

BRITSAFE LEVEL 1

AWARD IN ADVANCED ENVIRONMENTAL RISK AND CRISIS MANAGEMENT



Introduction:

The Britsafe Level 1 Award in Advanced Environmental Risk and Crisis Management is a foundational qualification designed to equip individuals with essential skills to identify, assess, and respond to environmental hazards that may escalate into critical incidents. This course introduces learners to risk prioritization methods, emergency environmental protocols, and mitigation strategies aligned with international workplace health and safety frameworks. It is particularly suited for entry-level professionals, site coordinators, and junior compliance officers seeking to build competence in managing environmental risks across diverse operational settings. By combining scenario-based analysis with regulatory principles, the qualification offers practical insight into the control of environmental crises—ensuring readiness, accountability, and resilience in today's risk-sensitive work environments.

Qualification Regulation and Support:

The Britsafe Level 1 Award in Advanced Environmental Risk and Crisis Management has been developed, quality assured, and awarded by Britsafe™ Qualifications UK Limited. The qualification structure aligns with professional standards in environmental governance and emergency response education.

Key facts:

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Qualification Number:	117/5349/1
Minimum Contact Hours:	4
Guided Learning Hours:	4
Credit Value:	1
Credential Status:	Award
Assessment Method:	Multiple-choice examination



Qualification Overview and Objective:

The Britsafe Level 1 Award in Advanced Environmental Risk and Crisis Management is designed for individuals with responsibilities for advanced environmental risk and crisis management. Participants acquire advanced knowledge and skills in assessing complex environmental risks, crisis response strategies, and coordinating crisis management activities. This qualification ensures competence in advanced environmental risk and crisis management practices.

The objective of the qualification is to:

- Understand advanced principles of environmental risk and crisis management.
- Identify and assess complex environmental risks.
- Learn advanced strategies for crisis response and management.
- Gain proficiency in coordinating environmental crisis management activities.
- Demonstrate competence in advanced environmental risk assessment and crisis response.

Entry Requirements:

To register for this qualification, learners are required to meet the following entry requirements:

- Must be aged 16 and over
- Participants should have a basic understanding of the English language to effectively engage with course materials and assessments.
- This course is open to individuals of all backgrounds and experience levels who have an interest in workplace health and safety.

Geographical Coverage:

This qualification is suitable for delivery in England, Northern Ireland, Wales and can be offered internationally.

Delivery/Assessment Ratios:

To effectively deliver this qualification, centres are recommended not to exceed the ratio of 1 Qualified Tutor to 12 Learners in any one instance. If centres wish to increase the recommended ratio, they must first inform your dedicated Britsafe[™] accounts manager before doing so.

Centre Requirements:

To effectively deliver this qualification, centres should have the following resources in place:

- Classroom with suitable seating and desks; and
- High-quality teaching and learning resources.

Guidance on Delivery:

The total qualification time (TQT) for this qualification is 4-hours and of this 4-hours is recommended as guided learning (GL). 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.



Guidance on Assessment:

This qualification is assessed through a multiple-choice question exam.

- Centre's must take all reasonable steps to avoid any part of the assessment of a learner (including any
 internal quality assurance and invigilation) being undertaken by any person who has a personal interest
 in the result of the assessment.
- Centres must follow Britsafe[™] Examination and Invigilation Procedures. Completed examination papers
 are to be returned to Britsafe[™] for marking or If in case of online examination; records shall be updated on
 EMS portal accordingly.

Guidance on Quality Assurance:

Britsafe[™] requires centres to have in place a robust mechanism for internal quality assurance. Britsafe[™] will support centres by conducting ongoing engagements to ensure and verify the effective and efficient delivery, quality assurance and invigilation of the qualification.

Tutor Requirements:

Britsafe™ recommends nominated tutors for this qualification meet the following requirements:

- A relevant health and safety qualification at Level 3 or higher,
- Membership of a professional body (e.g., IOSH, IIRSM) is desirable.
- Hold a relevant subject area qualification/or be occupationally competent.
- Hold a recognized teaching/training qualification (or suitable equivalent).
- Level 3 Award in Education and Training (AET) or Train The Trainer.





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