

CIEH Level 3 Award Implementing Food Safety Management Procedures

What is it and Who is it aimed towards?

It is a new qualification from CIEH to help businesses tackle the new legislation that came in force in January 2006. It is there for all owners and managers of small and medium sized catering businesses.

The main new requirement is for most food businesses to put in place a documented food safety management system based on the HACCP principles.

What does it cover?

This new award covers the basic Hazard Analysis Critical Control Points (HACCP) principles and how a system is based on these principles can be implemented in catering businesses. The course includes information on both conventional HACCP and user-friendly alternatives such as the Food Standards Agency's Safer Food, Better Business pack.

The syllabus covers topics including:

- ❑ The 12 steps in the HACCP process
- ❑ Controls required to ensure food Safety
- ❑ Use of a management tool such as the Food Standard Agency's Safer Food Better Business pack

How is the qualification assessed?

A short assignment must be completed under exam conditions.

What are the entry requirements?

Candidates must have a good understanding of Basic Food Hygiene - so it is highly recommended that they have a Level 2 Award in Food Safety or the equivalent .

What are the benefits of this qualification?

- ❑ It is a legal requirement that all Food Business operators ensure that they have in place a documented food
- ❑ safety management system, and this qualification offers the necessary training to complete the required system.
- ❑ Having this award enables holders to prove that they have been trained and tested by an officially recognised
- ❑ Awarding Body (CIEH) to a defined level.
- ❑ In this way, the award helps holders to show they are compliant, and helps employers (Food Business operators) to demonstrate to regulators that they are properly trained.

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