



# Legionella

# **Highfield Level 2 Award in** Legionella Awareness (RQF)

This qualification provides learners with the knowledge and understanding of the health effects of Legionnaires' disease, the control measures that should be in place to prevent it as well as the consequences for not complying with relevant legislation and codes of practice. In addition, this qualification contains specialist units:

- Pathway 1 Cooling towers and evaporative condensers
- Pathway 2 Hot and cold water systems

The objective of the qualification is to support a role in the workplace and is for learners who work in environments where legionella growth is a risk. It aims to raise awareness in order to prevent waterborne disease caused by legionella bacteria.

### 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 Legionella Control for Responsible Persons (RQF)

## Where can this course be taken?

Through any Highfield approved training centre.

Qualification Number: 601/2972/4 Credit Value: 1

