire procedures safely
- Assess what size fire they can safely deal with using appropriate fire equipment

### COURSE CONTENT

- Overview of training requirement of current fire safety legislation
- How fire develops and spreads
- Assessment on size of fire which staff can handle with equipment provided
- Fire phenomenon such as backdrafts
- Use of the RACE formula for safe incident control
- Location and, when appropriate, the use of fire fighting equipment
- Isolating power supplies to machines and processes
- Practical fire fighting safety rules
- Using the PASS formula for safe use of extinguishers
- Practical use of extinguishers on fire simulator