

## Slips, Trips and Falls Level 2 (VTQ)

# QUALIFICATION NUMBER: PRO/100/STFL2

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All ProTrainings classroom and online qualifications are endorsed though an Awarding Organisation Regulated by Ofqual, through the Skills for Care Scheme with the highest level of recognition and are approved through the CPD Standards services for CPD certification.

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This is the highest standard of recognised endorsement and only organisations who have a proven history of continued success in making a difference in the training industry can be awarded the Centre of Excellence endorsement. ProTrainings proudly announce that we have received this endorsement for continuous professional training delivery.

As a recognised Skills for Care provider who is already endorsed for delivering training through digital e-learning, classroom and blended formats, this enhanced Centre of Excellence endorsement will take our credibility and quality of training to an advanced state of recognition. But what does this new Centre of Excellence endorsement mean?

The Centre of Excellence status means that we have been able to consistently demonstrate exemplary commitment to meeting the needs of learners in the adult social care sector. This meant we needed to comply with the social model of care and be able to measure the impact of provision on the lives of people who use these services.

We embarked on this provision to prove how consistent ProTrainings services are, to test whether we are meeting a high standard, to evolve, adapt and improve our provision and to place ourselves amongst a small selection of companies who are a Skills for Care Centre of Excellence.

Gaining this accolade has resulted in receiving a designation as a 'Centre of Excellence in Adult Social Care and Learning and Development' and we do not plan on stopping our standards here. We will continue to offer the finest services so that lives are rewarded through the training and services we provide.

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#### Introduction

#### Welcome to ProTrainings Europe Limited.

ProTrainings EU is a certifying organisation recognised for providing training and qualifications in England, UK and across the globe.

ProTrainings EU offer qualifications designed in-house and qualifications which are regulated by Ofqual through TQUK and FutureQuals. Our qualifications are carefully designed to meet industry standards and regulatory requirements giving every learner or user confidence that training meets HSE, Ofqual, UK & EU Resuscitation Council, Skills for Health, Ofsted and Skills for Care training standards.

Our unique approach to training delivery is designed to accommodate learning styles in all their forms, including online, classroom and blended formats. Our variety of delivery methods have been a preferred choice for many learners who require training through general interest and as part of their profession. Our training has been comprehensively designed to meet standards that fall within the boundaries of qualifications overseen by awarding organisations.

ProTrainings high standards include a robust training approach that meets strict specifications, quality assurance requirements and qualification standards. As a result of implementing a comprehensive quality assurance process, ProTrainings online and classroom courses have been CPD certified, endorsed through The Skills for Care Scheme (ProTrainings being the first organisation gaining approval for classroom and online training in the United Kingdom) and we have surpassed an external audit by being approved for ISO45001 : 2018 and ISO9001 : 2015 for maintaining high organisational standards.

Our qualifications are designed to support and encourage learners to develop their knowledge and skills. This development may result in progression into employment or career development in the workplace. Our qualifications also allow learners to progress onto further qualifications.

For more information please visit <u>www.ProTrainings.uk</u> for news, updates and information on a variety of qualifications spanning into the Health & Safety industry, First Aid world, Pet First Aid environment and Health & Social Care sector.

#### **Qualifications Specifications**

ProTrainings EU offer policies and guidelines for centres, organisations and individuals through this specification. Information in this specification will include the course curriculum, learning outcomes, units and general guidelines on how the course is delivered.

We aim to support our centres by providing guidance in this specification for a better understanding on how our courses are delivered and processed.

Our specifications document can be accessed on our website at <u>www.ProTrainings.uk</u> along with other specifications for respective qualifications listed under each sub-heading.

For more information, please use our online chat service or contact our office on 01206 805 359. Alternatively, please email our support department at <a href="mailto:support@protrainings.uk">support@protrainings.uk</a> or compliance department at <a href="mailto:compliance@protrainings.uk">compliance@protrainings.uk</a> or compliance</a> department at <a href="mailto:compliance">compliance@protrainings.uk</a> or compliance</a> department at <a href="mailto:compliance@protrainings.uk">compliance@protrainings.uk</a> or compliance</a> depart



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#### Introduction to Slip, Trips and Falls Level 2 (VTQ)

Slip, Trips and Falls training are required in most workplaces to identify where employees can get hurt. Understanding the risks of these easy to identify problems will result in less un-necessary injuries at work. This course is ideal for any workplace as the risks can be applied to any environment.

This course will cover regulations and the law, employer responsibilities, workplace policies, safe working, slip hazards, trip hazards, injuries, prevention of accidents, reporting and correct handling.

An online E-learning option is available for learners who are unable to attend a classroom session.

ProTrainings Europe is proud supporters of Backcare who aim to significantly reduce the burden of back pain by providing information and advice to all people and organisations affected by back pain.

The content of this and all our courses has been independently certified as conforming to universally accepted Continuous Professional Development (CPD) guidelines and come with a Certified CPD Statement as well as a ProTrainings Certificate and for online courses an Evidence-Based Learning statement.

#### **Qualification Delivery**

**Guided Learning Hours (GLH):** These hours are made up of real-time contact time, guidance or supervision of a learner by an instructor, supervisor, tutor or trainer.

GLH for this qualification is 3

**Total Qualification Time (TQT):** This is an estimate of the total length of time it is expected that a learner will typically take to achieve and demonstrate the level of attainment necessary for the award of the qualification i.e. to achieve all learning outcomes.

