This course is designed for all construction workers carrying out work on building sites.

There is no specific Job role for this unit of competence. Due to the nature of the construction industry many contractors and professions may be involved at any given time with a site.

To work on a construction site in Australia it is compulsory for everyone to hold a current Occupation Health & Safety Certificate, commonly known as a ‘White Card’.

The White Card is a requirement under OH&S Codes of Practice across most jurisdictions. It allows individuals to access or be present on construction sites. In NSW the penalty for individuals being ‘on-site’ without the White Card carries a maximum penalty of 100 penalty units ($11,000).

### The Course

White cards are compulsory to have when working within the construction industry. Including Home Owner Builders.

**Why is it Required?**

To work on a construction site in Australia it is compulsory for everyone to hold a current Occupation Health & Safety Certificate, commonly known as a ‘White Card’.

The White Card is a requirement under OH&S Codes of Practice across most jurisdictions. It allows individuals to access or be present on construction sites. In NSW the penalty for individuals being ‘on-site’ without the White Card carries a maximum penalty of 100 penalty units ($11,000).

### Example jobs requiring a WhiteCard

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Role</th>
<th>Trade</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Engineer</td>
<td>Foreman</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Council Employee</td>
<td>Concreter</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Plant Operator</td>
<td>Bricklayer</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Painter</td>
<td>Scaffolder</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Trainee/Apprentice</td>
<td>Plumber</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Trades Assistant</td>
<td>Electrician</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Labourer</td>
<td>Carpenter</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Home Owner Builder</td>
<td>Architect</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

### Also delivering customised training in:

- Diploma of Business
- Diploma of Management
- Certificate III and IV in business
- Certificate III and IV in Customer Contact
- Certificate III and IV in Hospitality
- Certificate III in Warehouse Operations
- Food Safety Supervisor
- Construction Induction Card (White Card)
- RSA & RCG

**Tel: 02 9964 0877**

Level 3, 30 Alfred Street
Milsons Point NSW 2061

100 points of ID is required for application to the course. All documents must be current.

- Identify OHS legislative and duty of care requirements; safe work practices;
- Identify construction hazards and control measures; risk management principles;
- Identify OHS communication and reporting processes; role of OHS personnel; safety signs and symbols;
- Identify OHS incident response procedures; personal protection and fire safety equipment.

Vision Training Institute has a training facility located in Milsons Point, close to the Sydney CBD. Our training facilities are easily accessible by train and just one stop away from Wynyard station.

Alternatively for larger bookings one of our experienced and qualified trainers can come to you and host the training at your venue.

What will I receive?

Upon successful completion of the course you will be issued with a Statement of Training and a Statement of Attainment. The Statement of Training will act as an interim ‘White Card’ for 30 days until the actual ‘White Card’ has been processed and dispatched by WorkCover.

The White Card is proof of completion of the Occupational Health and Safety (OHS) induction training within the construction industry. It requires the ability to demonstrate personal awareness of OHS legislative requirements and the basic principles of risk management and prevention of injury and illness in the construction industry.

What do I need to bring?

- Birth Certificate
- Passport (only 1 per applicant)
- Citizenship Certificate

- Australian Drivers Licence

- Employer ID card (Name & Address)
- Letter from employer (confirming name & address within last 2 yrs)
- Rates Notice

- NSW Photo ID
- Employer ID card (Name only)
- Credit card/debit cards/Passbooks
- Medicare card
- Membership cards (club, union, professional body, educational institution)