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Are you required to Upgrade Your Training & Assessment Qualifications from BSZ40198?

AITP have scheduled a 3 day Upgrade Course which delivers a program to cover the gaps between what BSZ40198 qualification covered and what is required for the complete Certificate IV in Training & Assessment

Dates: 16, 17 & 23 September

Email training@aitp.com.au for Course Information and Registration Forms



... the latest news at AITP

Dave Wheeldon has been appointed as our new Principal Consultant, Safety & Training

Dave has a wealth of experience in Occupational Health and Safety with a strong focus on emergency response management. Dave has operated in various OHS related management positions in mining and related industries in Australia and Overseas



Melissa McCann is returning to work at AITP 4 days per week (not Tuesdays) after being on Maternity Leave

Cold storage giant fined \$60,000 for forklift failings

WorkSafe Victoria has renewed its call for workplaces to separate people and forklifts, following the prosecution of a national cold storage company after a worker was hit by a forklift. The March 2008 incident occurred at Swire Cold Storage's Clayton - based warehouse, when a forklift was driven into the path of a worker operating a pallet mover.

The worker was struck in the left leg by the slip sheet attachment on the forklift, suffering breaks to both bones in his lower left leg above the ankle, and an open wound.

The Moorabbin Magistrates Court convicted Swire Cold Storage Pty Ltd - part of the global Swire Group which includes Cathay Pacific and Swire Pacific - on two charges under the Occupational Health and Safety Act 2004 last week. The company was fined a total of \$60,000.

"The inspector who attended the scene noticed straight away that although there were marked walkways for pedestrians, they weren't being used," WorkSafe's Manufacturing and Logistics Director Ross Pilkington said. "Forklifts and other mobile plant were actually being driven through the Walkways-putting workers and others at risk of serious injury, or even death."

ASBESTOS EXPOSURE SURVEY

Safe Work Australia commissioned the Asbestos Exposure and Compliance Study of Construction and Maintenance Workers. The study targeted four trades: electricians, carpenters, plumbers and painters.

The study was completed in 2009 and a descriptive research report was published in February 2010. There is now a follow up report of the initial descriptive report from the Asbestos Exposure and Compliance Study (the Asbestos Study). The aims of this report are:

- To conduct a brief literature review of worker safety behaviour models to provide background information on factors influencing worker safety behaviours
- To examine which factors influenced workers' understanding of the risk of asbestos, and
- To examine which factors influenced compliance with safe work practices when working with Asbestos containing materials (ACMs)



Drop us a line if you want us to email you a copy of the Follow-up Report - natalie@aitp.com.au
FYI - the document is 1.24Mb

CONGRATULATIONS

Warren Cartledge

for your successful completion of the
Diploma of Occupational Health & Safety
Qualification



Course Dates for 2010

Latest Course Calendar attached

Certificate IV in Assessment & Training (TAA40104) UPGRADE FROM BSZ40198

- Upgrade 3 days 16, 17 & 23 September

Certificate IV in Assessment & Training (TAA40104)

- Module 1 3 days 13,14,15 September
- Module 2 3 days 13,14,15 October
- Module 3 4 days 22,23,24,25 November

Certificate IV in Occupational Health & Safety (BSB41407)

- Module 1 3 days 6,7,8 September; 1,2,3 November
- Module 2 4 days 9,10,11,12 August; 18,19,20,21 October; 29,30 November & 1,2 December

Diploma of Occupational Health & Safety (BSB51307)

- Module 1 4 days 16,17,18,19 August; 25,26,27,28 October
- Module 2 4 days 20,21,22,23 September; 15,16,17,18 November

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Diploma OSH commencing
16 August

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