



The Royal Environmental Health Institute of Scotland



**REHIS Health and Safety
Update**
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**REHIS Community
Training**

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REHIS

Professional Body

- *Stimulates general interest in and disseminating knowledge concerning Environmental Health;*
- *Promotes education and training in matters relating to Environmental Health;*
- *Maintains, by examination or otherwise, high standards of professional practice and conduct on the part of Environmental Health Officers in Scotland*

Awarding Body

- Long-established awarding body in Scotland for qualifications in Food Hygiene, Food and Health, HACCP, Control of Infection, Occupational Health and Safety and First Aid.
- Courses leading to REHIS qualifications are available at Approved Training Centres throughout Scotland and delivered by suitably qualified registered presenters.



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Awarding Body - Community Training

Approved Training Centres

REHIS Schools' Initiative

Joint Awards





REHIS Suites of Qualifications

- Food Hygiene
- HACCP
- Control of Infection
- First Aid
- Food and Health
- Licensing
- Training
- Health and Safety





REHIS Regulations

- Centres and Presenters must be approved by REHIS before they can deliver any REHIS qualifications
- Change of centre contacts and presenters notified to REHIS
- All courses must be registered with REHIS by the Approved Centre
- Presenters must deliver the full syllabus/provide set course packs to candidates
- Centres are subject to periodic quality assurance visits by REHIS
- Membership, CPD





Health and Safety

- Certificate in Advanced Health and Safety: 36 hours (**SCQF Level 8, 5 credits**)
- Intermediate Health and Safety: 16 hours (**SCQF Level 7, 3 credits**)
- Elementary Health and Safety: 6 hours (**SCQF Level 5,1 credit**)
- **Introduction to Health and Safety: 3 hours (also by e-learning)**
- Safe Manual Handling Awareness: 3 hours
- Risk Assessment: 3½ hours
- Management of Risk in the Workplace: 13 hours
- Legionella Awareness: 6 hours



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You must have passed the CITB Operatives Health, Safety and Environment Test within two years prior to applying for a card. For more information visit www.cscs.uk.com/greencard



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ELEMENTARY HEALTH AND SAFETY CERTIFICATE

Sample

*has completed a course of health and safety training
and has achieved a satisfactory degree of competence
in the examination which concluded the course*

President of the Institute

Sample

Training Centre

Date *Sample*

Location *Sample*

Certificate No. *Sample*



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This qualification is levelled on the Scottish Credit Qualifications Framework (SCQF) at level 5 and awarded 1 credit



Control of Infection

- Elementary Infection Prevention and Control : 6 hours (**SCQF Level 5, 1 credit**)
- Elementary Cleaning and Disinfection – 4½ hours

Under development -

Elementary Infection Prevention and Control for Special Procedures Practitioners Course





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scottish credit and
qualifications framework **scqf**

- The Scottish Credit and Qualifications Framework (SCQF) is Scotland's national qualifications framework.
- Helps people understand and compare the various Scottish qualifications.
- The level of a qualification indicates the level of difficulty
- The number of credit points indicates the length of time it takes to complete.
- <https://scqf.org.uk/media/e5pjypw4/qccb-web-oct-2019.pdf>





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Improving and protecting health and wellbeing in Scotland through education, training and qualifications in Environmental Health

 **ABOUT REHIS**


The Royal Environmental Health Institute of Scotland, often referred to as REHIS, is an independent, self-financing registered Scottish charity whose main objectives are for the benefit of the community to promote the advancement of Environmental Health

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 **WHAT IS ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH?**


Environmental Health is that area of public health activity which strives to improve, protect and maintain health and well being through action on the physical environment and life circumstances

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 **COMMUNITY TRAINING**

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 **PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT & EVENTS**

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