Risk Assessment of Manual Handling Operations

Overview
A Safety Advisor-led workshop involving group activity and discussion, to build on the principles of risk assessment equipping participants with the skills to sensibly control manual handling risk in their place of work.

Aim
To build on the basic principles of risk assessment to enable the participants to apply the risk assessment process to manual handling in the general workplace.

Information
- Identifying the risks associated with manual handling so as to prevent injury to the spine and other injuries associated with lifting operations
- Identifying the manual handling operations that require risk assessment
- Identifying the hazards associated with manual handling
- Assessing the risk
- Carrying out a risk assessment and planning activities to control the risk

No physical lifting is involved in this course, if you require this training, please see our other course called “Manual Handling and Lifting”.

For
Staff with safety responsibilities for work areas where there are handling and lifting activities;
Staff who supervise or give advice on lifting and handling operation;
Staff responsible for conducting risk assessments of manual handling and lifting activities at the workplace.

Pre-Requisite
Participants must first complete the ‘Principles of Risk Assessment’ module that is delivered via UCL Moodle before attending the course.

A record of training will be verified only when both the ‘Principles of Risk Assessment’ module and attendance on the course are completed.

How to book
To book a place please visit the Single Training Booking System

Course Duration
Half day course, 09.30 – 12.30

Cost
Free to UCL staff and UCL Postgraduate students.
A ‘no show’ fee of £50 will be charged to your department if you fail to attend when booked on the course event.

Further Information
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