

<b>Course Title</b>	Legionella Awareness (Hot and Cold Water Systems) Level 2 Award in Legionella Awareness (QCF)
<b>Duration</b>	1 day
<b>Who is it for?</b>	Anyone involved in monitoring and managing hot and cold water systems to ensure the risk presented by legionella bacteria is minimised.
<b>What is it about?</b>	<p>This course is designed to raise awareness and reduce the risk associated with the water-borne bacteria that cause Legionnaires' disease.</p> <p>Delegates who attend this course will leave with an understanding of how to apply relevant legislation within their day to day duties, with a particular focus on the Health &amp; Safety Executive's new version of the Approved Code of Practice (L8) and accompanying technical guidance (HSG 274) documents.</p>
<b>Course objectives</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Describe the typical symptoms of Legionnaires' disease and the types of people who are most susceptible</li><li>• Discuss methods of transmission and infection of Legionnaire's disease</li><li>• Explain the key requirements of legislation, codes of practice and guidance relating to the management of Legionella</li><li>• Identify key role and responsibilities associated with the management of legionella bacteria</li><li>• Describe a risk assessment process and the importance of monitoring and control</li><li>• Understand how hot and cold water systems operate</li><li>• Identify and apply measures for controlling risks within hot and cold water systems, including testing regimes</li></ul>
<b>Pre-requisites</b>	None
<b>Outcome</b>	Level 2 Award in Legionella Awareness (QCG), accredited by the Qualification Regulator in England and Wales, Ofqual.
<b>Format of course</b>	<p>Classroom based.</p> <p>This course is run in collaboration with WCS (formerly B&amp;V Group)</p> <p>An additional half day course which specifically covers the risks associated with Cooling Towers and/or Evaporative Condensers is also available subject to specific requests and availability.</p>

