

USW002

## NRSA Location and Avoidance of Underground Apparatus

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| <b>Duration</b>      | 1 day   |
| <b>Target group</b>  | For Operatives and Supervisors, to enable competence in locating and avoiding contact with underground apparatus  |
| <b>Prerequisites</b> | There are no prerequisites for this course.   |
| <b>Objective</b>     | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The avoidance of serious injury and major harm to employees and evidence of assessment and qualifications towards competence of employees.</li><li>• Avoidance of costly damage to other underground services.</li></ul>  |
| <b>Contents</b>      | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Risk assessment detailing the importance of accurate location of underground services.</li><li>• What apparatus is buried under the ground, and interpretation of plans and maps, including recognition and purpose of street furniture.</li><li>• How to use cable detection equipment in all modes, and to fully understand its limitations.</li><li>• Understanding where there is a need for hand excavation, and the digging of trial holes.</li></ul> |
| <b>Exam</b>          | Multiple Choice Exam  |