



## SKID STEER LOADER OPERATION

### Aims and Outcomes

This course is designed to provide candidates with the knowledge and skills to operate a skid steer loader safely and efficiently.

On completion, candidates will be able to conduct pre-start and pre-operational checks; identify hazards and control risk, operate skid steer loader correctly and safely through all areas of operation.



### Prerequisite

There are no prerequisites, however previous equipment operation is desirable.

### Course Content

The Skid Steer Loader Training Plan is based on competencies within the Australian Qualification Framework (AQF):

- Legislation in the Workplace – HSE Acts and Regulations; specific regulations and International Standards dealing with mobile equipment operation; Codes of Practice and Company Procedures.
- Plan Work - Site requirements and rules; site hazard identification; emergency procedures; priorities; machine requirements/ work identified and verified from job specifications; site plans.
- Operate Machinery - Main components identified; pre-start and pre-operational checks; capabilities and limitations; operational efficiency determined by ground and weather characteristics; operated in a safe manner.
- Practical Training - Loads shifted/ transferred in accordance with job requirements; excavation and levelling techniques; appropriate attachments and accessories used.

### Certification

On successful completion of the training, candidates will be awarded a Futuro Skills Certificate in Skid Steer Loader Operation.

### Duration

Maximum of 14 hours over 2 days (dependent on experience).

### Maximum Candidates

8 persons