

Module 1

1.3 Security Guarding:

- Providing leadership and direction in emergencies and assisting emergency personnel in times of crisis, e.g., directing fire fighters to the easiest/best way to get to the scene of the fire.
- Controlling access to a site, including monitoring entrance & gate passage, escorting people & valuables inspecting bags.
- Controlling or restoring order to a crowd.
- Preventing work accidents by being aware of potential dangers, reporting safety hazards and following directions to minimize the risk posed to others.

While there can be no doubt that some situations will involve physical intervention, the majority of tasks assigned require a security guard to observe, deter, record and report only. It is the role of a security guard to protect people, property and information.