## **Prince Albert Overhead Crane Operator Training**

Prince Albert Overhead Crane Operator Training - Our overhead crane operator training program is designed to teach workers the basics of overhead crane/sling operation and pre-shift inspections. Courses are taught by our professional trainers and consultants. Well-trained workers are more efficient and productive, that really saves on expenses associated with product damage, property damage, and accidents due to the use of improper operating procedures. Our overhead crane certification is customized for workers who have literacy barriers, reducing certification time by 50 percent.

The overhead crane has been built to be used doing repetitive lifting activities. This type of crane can be utilized in numerous capacities. They can be used for specialized lifting jobs such as removing or installing major plant equipment.

Worker and operators should employ safe rigging practices in order to safely operate an overhead crane. This would need both practice and knowledge since the load should be correctly rigged to guarantee its stability when raised. Before starting a lifting task, it should be determined that the crane is suitable for the task, with right travel, lift and capacity. The crane has to be subjected to a thorough physical and visual check before utilization. The capacity of all equipment, including the hardware, rope and slings, should never exceed load weight capacities.

Prior to using the rigger must know what sling is right for every lift and should check the rigging gear and hardware. The communications which are used with the crane operator need to be concise and clear. A signaler must be chosen for the role and signals must be agreed upon. The operator of the crane needs to follow instructions only from the designated individual. If a remote or wired controller is being utilized, the operator must be trained in all its functions.

In order to guarantee the safety of personnel, a warning has to be issued and the path of the load should be cleared of all hazards before the lift begins. People must not be allowed to walk below the lift loads. The crane hoist must be centered over the load before lifting in order to prevent swinging. The safety catch should be closed immediately after sliding the sling fully onto the lifting hook. Unused sling legs must be secured so they do not drag. Never leave loose materials on a load being hoisted. Watch that hands and fingers are clear when slack is taken out of a sling. Before the lift is carried out, step clear of the danger zone.