



## **Legionellosis Awareness.**

**Duration: Half day.**

### **Course overview:**

Legionnaires' disease is the most serious disease of a group of diseases collectively known as legionellosis. Legionnaires' disease is a pneumonia that mainly affects susceptible people such as the elderly, the young, the immunocompromised, heavy smokers and those that are already ill, and in certain cases Legionnaires' disease can be fatal.

Infection is attributed to people inhaling Legionella, present in water droplets that are small enough to penetrate deeply into the lung.

### **Course content:**

Upon completion the delegates will have gained knowledge of:

- What is Legionnaires disease.
- How Legionnaires disease is caused.
- Symptoms and treatments for Legionnaires disease.
- Legal and notification requirements.
- Controls and prevention strategies.
- Sampling and monitoring techniques.
- Water treatment and disinfection techniques.

The training enables the delegates to be aware of the risk and controls associated with legionellosis infections upon completion.

### **Course booking:**

Please contact one of our team for further details, course prices and booking arrangements on 01384 686039.