



## BAFE SP101 Fire Extinguisher Technician Information Health and Safety/Asbestos Awareness - Accepted Training

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Organizations who wish to obtain BAFE SP101 Registration must have registered fire extinguisher technicians with accepted health and safety and asbestos awareness training. Only training which is accredited by the listed bodies will be acceptable under the BAFE SP101 Scheme.

**Please Note:** Additional accreditation organizations and clarification of requirements may be added to this guidance in the future at BAFE's discretion in accordance with BAFE and the BAFE SP101 Scheme Technical Committee (Monitoring Group). If you feel another accreditation body for training providers should be added to the accepted list for either Health and Safety or Asbestos Awareness, please contact the BAFE Office [info@bafefire.org.uk](mailto:info@bafefire.org.uk) with appropriate information.

### Health and Safety

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Training should be undertaken by health and safety training providers that are accredited from one of the following bodies. Many organizations provide bespoke training for fire protection companies under the listed accreditation:

Accreditation Body	Information
CITB (Construction Industry Training Board)	<a href="http://www.citb.co.uk">www.citb.co.uk</a>
RoSPA (Royal Society for the Prevention of Accidents)	<a href="http://www.rospa.com">www.rospa.com</a>
IOSH (Institution of Occupational Safety and Health)	<a href="http://www.iosh.co.uk">www.iosh.co.uk</a>
NEBOSH (National Examination Board in Occupational Safety and Health)	<a href="http://www.nebosh.org.uk">www.nebosh.org.uk</a>

BAFE will also accept the following safety schemes held for health and safety:

Safety Scheme	Information
CSCS (Construction Skills Certification Scheme) and partner schemes - including ECS (Electrotechnical Certification Scheme)	<a href="http://www.cscs.uk.com">www.cscs.uk.com</a>
CCNSG (Client Contractor National Safety Group)	<a href="http://www.ecitb.org.uk">www.ecitb.org.uk</a>
EMSS (Essential Minimum Safety Standard)	<a href="http://emsssafetypassport.co.uk">emsssafetypassport.co.uk</a>
SPA (Safety Pass Alliance)	<a href="http://www.safetypassports.co.uk">www.safetypassports.co.uk</a>
CSR (Construction Skills Register) – Northern Ireland only	<a href="http://www.cefni.co.uk/schemes/construction-skills-register/">www.cefni.co.uk/schemes/construction-skills-register/</a>

Health and Safety training will need to be renewed in accordance with the training providers' guidelines or recommendations.

Asbestos Awareness information can be found on page 2.



## Asbestos Awareness

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Training should be undertaken by asbestos awareness training providers that are accredited from one of the following bodies:

Accreditation Body	Information
<b>UKATA</b> (United Kingdom Asbestos Training Association)	<a href="http://www.ukata.org.uk">www.ukata.org.uk</a>
<b>IATP</b> (Independent Asbestos Training Providers)	<a href="http://www.iatp.org.uk">www.iatp.org.uk</a>

BAFE will allow five years validity from date of issue of an asbestos awareness training certificate regardless of expiry date (for asbestos awareness only). Evidence of update training in the form of a toolbox talk or similar will be required by BAFE appointed field assessors when conducting technician assessments.