## **Manlift Certification Saskatchewan**

Manlift Certification Saskatchewan - The Manlifts and Elevated Platforms course provides training on the rules, regulations and proper application of safe operating procedures and work practices involved in daily activities for individuals who work utilizing this equipment. The program has been designed for individuals who are actively involved in these activities or individuals who have a basic knowledge of this machinery.

Aerial platforms and manlifts have become common and integral machinery in industrial settings in the past few decades. These machinery provide an easy way to lift staff close to what should be performed on a stable platform apparatus, enabling staff to carry out tasks with greater safety and comfort rather than being perched on top of scaffolding or ladders.

The manlift is similar to other industrial devices in that they are safe when used correctly. Since they lift employees above floor or ground level, accidents can occur easily and this can result in serious injuries or death for both the operators of the manlift as well as any passerby who may not be lucky enough to be standing beneath.

Manlifts come in different types. Nearly all fit into 1 or 2 categories: the scissor lift, that is capable of moving upward and downward and the articulating boom lift, which could move both vertically and horizontally.

## Protecting Employees

It is very important to offer right training for you operators. Many companies which rent these machines will provide on site training. Every worker who will be working on the equipment or operating it must receive training in safe operations. It is likewise essential that just those employees who have received training must be authorized to operate the controls. Operating procedures and communication rules should be clear. Hence, staff on the ground should not operate controls without the approval and knowledge of any staff in the basket.

The employees that occupy the basket would be required to wear the proper fall protection gear which comprises a harness and lanyard. The fall protection connects to the manlift easily. The employee needs to ensure that he or she has made any adjustments required to reflect the change in fall distance if there are changes in the height of the work area.

Manlifts need to be inspected and tested each day to make sure they are in safe operating condition. Prior to utilizing the machine, whichever defects should be re-inspected and fixed.