# MGPS Services Ltd

## **Course Details**

# Medical Gases Safety and Cylinder Awareness for Porters/Nurses

### Who will benefit

Those involved with/or the overseeing of/or responsible in any way for the procurement, storage handling and usage of medical gases and medical gas cylinders.

## **Purpose**

To impart the essential underpinning knowledge and to develop skills prescribed by HTM02-01 for those with a need to manage or handle medical gases and/or medical gas cylinders in healthcare premises.

#### What will be covered

- · Identifying medical gases from cylinder labeling
- The hazards of medical gases
- Safety systems used on medical gas cylinders
- Safe handling, storage and transport of medical gas cylinders
- Dealing with faulty cylinders
- Connection and disconnection of medical gas cylinders to/from medical equipment.
- Correct response to medical gas alarms.
- Correct response to a medical gas emergency.

#### **Additional information**

An essential training session for those who are in any way responsible for medical gases (piped or cylinders) in healthcare premises.

The session is particularly useful for nursing staff, medical staff and designated porters.

If desirable greater emphasis can be directed during a session at a particular aspect e.g. good manifold room practice etc.

The duration of this course is 3 hours.

Price on request.