

Health & Safety Apprentice

North London



About Us

We are a leading concrete frame subcontractor specialising in delivering high-quality, innovative construction projects in the UK. With a strong focus on safety, quality, and sustainability, we take pride in our commitment to excellence and our dedication to fostering a culture of continuous improvement.

The Role

As a Health & Safety Apprentice you will assist the team in promoting, advising, training and consulting on all aspects of health, safety and environmental issues. This role requires a dynamic individual who is enthusiastic, motivated to learn and keen to make a significant impact on Health and Safety in the construction industry.

Key Responsibilities

- Preventing injury to people and damage to plant and equipment;
- Improvement in existing working methods;
- Ensure appropriate provision and use of protective clothing and equipment;
- Assist in guiding colleagues on suitability from a safety viewpoint of plant, equipment, materials and services, and the validity of all appropriate test certificates, and whether they comply with all statutory requirements;
- Understand the notification process when potential hazards are identified;
- Learn and understand methods of safe working and how to ensure that they are in place at all times;
- Gain an understanding of Health and Safety legislation, and understand how to implement changes and take action as a result of changes in Health and Safety legislation;
- Provide support to the Health & Safety team as they carry out safety inspections and where appropriate audits in conjunction with appropriate management to see that statute codes of practice and method statements and company safety arrangements are complied with;
- Assist with advising project and site management on the determination of safe methods of working and systems to identify hazards and unsafe situations, and further advise upon the production of written method statements and site safety rules and on the arrangements to bring these to the attention of the workforce;
- Provide support to the Health & Safety team as they investigate accidents and/or dangerous occurrences and recommend means of preventing recurrence. Ensure up to date records are kept for monitoring and statistics;
- Adhere to the company safety reporting procedures;
- Assist with the identification of training requirements and subsequent training for all levels of employees - monitor recording of such training;
- Learn how to suggest methods and aids to promote awareness of injury prevention and damage control;

- Foster, within the company, an understanding that injury prevention and damage control are an integral part of business and operational efficiency;
- In conjunction with new legislation and company requirements, up-date when required, the Company Safety Policy and assist with providing advice on its application and effectiveness;
- Maintain awareness of environmental issues within the construction company environment and the Environmental Manual policy and objectives.

Qualifications and Experience

- Educated to GCSE level;
- Over 18 years old;
- Right to work in the UK;
- Professional, honest, convincing, resilient;
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills;
- Ability to prioritise tasks and manage time effectively;

With an understanding of the commitment required to achieve growth within the business, the ideal candidate will be enthusiastic and ready to align personal goals to Byrne Bros so that we can achieve success together.

What we can offer

The opportunity to work for an established and growing company on some of the nation's most exciting construction projects.

At Byrne Bros we offer a competitive rate of pay (LLW). 20 days holiday (plus bank holidays). In addition, you will have the opportunity to progress your career by enrolling on a Level 3 Apprenticeship: Safety, Health and Environment (SHE) Technician which will allow you to develop your career in Health & Safety.

If you are interested in this opportunity please send your CV and a covering letter to: recruitment@byrne-group.co.uk

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Closing date for applications: 22 March 2024