

# Location And Avoidance Of Underground Apparatus

## **Objectives**

This course is designed to make candidates aware of the dangers involved in excavating on public highways and private land and train them to detect and avoid most buried apparatus.

## **Who for**

Everyone connected with excavation will benefit from this course, including: designers and planners, safety personnel, site management and all operational staff including machine operators.

## **Course Content**

- Responsibility under Health & Safety at Work Act.
- Responsibility to work to HSG47.
- Obtaining and understanding utilities drawings.
- Observation of surface features—manholes, lamp standard etc.
- Use of locating Cat & Genny or similar.
- Careful excavation.
- Practical assessment.

## **Training Method**

This course is highly participative with both theory and practical sessions, highlighted by the use of PowerPoint presentation.

## **Additional Information**

This course meets the criteria for CITB grants. The UTN administration team will give full support for the application of this grant

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