THE INSTITUTE FOR WORK AT HEIGHT

PROFESSIONAL BODY TRADE ASSOCIATION

DEAR IWH MEMBERS – **May 2026**

PLEASE TAKE NOTE OF THE LATEST LIST OF IWH PROFESSIONAL BODY RECOGNISED TRAINING PROVIDERS. WILL YOU PLEASE CONTINUE TO USE THESE PROVIDERS RATHER THAN SENDING YOUR EMPLOYEES TO PROVIDERS WHO DO NOT RECEIVE AUDITS FROM US.

TRAINING PROVIDER NAME	TEL	EMAIL							
ALTRA MEDICAL PRODUCTIONS	016 366 0531	training@altramed.co.za	X		X				X
APEX SHEQ SERVICES	011 554 8600	info@apexsheqtraining.co.za	X		X	X			
DAILY ENVIRONMENTAL SAFETY (DESS)	0726966594	simba@dessgroup.co.za	X	X	X	X			
GLOBAL SHEQ TRAINING	078 442 1083	blessing@globalsheqpro.co.za	X		X	X			
GOSCOR ACCESS SOLUTIONS/CONCORD	011 393 6437	carlvandyk@outlook.com			X		X		
GRAVITEK ROPE ACCESS	0314600715	admin@gravitek.co.za	X	X	X				
GROUP 583	064 516 9187	training@group583.com	X	X	X	X		X	
HEIGTHSAFE 360 (Heightsafety)	011 314 3375	johan@heightsafe360.co.za	X	X	X				
HI-REACH MANLIFT	011 362 4027	george@hi-reach.co.za			X		X		
HIGH ANGLE RESCUES & ACCESS	021 683 9194	dion@hiangle.com	X	X	X			X	
KC INTERNATIONAL	068 171 6682	sara@kcropeaccess.co.za	X						
LODE FALL ARREST SYSTEMS	011 708 2470	info@fallarrest.co.za	X						
MELIOR ACCESS SOLUTIONS	072 604 5807	marthinus@melioraccess.com	X	X	X				
MORDENTECH TECHNOLOGIES	071 018 1747	training@mordentechsa.co.za	X	X	X	X 6m			
NOMATHATA ROPE ACCESS	021 380 0232	adolph@nomathataropeaccess.com	X	X					
NOSA	087 286 8222	sisinyana.matshego@safetycloud.co.za	X						
PROTEKTA SAFETY GEAR	011 453 7374	dylan@protekta.co.za	X		X				
PROVISO TRAINING COLLEGE	012 653 1322	renate@proviso.co.za	X		X	X			
SIYAKHULISA SKILLS ACADEMY	035 751 1108	claire@siyakhulisa.co.za	X		X	X			
SKYJACKS	011 397 2730	seanf@skyjacks.co.za					X		X
SKYTECH SAFETY CONSULTANTS	068 183 9415	ops@skytechsafety.co.za	X						
STARCROW36	013 665 1330	johan@starcrow36.co.za	X			X 6m	X		
THEE TRUTH SAFETY	035 068 0811	safety@theetruthprojects.co.za	X	X					
TRAINING WORKZ	021 551 1277	info@workz.co.za	X	X					
UPLIFT QUALITY SOLUTIONS	087 086 4973	Glenn.leloka@eazi.co.za					X		
WACO TRAINING ACADEMY	011 842 4000	nathanielN@wacoafrica.co.za	X	X	X	X			

WHY SHOULD YOU USE AN IWH RECOGNISED TRAINING PROVIDER TO TRAIN YOUR WORK AT HEIGHT EMPLOYEES

The IWH Prof Body is the only professional body registered with SAQA (South African Qualifications Authority) for the work at height industry. As part of its scope, they recognises suitable, compliant providers to conduct training. What this means, is that the skills development provider recognised by us, will be verified against the following:

- The PDP's legal status and operational compliance.
- The PDP's ability to deliver training in accordance with current industry standards, best practice and legislative requirements.
- The competency and registration status of facilitators and assessors.
- The PDP's compliant practical facilities and equipment.
- The PDP's commitment to ethical conduct, quality training delivery and ongoing compliance with IWH policies and requirements.
- The registration of successful learners with the IWH Professional Body for purposes of issuing a License to Practice/Designation.

Why all the above is important…

We have found many providers who are accredited with one of the SETA's but will train outside their scope, issue competence certificates without the learners' results being uploaded to the relevant SETA and also including an expiry date on the certificate. This is wrong and it is illegal according to the new National Qualification Framework Amendment Act, ie 'misrepresented qualification'.

A provider cannot issue a certificate of competence to a learner with an expiry date on the certificate, as a qualification cannot expire. Only the license to practice can expire and a provider does not have the mandate to issue a license to practice – that mandate resides with SAQA recognised professional bodies.

Providers are also not allowed to issue certificates of competence to a learner before the SETA / QCTO has conducted an external moderation and a Statement of Results has been issued by the SETA – before that, the learner can only receive a letter of attendance. We verify that our providers are doing everything practical and reasonable with regards to their Professional Body registration status and we also conduct our own external moderation/audit on their training before we issue a license to practice to any competent candidate. (Official letter issued by the IWH Professional Body)

DIFFERENCE BETWEEN IWH CERTIFIED TRAINING VERSUS NON IWH CERTIFIED TRAINING

IWH CERTIFIED	NON-IWH CERTIFIED
IWH-certified training is provided by approved Professional Development Partners (PDPs) that are registered with the IWH and approved for the specific programmes they offer. These PDPs are recognised by the IWH Professional Body, which helps ensure compliance with the required quality standards and safety protocols.	Non - certified training is provided by providers who perhaps have accreditation but is not monitored by a Professional body that continuously ensure the quality as well as the safety protocols within the organisation.
Certification is done via a controlled business management system and all uploads to the professional body is validated and quality checked before printing takes place. The professional body keeps record of all learners uploaded via this advanced system to ensure traceability. One can also validate information online via an easy to access link.	Certification is usually done internally and without proper quality assurance checks. Record keeping of the learner data is a concern, as certification is not done via a controlled and advanced business management system. Validation of learner information is not as secure.
The IWH certificates have a unique certificate number as well as a learner registration number. The IWH also has a QR code in order to authenticate the learner detail and training done.	Certification is done internally which does not ensure a unique registration number and does not contain a QR code which makes the chances for forgery easier.
IWH-certified training guarantees that the training provider has been approved and recognised by the IWH Professional Body. The IWH does not recognise providers without sufficient proof of compliance with the required standards, policies, and safety requirements.	Non- certified training is not guaranteed to be accredited training as the provider may not be accredited to train the specific programmes they advertise.
The IWH certified training is guaranteed to be presented by registered facilitators and assessors quality assured by the professional body to ensure competence to train their subject matter.	Non-certified training can be presented by an individual who might not be a subject matter expert. The credentials and competence of the training staff is not quality assured.
IWH certified training is presented by providers who follow a specific education and training quality assurance process, fair assessments and external moderation.	Non-certified training is provided by providers who might not be accredited and is not bound to follow any formal processes such as fair and equal assessment practices and internal moderation.