TQT for this qualification is 5

Our Slip, Trips and Falls Level 2 (VTQ) course is taught over half a day and will include a theoretical assessment.

#### **Entry Requirements**

There are no specific entry requirements however, learners should have a minimum of level 2 in literacy, numeracy or equivalent and must be aged 14 years and above.

#### Progression

#### Successful learners can progress to other qualifications such as:

- Health and Safety Level 1 (VTQ)
- Health and Safety Level 2 (VTQ)
- Health and Safety Level 3 (VTQ)
- IOSH
- Nebosh



#### Requirements to teach the Slip, Trips and Falls Level 2 (VTQ)

Approval to deliver this course is sanctioned by ProTrainings Europe Limited only.

Instructors must hold the relevant qualifications, experience and occupational competence to qualify for approval. A detailed portfolio providing descriptive dates, CPD log and meeting/passing IQA reviews is required for approval.

Supporting evidence which clearly outlines where instructors qualify to teach this course must be emailed to our compliance manager at compliance@protrainings.uk.

#### Certification

This qualification is overseen by our compliance department and all courses undergo a robust internal quality assurance review prior to certification.

A desktop-review and site visit will form part of our evaluation.

Paperwork should be marked and assessed by the approved instructor/centre and uploaded to our online management suite following successful completion of the course. Courses should be passed within 5 working days after the course has been taught.

#### Learner Access

ProTrainings offer highly sophisticated and supportive services to successful learners who complete online, classroom and blended training. Our online system offers the learner a uniquely designed portal where there is access to a free student manual, CPD credit statement, evidence-based learning document, optional weekly refresher videos and an area for downloadable content with a cohort of supporting evidence relevant to the qualification the learner completes.

ProTrainings after service adds clarity to teaching, promotes continuous learning and encourages learners to revisit and revise subjects they have been taught.

**Complaints - Scope of Complaints Procedure:** The procedure deals with complaints arising from:

- Delivery (or lack of delivery) of services for education and training including teaching, course content, tutoring, assessment, feedback on progress and learner support during learning programmes
- Incorrect or misleading information about services provided by the Centre
- Delivery (or lack of delivery) of support services provided by the Centre including administration of fees, enrolment processes, Centre accommodation, health and safety and learner resource services
- Unacceptable actions or behaviour by Centre staff and/or other learners in the Centre

**How to complain** -Complaints should initially be made in writing to the Head of Centre or to your designated tutor. This can be completed using your student login for <u>www.ProTrainings.uk</u>

Support can be made available for all those involved in a complaint including:

- Representation: parent, guardian, friend or supporter
- Help with completing the written complaint

Induction will provide further details regarding this process.



## Slips, Trips and Falls Level 2 (VTQ)

## PRO/100/STFL2 Course Summary

- The problem
- Regulation and the Law
- Employer responsibilities
- Employer responsibilities
- Workplace policies
- Safe working
- Slip hazards
- Trip hazards
- Injuries
- Prevention of accidents
- Reporting
- Correct handling



## Learning Outcomes – PRO/100/STFL2

These learning outcomes are mapped to meet an Slips, Trips and Falls Level 2 (VTQ) criterion. Each learning outcome presents a knowledge, skill or assessment to help students understand the curriculum in finer detail.

Learning Outcomes (LO) The learner will:	LO
Be able to understand what causes slips and trips	LO1
Discuss what causes a trip and a slip and identify the possible consequences employers and employees may face	1.1
List what contributes to slips and trips	1.2
Understand how the law is instrumental in the prevention workplace accidents and incidents	LO2
Know what The Health and Safety at Work etc. Act 1974 (HSW Act) is and how it applies to employees and employers	2.1
Understand the importance of The Management of Health and Safety at Work Regulations 1999	2.2
Recognise what The Workplace (Health, Safety and Welfare) Regulations 1992 is and how it is relevant in the workplace	2.3
Become familiar with RIDDOR and how to report accidents in the workplace	2.4
Understand the importance of conducting a risk assessment	LO3
Understand what a risk assessment is	3.1
Learn 5 simple steps to an effective risk assessment	3.2
Understand how an effective workplace system supports risk managing slips and trips	3.3
Recognise the importance of using signs and creating awareness	LO4
Understand how signs and barriers can reduce risk in the workplace	4.1
Become familiar with PPE and other types of clothing	4.2
Be familiar with environmental factors that cause slips and trips	LO5
Review and discuss a variety of scenarios from pictures that depict workplace slips and trips	5.1
Identify practical steps to prevent slips and trips accidents	5.2
Summary	



## **Useful Websites**

**ProTrainings Europe Limited** www.ProTrainings.uk

Health and Safety Executive www.hse.gov.uk

The Resuscitation Council (UK) www.resus.org.uk

Skills for Health www.skillsforhealth.org.uk

**Office of Qualifications and Examinations Regulation** www.ofqual.gov.uk

**Ofsted** www.gov.uk/ofsted

Skills for Care www.skillsforcare.org.uk

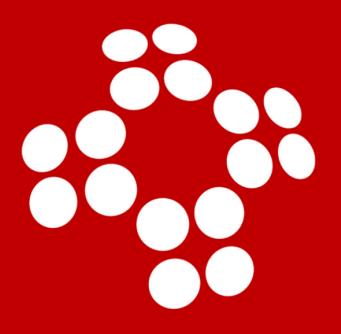
The CPD Standards Office www.cpdstandards.com

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