## **Kitchener Telehandler Training Courses**

Kitchener Telehandler Training Courses - The employer has the responsibility to make sure that their employees are trained to work competently with telehandler machinery. The employees need to be assessed for their skill to utilize the equipment. If deficiencies are found, employers have to provide training so that workers attain the needed level of skill. The responsibility level of the person should be considered when training is offered. Effective training would remedy any deficiencies in the understanding, knowledge and skills of telehandler operators and supervisors. Training can be undertaken by hiring an external training provider or through inhouse sessions. An assessment at the completion of the training period will determine whether or not the learning objectives have been met.

Federal, state/provincial and local regulations set out guidelines for basic telehandler operator testing and training. Basic training does not deal with such subject matters as the lifting of suspended loads, the lifting of people, the use of rotating machinery or utilizing other attachments. Further training should be undertaken if such tasks are required on the work place.

## Inspection and maintenance

The telehandler needs routine maintenance similar to any other machinery. The machinery would wear out over time, so proper maintenance is required to guarantee the safe utilization of the telehandler machine. Checks and inspections are essential to ongoing maintenance procedures. Operators have to have machine-specific training to be able to monitor, prevent and rectify problems associated with damage, wear and deterioration. Personnel require competence and experience in both breakdown and periodic maintenance. The preventive maintenance directions of the manufacturer should be seriously viewed and complied with, considering such factors as environmental conditions in the work setting and frequency of use.

The responsibility for making sure that the telehandler and its attachments are in good working order lies with both the user and owner of the equipment. General maintenance is normally carried out by the telehandler owner while pre-use checks are typically performed by the user.