

## MSMWHS217

# Gas test atmospheres

### TRAINING DESCRIPTION

This unit of competency covers the skills and knowledge required to test the working atmosphere, using electronic test apparatus, to find out if it is safe for the proposed work.

It applies to situations where an individual may be required to carry out gas testing of an atmosphere prior to entering a specific area or workspace. The competency requires the person to interpret readings and take actions based on the interpretation.

Working environment may be hazardous, unpredictable, subject to time pressure, chaotic and expose responders to risk, on land or water, by day or night. Workplace atmospheres may include visible and invisible hazards and hazardous surfaces.

The unit is suitable for use in the following situations:

- confined spaces
- enclosed and partially enclosed spaces
- hot work
- storage tanks, silos, pits, pipes, shafts, ducts, transport vehicles and ships
- testing as part of issuing a work permit
- monitoring as part of working under a work permit
- open areas
- holding the gas tester by hand
- lowering the gas tester into a space, e.g. on a line.

This unit of competency applies to an individual working alone or as part of a team or group and working in liaison with other shift team members and the control room operator, as appropriate.

No licensing, legislative or certification requirements apply to this unit at the time of publication

Full training details can be found here: <https://training.gov.au/training/details/MSMWHS217/unitdetails>

### COURSE SCHEDULE

Face-to-face training and assessment (8 hours)

### COURSE FEES

The total course fees for this Qualification is \$450.00 GST Free, Please refer to NNZMC Pty Ltd T/a Industry Skills Solutions RTO 45974 Student handbook for information on fees.

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## ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

An individual undertaking this course on behalf of NNZMC PTY LTD T/a Industry Skills Solutions will need to demonstrate the following to be eligible for entry:

- Participants must be 16 years and over
- ID is required
- A Unique Student Identifier (USI) Number (or exemption). This is required prior to enrolments being processed. To obtain a USI number, please go to [www.usi.gov.au](http://www.usi.gov.au) to register.
- Online study/evidence submission: Students must have access to a computer, smartphone, tablet or other electronic devices with access to the internet to complete the online studies/evidence submission.
- Participants must have the physical capability to be able to meet the demands of the practical skills demonstration (if required)
- Participants must wear enclosed shoes/safety shoes and comfortable/practical clothing (if required)
- Language, literacy and numeracy requirements - students must be able to read and correctly interpret required documentation relevant to confined spaces, speak clearly and unambiguously in English, explain, describe and verify sometimes complex needs and issues and understand the risk assessment requirements. Writing is required to the level of completing workplace forms and producing any required reports. Numeracy is required to the level of being able to correctly calculate time.

## ASSESSMENT

Individuals undertaking this course with NNZMC PTY LTD T/a Industry Skills Solutions will be expected to complete verbal, written and practical assessment tasks. For full assessment requirements go to: <https://training.gov.au/training/details/MSMWHS217/unitdetails>

## OUTCOME

Upon successful completion of this training course, you will receive a Statement of Attainment for the nationally recognised unit/s of competency:

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## LEARNERS RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

Please note that enrolment to this course is made with NNZMC PTY LTD T/a Industry Skills Solutions RTO # 45974. Please refer to the student handbook located on the RTO website <https://www.industryskillssolutions.com.au/training> for all details relating to rights and responsibilities, including complaints and appeals.

## WHO ARE WE

NNZMC PTY LTD - T/a Industry Skills Solutions is registered with the Australian Skills Quality Authority (ASQA) as a Registered Training Organisation (RTO 45974) to deliver vocational education and training services across all States and Territories of Australia.



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