

# Train Track Safety Awareness

Version: 5.3

## DESCRIPTION

This course is the initial introduction to enable Rail Safety Workers (RSWs) to safely work in the Metro Trains Melbourne (MTM) Metropolitan Rail Network.

This course provides the RSW the knowledge and skills required to enter the rail corridor.

It includes taking appropriate safety precautions to:

- access the danger zone
- access the rail corridor
- respond appropriately in an emergency.

## AUDIENCE

This course is for all new entrants to the MTM Metropolitan Rail Network.

This course is not suitable if the participant already has completed the approved **MTM Train Track Safety Awareness** course (TTSA).

If the participant has previously completed the approved MTM Train Track Safety Awareness course, then an email should be sent to [railsafetyprereq@metrotrains.com.au](mailto:railsafetyprereq@metrotrains.com.au) to confirm next steps.

## COURSE OBJECTIVES

This course will give participants the knowledge and skills to:

- ensure their safety and the safety of others
- provide the knowledge and skills required to perform work safely in or near the rail corridor and danger zone
- identify hazards, risk, and controls in relation to working in the rail corridor and danger zone
- understand safety critical communication when working and around the rail corridor
- understand terminology used in the rail corridor
- follow and understand policies and procedures in relation to working in the MTM Metropolitan Rail Network.

## DURATION

One day

## DELIVERY MODE

Face-to-face

## ASSESSMENT METHODS

Knowledge

Practical

## PERSONAL PROTECTIVE EQUIPMENT (PPE) REQUIREMENTS

Participants **MUST** bring the following items on the day of training:



Steel capped, lace up boots with ankle support



Full length trousers



Long sleeve shirt

May bring or will be provided:



Orange Hi-Vis vest



Eye protection



Hard hat

**Participants cannot commence training without PPE**

## PROOF OF IDENTITY REQUIREMENTS

Participants are required to produce a valid Identification document (ID) on the day of training.

One of the following is considered a valid ID document, the document must contain a photo of the participant and be current.

- Australian or International Passport
- Driver's Licence
- Driver's Learners Permit
- Boat Operator's Licence
- Victorian Firearm Licence
- Licence to Perform High Risk Work
- Consumer Affairs Victoria Proof of Age card
- Other Australian Government issued ID card
- State, Territory or Federal Government Employee ID
- Keypass ID card or Tertiary Education Photo ID card

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## COVID SAFE REQUIREMENTS

If you test positive for COVID-19, you **MUST** follow the directions outlined at: <https://www.coronavirus.vic.gov.au/>

You **MUST NOT** attend training if you have tested positive to COVID-19 within the past 5 days and are not permitted to enter the premises and undertake training if you are continuing to suffer symptoms related to COVID-19.

Participant **MUST** comply with Local COVID Safe Plans.

## METRO ACADEMY PREREQUISITES

Participant **MUST** be 18+ years of age

## METRO ACADEMY PREREQUISITE VERIFICATION

Approved photo ID **MUST** be sighted on day of attendance.

Metro Academy will verify that the participant does not hold TLIF0020 [Safely access the rail corridor\\*](#) against Rail Industry Worker (RIW) database.

To prevent delay, participant's 'The Platform' profile **MUST** contain current email address, contact number, RIW number and date of birth.

Verifications will normally be completed by Metro Academy within two (2) business days, providing the participants RIW card is valid\*\*

\* (Units of competency considered equivalent on [www.training.gov.au](http://www.training.gov.au) are also accepted)

\*\* Participant is unable to commence training until verifications have been completed by Metro Academy

## COURSE COMPLETION

Participants who successfully complete all requirements of this course will be awarded a Statement of Attainment (SoA) for the following nationally recognised Unit of Competency (UOC):

**TLIF0020** [Safely access the rail corridor](#)

SoA will be issued by Metro Academy via email, normally within ten (10) business days.

A certificate of currency is also issued and is accepted on the MTM Metropolitan Rail Network and is valid for 24 months. This competency **MUST** be renewed before expiration.

## RIW CERTIFICATE UPLOADS

Metro Academy will upload the participant's certificate to the [RIW](#) database\*.

To prevent delay, participants **MUST** ensure 'The Platform' profile contains current email address, contact number, RIW number and date of birth.

Uploads will normally be completed by Metro Academy within two (2) business days of SoA being issued.

\* Participant **MUST** have existing valid RIW profile on day of course

### Information/bookings



[The Platform](#)



<https://www.metrotrains.com.au/academy/>



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## VENUE



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## FEES

\$330 (GST does not apply)