

COURSE GUIDE

CPCWHS1001 Prepare to work safely in the construction industry

SafeWork NSW RTO Approval Number: RTO800620



ABOUT US

Builders Institute (RTO #45904) is a nationally recognised training organisation by the Australian Skills Quality Authority.

Builders Institute provide industry-leading, accessible, and affordable construction courses, our experienced team ensures that learners have the skills to succeed in the ever-evolving construction industry. We offer flexible delivery options: online, in-person (blended learning), plus top-tier learning resources and ongoing support, mentoring, and industry connections to help you achieve your goals.

Builders Institute's mission is to deliver high-quality building and construction courses across Australia.

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COURSE OVERVIEW

This unit of competency specifies the mandatory work health and safety training required prior to undertaking construction work. The unit requires the person to demonstrate personal awareness and knowledge of health and safety legislative requirements in order to work safely and prevent injury or harm to self and others. It covers identifying and orally reporting common construction hazards, understanding basic risk control measures, and identifying procedures for responding to potential incidents and emergencies. It also covers correctly selecting and fitting common personal protective equipment (PPE) used for construction work.

This unit meets the general construction induction training requirements of:

- Part 1.1 Definitions and Part 6.5 of the Model Work Health and Safety Regulations;
- Division 11 of Part 3 of the Occupational Safety and Health Regulations 1996 for Western Australia; and
- Division 3 of Part 5.1 of the Occupational Health and Safety Regulations 2007 for Victoria.

ENROLMENT REQUIREMENTS

On enrolment, you will be required to provide:

- Learners must be at least **14 years old**.
- **100 Points of ID** [Click here](#) to be able to see the different types of ID that can be used as well as the points structure. All ID must be with you on the day to be able to show the trainer in a private room so that they can verify your identity.
- **Unique Student Identifier** (USI Number) It is a requirement for every student that is undertaking nationally recognized Vocational Education and Training to have a USI. If you don't have one, it can be created easily using just 1 form of ID (it only takes a few minutes). To create a USI [Click here](#). If you have created one in the past but have misplaced it, you may be able to retrieve it by [Clicking here](#). If you are having any issues please feel free to contact us and we will gladly assist.

COURSE DELIVERY AND FEES



DELIVERY METHOD

- Face to face classroom
- Start time: 9:30am (6 Hours + Break)



EXPRESS

\$200



LOCATION

- Level 1/4 Railway Parade,
Burwood NSW 2134

COURSE OUTCOME

This Construction Induction training covers awareness and knowledge of:

- the basic principles of work, health and safety
- preventing workplace injury
- workplace injury management
- identifying procedures for responding to potential incidents and emergencies
- identifying and reporting common construction hazards,
- understanding basic risk control measures
- selecting and fitting personal protective equipment (PPE) used for construction work.

After student have successfully completed training and deemed competent.

Builders Institute will issue the Statement of Training (SOT) on completion day

Builders Institute will issue **Statement of Attainment (SOA)** CPCCWHS1001

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This certificate will allows you to work on construction sites while awaiting your official **White Card**.

As an approved Registered Training Organisation to provide **Construction Induction (CI) Training**, Builders Institute will lodge White Card application on student behalf with SafeWork NSW. You should receive your **White Card by mail within 6 weeks**.

WHO SHOULD ATTEND

A White Card course should be attended by anyone who will carry out construction work or routinely enter an operational construction zone, including:

- Learners want to work in the construction industry, a White Card is essential.
- Anyone working or planning to enter the construction industry must complete a obtain a White Card, which is mandatory across the sector.
- Site managers and supervisors
- Builders, tradespeople and labourers
- Apprentices and trainees
- Surveyors and other construction professionals
- Owner-builders who will undertake construction work
- Landscapers performing construction-related work
- Workers whose duties require them to regularly enter active construction areas
- Other people entering an operational construction zone without direct supervision by an inducted person

Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ)

1. **Can I do the White Card in a Virtual Classroom?**

- No, the White Card course cannot be completed in a virtual classroom. It must be done face-to-face, onsite with a trainer. Online self-paced or virtual delivery is not yet available.
- The White Card course is a one-day program that typically takes around 6 hours to complete.
- You can access your online learning resources prior to the training.

2. **Can I reschedule if I can't attend?**

- Yes, you can reschedule your White Card training if you can't attend. Please notify us at least 24 hours before your scheduled session. Failure to do so will incur a penalty fee.

3. **Do you offer group bookings or corporate rates?**

- Yes, we do offer group bookings and corporate rates for White Card training. Please contact us with the number of participants and preferred dates, and we'll provide a tailored quote and schedule. For an organisation, normally 5-8 minimum group booking requirement.

4. **Does White Card Expire?**

- No. The White Card does not have an official expiry, but if you have not worked in construction for 2 years or more, you may need to complete the course again.