Cycling Scotland

Road User Awareness Training

Fully funded training available for your drivers

More than 80% of professional drivers agree that Road User Awareness Training provides them with a better understanding of cycling and road users.*

"The training was engaging and authentic and had the added benefit of contributing to Driver's CPC hours and allowing us to achieve our FORS Silver award." Galt Transport

"An excellent course that will make me more aware of the needs of someone cycling on the road! I really enjoyed the course. I had not cycled for 30 years. Bit of an eye-opener!" Course participant

Since 2014, more than 100 organisations have benefited from this training, including Lothian Buses, T. French and Son, and Glasgow City Council.

To book a course or discuss your requirements, please contact **training@cycling.scot**





Driver & Vehicle Standards Agency **Road User Awareness Training** courses support your staff with the knowledge and understanding to drive more safely and reduce the risk to vulnerable road users, including people walking, wheeling and cycling. The training contributes to your organisation's work-related road risk policies and has been proven to improve driver attitudes and behaviours, including overall speed reduction.

Developed with input from a range of road safety professionals and delivered by expert trainers, the training aligns with external accreditation from the Driver & Vehicle Standards Agency (DVSA) and Fleet Operator Recognition Scheme (FORS).

Benefits have been observed for all drivers, from those newly qualified to professionals, including advanced driving instructors and drivers of large vehicles, including bus and truck drivers.

Driver Certificate of Professional Competence (CPC) (on-cycle): Aimed at Large Goods Vehicle (LGV) and Passenger Carrying Vehicle (PCV) drivers, this training counts towards 7 hours of Driver CPC:

- 3.5 hours of classroom-based instruction
- 3.5 hours of outdoor, on-cycle practical training, providing an opportunity for participants to spend time on a bike and step in the shoes of someone cycling, with the guidance of an expert instructor.

Courses can be delivered at your site or at one of our approved centres in Glasgow or Stirling. We can discuss training options with you, including how to embed training within your current CPC offer.

For fleet drivers: This one-hour workshop is ideal for any of your staff who drive for work, whether as part of their everyday duties or occasional grey-fleet use. Content focuses on the key risks and improved understanding of safer driving behaviours.

Training can be delivered from one of our delivery partners located in the central belt, or we can discuss local delivery. Additionally, we can support your instructors to deliver training directly to your workforce.

Get in touch to arrange training for your staff and drivers by contacting **training@cycling.scot**

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