



Safety in Laboratories

**two day training course
28-29 April 2016**

presented by Dr Phillip Crisp of RiskAssess

I invite you to attend a comprehensive two day training course on laboratory safety to be held at Oakhill College, Castle Hill. The course is specially designed for Heads of Science, Science Teachers and Laboratory Technicians, and will provide practical and useful information. Most of the material will also be relevant to TAS, VA and Maintenance staff. The course is suitable for both Government and non-Government schools, since they need to follow the same laws.

The course covers:

- legal requirements imposed by the Work Health and Safety Act 2011
- risk assessment: the logic and the process, and a workshop on RiskAssess software
- Globally Harmonised System for Classification and Labelling of Chemicals (GHS)
- safe use of equipment and biological materials
- fire safety and emergency procedures
- dangerous chemicals
- safe storage and disposal of chemicals
- electrical safety
- guidelines for planning new experiments
- systematic approach to safety
- discussion of common problems, questions and answers.

The cost is \$450.00 + GST per person, and includes two full days of presentations / workshops, morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea each day, 200 page course book "Safety in Schools" and a certificate of attendance. Attendance for two days is recommended but one day (\$300.00 + GST per person) is possible.

The program, registration form and further information are available at www.riskassess.com.au Just click on **safety courses**. Contact Phillip Crisp (phillip@ecosolve.com.au or 02 9415 8677) if you wish to discuss the course further.

Dr Phillip Crisp

Phillip Crisp's background:

- co-founder of RiskAssess, the web-based risk assessment tool
- 40 years' experience in University chemical laboratories
- trained more than 3500 people in safety courses at schools and universities over 20 years
- ran "Safety in Laboratories" courses for science teachers and science technicians in most States of Australia
- OHS Coordinator, Faculty of Engineering, University of New South Wales for 3 years
- wrote most appendices of "Chemical Safety in Schools" package for NSW Department of School Education, including Appendix D.