



CPP20521: CERTIFICATE II IN FIRE PROTECTION INSPECTION AND TESTING

TRAINEE TECHNICIAN COURSE

This course is the entry point for commencing a career in the fire protection industry covering the key skills and knowledge required to succeed and become a competent technician. The course is delivered in the workplace with support from industry experts

Who's it for?

This course is for routine service technicians employed in the fire protection industry who are in the early stages of developing their skills and knowledge for a successful career.

Are there any special requirements needed to take this course?

- Participants must be employed in the fire industry or be capable of conducting routine service of specific fire protection equipment under supervision in the workplace.
- Participants require access to a personal computer or tablet and have basic computer skills to enable use of the on-line learning system.

What does the course cover?

The course provides participants with the foundation skills and knowledge in key technical areas to get you off to a great start in the fire industry. The following areas are included:

- Routine servicing of:
 - o Fire Extinguishers and Blankets
 - o Exit and Emergency Lighting Systems; and
 - o Limited Servicing of Fire Hydrant Systems
- Installation of portable fire extinguishers and blankets
- Understanding of key standards, codes and regulations related to routine servicing of fire protection systems and equipment
- Maintaining workplace health and safety
- Ability to organise work schedules and complete tasks safely and efficiently
- Providing effective customer service
- Ability to discuss servicing needs with clients for a range of fire protection systems and equipment
- Introduction to the classification of fires and extinguishing techniques
- The use of tools and equipment to install and service fire protection equipment and the maintenance of service vehicles

What are the benefits of taking this course?

- Provides the foundation skills and knowledge required to succeed in the fire protection industry.
- Attain skills in key areas of routine servicing of fire protection systems and equipment, covering those systems typically assigned to technicians starting out in the industry.
- Kick start your journey to becoming a highly skilled and valued employee.
- Completion of the course may satisfy licensing and accreditation requirements across Australia and provide a foundation for future learning.

How long does it take?

- The course is self-paced and typically takes 6-12 months to complete.
- Participants are required to complete the course within 18 months of enrolling.

How is the course delivered?

- Workplace based learning supported by optional workshops delivered by industry experts.
- The course is delivered via a distance-based delivery model and supported by an online learning system.

How does the course link to Licensing or Accreditation requirements?

- This course will meet licensing and accreditation requirements that have a Certificate II in Fire Protection Inspection and Testing as one of the application requirements.
- Participants may be required to complete additional courses to meet the specific needs of a particular licence or accreditation.
- In some states and territories, a licence or accreditation may be required to undertake fire protection work.
- Visit www.fia.edu.au/advice for information on state and territory requirements or complete our course enquiry form and let us demystify licensing and accreditation requirements and identify your training needs.





Additional training opportunities

On completion of this course, participants may choose to enrol in courses that cover servicing of other fire protection systems and equipment or select from any of our professional development courses

How do I enrol?

Further information on course fees and enrolment details can be found at www.fia.edu.au/courses

Course outcomes

On successful completion of this course, participants will be awarded **CPP20521 Certificate II in Fire Protection Inspection and Testing**. The course includes the following units of competency:

Unit Code	Description
BSBOPS203	Deliver a service to customers
BSBPEF202	Plan and apply time management
CPPCMN2002	Participate in workplace safety arrangements
CPPFES2003	Safely moving loads and dangerous goods
CPPFES2004	Identify types of installed fire safety equipment and systems
CPPFES2005	Demonstrate first attack firefighting equipment
CPPFES2006	Prepare for installation and service operations
CPPFES2007	Maintain quality of work and promote continuous improvement
CPPFES2010	Inspect and test fire hose reels
CPPFES2011	Install portable fire extinguishers, fire cabinets and fire blankets
CPPFES2020	Conduct routine inspection and testing of fire extinguishers and fire blankets
CPPFES2026	Inspect and test emergency and exit lighting systems
CPPFES2037	Inspect and test fire hydrant systems