

# **MANUAL HANDLING**

### Aim

The purpose of the training course is to prevent manual handling injuries and to identify potential workplace tasks that need improvement. The following will also be explored, namely:

- Cause of back pain
- Manual Handling Regulations
- Risk Assessment (TILE)
- Spinal anatomy, structure and function
- Manual handling controls, including correct lifting technique

#### **Course Duration**

The course will be of half - day duration.

# **Course Syllabus**

- Legislation
- The manual handling problem
- Causes of back problems (on and off site)
- Common injuries associated with poor manual handling
- Employer and employee responsibilities
- Controls including correct lifting technique
- Practical exercise (prior discussion with client)

### Certification

Delegates will receive an attendance certificate.