

Practical Cleaning Skills (Bodily fluids, spillages and hazardous items)

CIWM (WAMITAB) Level 1 Award



Practical Cleaning Skills

This qualification is open entry. This means that learners interested in undertaking the CIWM (WAMITAB) Level 1 Award in Practical Cleaning Skills (Bodily fluids, spillages and hazardous items) do not require any other qualifications or levels of attainment in order to take this qualification. However, learners will need to be employed in a suitable position, or have access to the working environment, as the qualification is assessed 'on the job'.

Career Opportunities

Cleaning is one of the largest business sectors in the UK, employing over 437,600 people in 30,800 workplaces during 2012 (Asset Skills, 2013). This qualification is ideal for those employed in elementary occupations (79%) in the following job roles:

- Domestic Cleaning Operative
- Commercial Cleaning Operative
- Industrial Cleaning Operative

Progression Opportunities

Learners that are interested in advancing their careers through further education can go on to study several qualifications at a higher level, including:

- Level 2 Certificate in Cleaning and Support Services
- Level 3 Certificate in Cleaning Services Supervision
- Level 3 Diploma in Cleaning Supervision Skills

Qualification Requirements

Learners must complete all units within the mandatory unit group to achieve the qualification:

- Prepare to work in the cleaning industry
- Clean and dispose of bodily fluids, spillages and hazardous items

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