

Construction Safety Coordinator (CSC™)

NBCSA Construction Safety Coordinator (CSC™) designation program provides verification at a nationally recognized level of competency in construction health and safety. Designed to develop and/or enhance health and safety training and auditing skills, the program's primary goal is to expose participants to the fundamentals of construction safety management and to build upon personal field experience. This designation will assist individuals in becoming more marketable in today's workforce.

The CSC™ program will provide practical training in various construction safety management skills and principles. Persons who achieve the CSC™ designation will have a combination of formal training and 3 years practical field experience in the safety/construction industry. Successful participants can provide valuable support to employers in the implementation and maintenance of a company's comprehensive health and safety program.

CONSTRUCTION SAFETY COORDINATOR- NATIONAL STANDARD

Who am I?

If you are an individual who is interested in protecting the health and safety of individuals who work in the construction industry, being a Construction Safety Coordinator is the position for you.

What do I do?

- The Construction Safety Coordinator acts as a resource person for the company on health & safety issues
- Understand and apply the company Health & Safety program, policies, and procedures for the protection of workers, property, equipment, and the environment
- Recognize, assess, and control/eliminate workplace hazards
- Act as a liaison for the company with the Occupational Health & Safety Regulatory body and Workers' Health and Safety Compensation Commission
- Act as a liaison with the company and workers on health & safety issues
- Assess the effectiveness of the health & safety program
- Promote health & safety by setting a good example

How do I advance?

The construction industry is in an upswing in New Brunswick. This upswing does not show any decline for the next five years. Should you wish to become a Construction Safety Coordinator in New Brunswick, the opportunities are limitless. The designation Construction Safety Coordinator has been accepted across Canada. If you are interested in this type of position, the work commands respect, not only from your employer and fellow employees, but from government agencies, prime contractors, and construction owners.

Variety and Travel – Where do I go from here?

Construction Safety Coordinators are in demand. By having the right tools and the willingness to expand your education, where you go and what you do is limitless. All industries require dedicated people to ensure the health and safety of their workforce.

Education Requirements

To become a Construction Safety Coordinator, you need to have worked in the construction industry for a minimum of three years and complete the above list of New Brunswick Construction Safety Association courses:

Other provinces may require additional training, such as representative training for members of joint worksite health and safety committees.

To register in the program, contact the New Brunswick Construction Safety Association. To achieve the designation of Construction Safety Coordinator, you must:

- Be certified in the above compulsory and (any three) elective courses, and
- Submit a letter from your employer or a detailed resume that demonstrates your industry experience. (Minimum of 3 years' experience).

Due to the nature of the position, there may be physical and mental demands placed on the Construction Safety Coordinator based on industry requirements. Some of the physical demands may include, but not be limited to: climbing, walking, lifting, bending, driving, etc. Each individual employer needs to identify what the demands are for the position in the company and what limitations may be acceptable to their particular industry.

Fee

\$50.00 plus HST Charge to process a CSC™- To be submitted with your application

Resources

Contact the New Brunswick Construction Safety Association (NBCSA) regarding this program at:

NBCSA

PO Box 731
Miramichi, NB
E1V 3V4

Phone: (506)-627-1477
Toll Free: 1-877-382-7233
Fax: (506)-624-9581
Email: lindy@nbcsa.ca

Applicant: _____ Date: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Address: _____

Compulsory Courses	Completed	Documentation/ Verification submitted to NBCSA
Principles of Loss Control		
Principles of Loss Control Audit		
Leadership for Safety Excellence		
WHMIS 2015 Train the Trainer or Train the Trainer		
Hazard Identification and Control		
WHMIS 2015		
Safety Orientation		
Workplace First Aid		
Construction Safety Administration		
Electives (three required)	Completed	Documentation/ Verification submitted to NBCSA
Fall Protection Basics for Workers		
Confined Space Entry Awareness		
Trenching Awareness		
Incident Investigation		
Transportation of Dangerous goods		
Lockout Awareness		
Traffic Control Person		
Workplace Area Traffic Control Manual (WATCM)		
Manlift Awareness		
Forklift Operator		
Rigging Awareness		
Leading For Cultural Change		
Harassment Awareness		

CSC™ Required Experience

Compulsory Experience	Completed	Documentation/ Verification submitted to NBCSA
Three years field experience in the construction industry (Proof Required)		

CSC™ Application of Training and Experience

Compulsory Application	Completed	Documentation/ Verification submitted to NBCSA
Inspection job site		
Company COR® Safety Program Audit (internal)		
Toolbox Talk or Presentation		
Code of Ethics (Reviewed in CSA course)		



Code of Ethics

Construction Safety Coordinator

The CSC™ shall:

- Practice sound judgment.
- Recognize professional limitations and competencies.
- Practice the highest standards of honesty and integrity.
- Represent themselves, their qualifications, and their experience accurately.
- Promote and uphold the distinction of the safety profession.
- Avoid conflicts of interest.
- Protect confidential information and share only when legally obligated.
- Respect dignity, diversity, human rights, and employment standards.
- Continue professional growth and development.
- Support the efforts of other safety practitioners.

I, _____ have read, understand, and will comply with the CSC™ Code of Ethics as written above. I realize that any breach of the Code of Ethics may result in a formal review and subsequent suspension or termination of my CSC™ designation.

Signature

Date