

## Telehandler Training Courses Saskatchewan

Telehandler Training Courses Saskatchewan - The employer has the responsibility to make sure that their personnel are trained to work competently with telehandler machines. The staff need to be assessed for their ability to make use of the machine. If deficiencies are found, employers need to provide training so that workers obtain the necessary level of ability. The level of responsibility of the individual should be considered when training is provided. Effective training would solve whichever deficiencies in the skills, understanding and knowledge of telehandler supervisors and operators. Training may be undertaken by hiring an external training provider or through in-house sessions. An assessment at the completion of the training period would determine if the learning goals have been met or not.

Local, federal and state/provincial rules set out guidelines for basic telehandler operator testing and training. Basic training does not address such subject matters as the lifting of suspended loads, the lifting of people, using different attachments, or the use of rotating machinery. Further training must be undertaken if such tasks are required on the work site.

### Maintenance and Inspection

The telehandler needs routine maintenance similar to any other machinery. The equipment would wear out over time, so proper maintenance is needed to guarantee the safe utilization of the telehandler machinery. Inspections and checks are essential to ongoing maintenance procedures. Operators must have machine-specific training in order to monitor, prevent and rectify problems connected with wear, deterioration and damage. Staff need experience and competence in both periodic and breakdown maintenance. The preventive maintenance instructions of the manufacturer must be seriously viewed and followed, considering such factors as frequency of use and environmental conditions in the work setting.

The responsibility for ensuring that the telehandler and its attachments are in good working order lies with both the user and owner of the equipment. General maintenance is normally performed by the telehandler owner while pre-use inspections are normally performed by the user.