Controller of Site Safety (COSS)
Initial inc OLP/CRP & DCCR Recert

Course Aim

The Controller of Site Safety course aims to train staff to correctly determine their responsibilities and duties when acting as a Controller of Site Safety (COSS) when setting up a safe system of work on or near the line.

Only an authorised Sentinel co-ordinator may make bookings on this course.

Who Should Attend?

This course is a requirement for anyone who needs to implement a safe system of work to enable activities to be carried out by a group of persons in a red or green zone.

Attendance Requirements

Delegates must be at least 18 Years of age and have sponsorship by a Link-up approved organisation with an NCCA Site I.D, a valid Network Rail approved medical certificate, negative alcohol and drugs screening certificate, and a valid PTS certificate.

Failure to provide the mandatory requirements above means you cannot attend this course.

Prior to attending a COSS SWL 1 Conversion and ES to SWL 2 Conversion course, all delegates need to have completed the E-Learning assessment.

The E-Learning assessment can be accessed on the Network Rail E-Learning system

On successful completion of the E-Learning, the certificate should be printed and brought with the delegate on the day of the course.You must have a good understanding of spoken and written English. Please contact us if you have any concerns in this area on 0345 605 0006.

Agenda

- Introduction to course and PTS Recertification
- Introduction to COSS
- Communicating clearly
- Delivering a briefing
- Checking qualifications
- Planning a Safe System of Work
- Line Blockage Procedures
- The Safe Systems of Work
- Working in a Possession and Person in Charge of Siding (PICOS)
- Managing an Incident and the role of the Rail Incident Officer (RIO)
- Line Clear Verification
- Theory and Practical/Verbal Assessment
- Completion of Post Course Training Objectives

Course Duration

This is a 7 day course.

Certification

All course results will be notified to the Rail Sentinel database and the Sentinel Smart Card of the individual will be updated.