



Biosafety Practitioner Level 1 (Foundation) – Hybrid course, online content

Module A - Law (including the role and responsibilities of a BSO)

This Module covers: The law
 Case studies
 The need for a Biological Safety Officer (BSO)
 The duties of a BSO
 Biosafety and Genetic Modification (GM) committees

Online Content: Module A contains 7 video presentations - each will detail the appropriate running time. The entire Law module is online.

Part 1 - Introduction to the law
Part 2 - The Health and Safety at Work etc Act 1974
Part 3 - Secondary legislation, including COSHH
Part 4 - GM legislation, including roles and responsibilities
Part 5 - Animal and plant legislation
Part 6 - Anti-terrorism legislation

Total running time of all training videos in this module: 53 minutes 31 seconds.

There is one online assessment for this module: "Law - Case Studies".

Module B - Risk Assessment and Hazards of Biological Materials

This Module covers: Hazards of pathogens
 Routes of infection
 Control measures
 GMP / GOSH
 Risk of propagation
 Control of allergens
 Risk assessment

Online Content: Pre-course notes only.
 The entire module will be taught in the face to face part of the course.

Module C - Health and Safety Management

This Module covers: Laboratory Management
 Biosecurity
 Policy and codes of practice
 Influencing skills
 Incidents and emergencies
 Health surveillance
 Auditing and Inspection

Online Content: Module C contains 4 video presentations - the remainder of the module will be taught in the face to face part of the course.

Total running time of all training videos: 41 minutes 6 seconds.

There is one online assessment for this module: "Policy and Guidance".

