



Transcend Level 2
Award in the Control of
Substances Hazardous to Health

Specialist Pathway Qualification

Unit Specification: All Pathways

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Welcome!

Welcome to the **Transcend Level 2 Award in the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health** Qualification Unit Specification. Transcend is an Ofqual regulated awarding organisation, and this is a vocationally related qualification that sits on the Ofqual register of regulated qualifications. It is a specialist pathway qualification which must be completed in the context of one of the pathways.

This unit specification must be complied with conjunction with the *Transcend Centre Recognition Conditions, Qualification Specification [All Pathways]* and *Pathway Assessment Materials*. The pathways are fixed and pre-determined for validity purposes and provide the emphasis for the title of the qualification on the learner's certificate:

Transcend Level 2 Award in the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health in Children's Activity Environments
Transcend Level 2 Award in the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health in Care Environments

Learners are required to complete 2 mandatory units. One core unit associated with the COSHH principles defined by legislation, and one pathway unit that represents safe practice in the COSHH relevant to the occupational environment.

| Qualification Unit Specifications | | | |
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| U01 [Core Unit] | Control of substances hazardous to health principles | | |
| U02 P01 [Childrens Activity Environment] | Control of substances hazardous to health in children's activity environments | | |
| U02 P02 [Care Environment] | Control of substances hazardous to health in care environments | | |
| Appendix | | | |
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| Core | Core Unit 01 [Knowledge] | | | | | | | |
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| Unit tit | Unit title: | | Control of substances hazardous to health principles | | | 2 | | |
| Unit ai | Unit aim: | | The aim of this unit is to develop learner's knowledge of the Control of Substances Hazardous to Health [COSHH] principles. | | | | | |
| Learning outcomes | | Assessment criteria | | Delivery content and assessment attainment indicators | indicators | | | |
| LO1 | Understand COSHH legislation and regulation | AC1.1 | Explain key principles of COSHH legislation and regulation | Consider the Health and Safety Act 1977 Control of Substances Hazardous to Health [COSHH] 2002 | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC1.2 | Explain employer duties associated with COSHH | Consider policies and procedures Consider duty of care to employees and general public | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC1.3 | Explain employee duties associated with COSHH | Consider public sector duty Consider personal responsibilities [including any cleaning respon | nsibilities] | Case study scenario | | |
| LO2 | Understand types of hazardous substances, how these can enter the body and the effects | AC2.1 | Explain symbols and relevant intel to enable the identification of hazardous substances | Consider the range of hazardous substances | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC2.2 | Explain types of hazardous substances and outline how these can enter the body | Consider substances definition Consider hazardous definition Consider inhaling, ingesting, injecting or absorption through the | skin | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC2.3 | Explain the effects of hazardous substances on health | Consider short- and long-term effects Consider severity of effects | | Case study scenario | | |
| LO3 | Understand COSSH safety management systems | AC3.1 | Explain the risk assessment process for hazardous substances | Consider COSHH assessment process | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC3.2 | Explain the risk control hierarchy for hazardous substances | Consider control measure proportionate to the risk | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC3.3 | Explain the monitoring, recording and reporting procedures associated with hazardous substances | Consider monitoring practices Consider RIDDOR | | Case study scenario | | |



| Pathv | Pathway Unit 02 [Children's Activity Environment] | | | | | | |
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| Unit tit | Unit title: | | Control of substances hazardous to health in children's activity environments Unit Level | | | | |
| Unit air | Unit aim: | | The aim of this unit is to ensure the learner is able to apply safe practice in the COSHH in a Children's Activity Environment in the context of own role. | | | | |
| Learnin | Learning outcomes Assessment criteria | | | Assessment | | | |
| LO1 | Be able to comply with COSHH legislation and regulation in a Children's Activity Environment | AC1.01 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise principles of COSHH most relevant to a Children's Activity Environment | Case study scenario | | | |
| | | AC1.02 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise employer duties associated with COSHH in a Children's Activity Environment | Case study scenario | | | |
| | | AC1.03 | Demonstrate the ability to comply with COSHH duties as a Children's Activity Practitioner including any cleaning activities | Case study scenario | | | |
| LO2 | Be able to recognise the types of hazardous substances most relevant to a Children's Activity Environment and the effects | AC2.01 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise symbols for the identification of hazardous substances most relevant to the Children's Activity Environment | Case study scenario | | | |
| | | AC2.02 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise the types of hazardous substances most relevant to a Children's Activity Environment | Case study scenario | | | |
| | | AC2.03 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise the effects of hazardous substances on health most relevant to the Children's Activity Environment | Case study scenario | | | |
| LO3 | Be able to comply with COSSH safety management systems in a Children's Activity Environment and the effects | AC3.01 | Demonstrate the ability to conduct a risk assessment process for hazardous substances in a Children's Activity Environment | Case study scenario | | | |
| | | AC3.02 | Demonstrate the ability to comply with the risk control hierarchy for hazardous substances in the Children's Activity Environment | Case study scenario | | | |
| | | AC3.03 | Demonstrate the ability to comply with monitoring, recording and incident reporting associated with hazardous substances in n Children' Activity Environment | s Case study scenario | | | |



| Pathv | Pathway Unit 02 [Children's Activity Environment] | | | | | | |
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| Unit title: | | Control of s | Control of substances hazardous to health in care environments Unit Level | | 2 | | |
| Unit air | Unit aim: | | The aim of this unit is to ensure the learner is able to apply effective COSHH practices in a care environment in the context of own role. | | | | |
| Learning outcomes | | Assessment criteria | | | | | |
| LO1 | Be able to comply with COSHH legislation and regulation in a care environment | AC1.01 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise principles of COSHH most relevant to the care environment | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC1.02 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise employer duties associated with COSHH in a care environment | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC1.03 | Demonstrate the ability to comply with COSHH duties as a care practitioner including any cleaning activities | | Case study scenario | | |
| LO2 | Be able to recognise the types of hazardous substances most relevant to a care environment and the effects | AC2.01 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise symbols for the identification of hazardous substances most relevant to the care environment | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC2.02 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise the types of hazardous substances most relevant to the care environment | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC2.03 | Demonstrate the ability to recognise the effects of hazardous substances on health most relevant to the care environment | | Case study scenario | | |
| LO3 | Be able to comply with COSSH safety management systems | AC3.01 | Demonstrate the ability to conduct a risk assessment process for hazardous substances in the care environment | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC3.02 | Demonstrate the ability to comply with the risk control hierarchy for hazardous substances in the care environment | | Case study scenario | | |
| | | AC3.03 | Demonstrate the ability to comply with monitoring, recording and incident reporting associated with hazardous substances in a care environment. | onment | Case study scenario | | |



Appendix: Qualification Unit Specification Version Control

This document is subject to version control. We will request feedback from centres in advance of any change. We will then inform centres of the changes made in advance and will re-publish the specification via our website. All changes will be tracked here and confirmed as an updated version.

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