



## **Certified Fall Protection Awareness Technician Training**

**Course Length: 1 Day CEU's 0.6**

**Course Fees: \$295.00**

**Course Credential: Certified Fall Protection Awareness Technician. (CFPAT)**

**(Note: Refresher certification is required every three years to maintain professional credential.)**

**Prerequisite: Previous experience working from heights and wearing fall protection equipment is required.**

**Introduction:** Employers who require employees who work at heights (6 feet in construction and 4 feet in general industry) are required by OSHA to be trained on fall protection safety regulations, and employers are required to have a written fall prevention program in place.

### **Program Objective**

The goal of this program is to inform the students of necessary safe work practices and the regulations designed to prevent injuries and death, due to falls while working in elevated surfaces.

This is a very compact and direct course that deals with the issues and fall protection systems immediately relevant to workers on site. Workers will be expected to know how to properly put on a harness, connect to and utilize a site-specific installed fall protection systems.

### **Course Topics:**

At the completion of this course the participants will be acquainted with the following information and material:

- The need for fall protection;
- Traditional Fall Protection (e.g. handrails, guardrails, etc.);
- Fall Restraint systems;

- Fall Arrest systems (incl. anchors, body support, connecting components and the importance of a rescue plan).
- Understand what is required to develop a fall protection written policy for your business.
- Understand what is required to designate fall protection climbers and trainers.
- Understand what is required to develop a site specific fall protection safety plan according to ANSI Z 359.2.
- Create an alternative fall protection plan for residential construction
- Understand what is required to perform and track fall protection equipment inspections.
- Understand what is required to develop a site rescue plan according to ANZI Z 359.2

**Focus of training will be the systems that students utilize on site. *Client to provide harnesses/lanyards for demonstration during class.***

#### ***Audience***

This course will be valuable for:

- Safety, Health and Environmental Professionals,
- Safety & Health Committee Members
- Government Inspectors
- General Industry and Construction Personnel
- Construction Managers & Supervisors
- Building Inspectors
- Training Managers
- Industrial Hygienists
- Environmental Professionals

#### **Testing:**

Students completing the course must take a proctored final exam. A score of 80% on the final exam is necessary to receive your personalized certificate of completion. The student gets three (3) attempts to pass the course.

