



HEALTH, SAFETY AND SECURITY TRAINING

Warehouse and Material Handling Safety

3 day course

Classroom, online or in-house

Course overview

Warehouses combine moving vehicles, pedestrians, working at height and heavy loads in a confined space, which is why their injury rates are what they are. This course covers controlling that. Delegates work through the traffic management that separates vehicles from people, forklift and handling equipment safety including the operator competence regime, and racking safety covering installation, inspection, damage assessment and the collapse risk that damage creates. Manual handling, working at height and load stability are covered, along with fire risk in a building full of packaging. The course closes on incident investigation and on the near miss reporting that precedes most serious warehouse injuries.

What you will learn

- Design traffic management that genuinely separates vehicles and people
- Operate a forklift competence and authorisation regime
- Inspect racking, assess damage and understand collapse risk
- Control manual handling and working at height risks
- Manage load stability, stacking and storage limits
- Address fire risk in a warehouse environment
- Investigate incidents and act on near miss reporting

Who should attend

- Warehouse managers and supervisors
- Health and safety practitioners
- Forklift and equipment operators
- Stores and logistics staff
- Facilities managers responsible for warehouses

Course outline

- 01 Why warehouse injury rates are what they are
- 02 Traffic management and segregation
- 03 Forklift safety and operator competence
- 04 Racking installation, inspection and damage
- 05 Manual handling and working at height
- 06 Load stability, stacking and storage limits
- 07 Fire risk and housekeeping
- 08 Incident investigation and near miss reporting

Upcoming dates

Dates	Venue	Format	Fee per delegate
2 to 4 November 2026	Kampala, Uganda	Classroom	USD 995
30 December 2026 to 1 January 2027	Cape Town, South Africa	Classroom	R14,950
8 to 10 February 2027	Mbabane, Eswatini	Classroom	R14,950
17 to 19 February 2027	Online	Online	R6,500



Fees and how to register

This 3 day course is **R6,500** per delegate online, **R14,950** in the classroom in South Africa, Botswana, Namibia, Lesotho and Eswatini, and **USD 995** in the classroom elsewhere in Africa. In-house training is quotation on request. Book 2 or more delegates on this course and save 10%.

To register or request an in-house proposal, visit www.afrisciencegroup.com, email info@afriscience.co.za, or WhatsApp us on **+27 63 479 1136**.

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