



Senior Management Briefings

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Background

The culture of an organisation is set by its top management and this applies equally to the health and safety culture as to any other aspect of the business. Government guidelines recommend that there should be a board level champion for health and safety, whose responsibilities should ensure that the business is kept up-to-date with changes in legislation and good practice.

With the recent introduction of corporate manslaughter legislation, this has become even more critical for the organisation. In addition, the Health and Safety at Work Act (1974) has provision for directors and managers to be held personally liable should an employee be harmed through their 'consent, connivance or neglect'.

At Cardinus we are aware of the time and effort required to keep up-to-date so it is the aim of these briefings to provide a forum whereby our specialists can ensure that your senior managers have the information necessary to meet their own and the organisation's duties.

OBJECTIVES

On completion of this course you will be able to:

- Understand the duties directly imposed by legislation on the organisation and yourselves.
- Understand your role in helping the organisation meet its legal duties.
- Play a practical role in reducing injuries, ill-health and damage to the environment.
- Act as a key component in Environment, Health and Safety (EHS) communication.

TOPICS COVERED

These will vary depending on which issues are current but can include:

- EHS legislation update.
- Corporate manslaughter.
- Civil law aspects.
- EHS management systems.
- Employee involvement and motivation.
- Communicating the EHS message.

DURATION

This is a half day briefing.

COST

Please call Cardinus for more details.

