

CITB HEALTH, SAFETY & ENVIRONMENT TEST (CSCS)



The CITB Health, Safety & Environment test helps raise standards across the industry.

The HS&E test is an important way for construction workers to show employers that they can be safe on the job. The aim of the test is to examine knowledge across a wide range of topics to improve safety and productivity on site.

The test is taken as a PC-based test at our CITB approved testing centre in Strabane.

All tests last for 45 minutes and have 50 knowledge questions to check your understanding and raise awareness of health, safety and environmental issues.

All tests include knowledge sections of:

- Working Environment
- Occupational Health
- Safety
- High Risk Activities
- Specialist

There are different types of test and the one that is right for you depends on your occupation and the qualifications you hold.

There are 3 types of Health, Safety & Environment tests:

- Operative tests for a basic level of health, safety and environmental awareness. This test is required when applying for the Labourer card, the Trainee card, the Apprentice card, most Blue Skilled Worker cards and most Gold Advanced Craft cards.
- Manager and Professional tests for everything in the operative test, plus additional material relevant to managers and professionals. This test is required when applying for the Black Managers card and the Academically or Professionally Qualified person cards.
- Specialist tests for everything in the operative test, plus additional material relating to a specialist area such as supervision or working at heights. Specialist tests are required when applying for the Gold Supervisor card, as well as Blue Skilled Worker and Gold Advanced Craft cards in certain occupations.

For more information on which qualifications would best suit your needs contact **Craft** on **Joincraft@hotmail.co.uk**

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