Guidance for NRC Cardholders - Applying for your CSCS Card

Before applying for your CSCS card you must ensure that you:

✓ Hold a current PLASA NRC Card
✓ Have details of your PLASA NRC date of Achievement (as detailed on your Certificate of Achievement)
✓ Your NRC Certificate of Achievement – to upload for the CSCS card application.
✓ You have passed the mandatory Operative Level Health, Safety & Environment Test, as required by CSCS (for Level 2 NRC Riggers) (Please note, that if you have taken the relevant test within the last 2 years there is no requirement for you to do this again.)
✓ You have passed the mandatory Supervisors CITB Health, Safety & Environment Test, as required by CSCS (for Level 3 NRC supervisors) (Please note, that if you have taken the relevant test within the last 2 years there is no requirement for you to do this again.)
✓ Have your National Insurance Number & CIBT Test Certificate number.

Please contact PLASA if you require details in relation to your NRC Certificate or Card on 01323 524120 or e-mail nrc@plasa.org.

To book your Health, Safety & Environment Test please call 0344 994 448 or visit here

Providing you have the above, detailed below is a step-by-step guide of how to apply for your relevant CSCS Card.

1. Visit the CSCS Website at: www.cscs.uk.com or click here
2. Click on ‘Card Finder’
3. In the Card Finder box that appears click on the blue ‘Search by Occupation’ button
4. In the ‘Occupation’ field, type in NRC, this will follow with ‘NRC Event Rigger’. Click on this
5. On the screen that follows, click on ‘Yes’ to confirm your PLASA NRC Qualification
6. Here you will find a drop-down menu containing Level 2 National Rigging Certificate (PLASA) and Level 3 National Rigging Certificate (PLASA). Select your relevant qualification.
7. The next page will bring up a visual of the CSCS Card that you require according to your NRC Level of selection (i.e., BLUE card for NRC Level 2 and GOLD for NRC Level 3)
NRC Level 2 – CSCS Card requirement

Card Finder

Based on information you have provided, you are eligible for a Skilled - Blue - CSCS Card

CITB Operatives Health, safety and environment test

Before you apply you will need to have passed the CITB Operatives level Health, safety and environment test within the last two years. If you have not already passed the test click here to book today or call the booking line on 0344 994 4488.

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NRC Level 3 – CSCS Card requirement

Card Finder

Based on information you have provided, you are eligible for a Supervisor - CSCS Card

CITB Specialist Supervisory Health, safety and environment test

Before you apply you will need to have passed the CITB Specialist Supervisory level Health, safety and environment test within the last two years. If you have not already passed the test click here to book today or call the booking line on 0344 994 4488.

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8. If you have already taken the test within the last two years, continue with your card application and click on ‘Apply Now’.

9. Now you will need to register for a new account (or sign-in, if previously registered). You can register as an Individual or Employer (for bulk applications). Once registered, you will get an automated e-mail. Click on the link within the e-mail to verify your account. You will then be asked to log-in.

10. Once logged in you will have the option to build your ‘Profile’. You can now apply for your CSCS Card.

11. Click on ‘Apply for a Card’. It will prompt again regarding the Health & Safety Test. If you have not completed your test, you will NOT be able to proceed with your application. Select ‘Yes’ for both fields and click on ‘Continue’. In the ‘Card Type’ drop down box that follows either select ‘Skilled – Blue’ – for NRC Level 2 OR ‘Supervisor’ for NRC Level 3.

13. On the next screen, it will detail your occupation and qualification, with PLASA as the Awarding Organisation. Here you can add your NRC certificate number and achievement date. Select the CIBT Health, Safety and Environment Test that you have attained. Select the details of your test in order to verify its completion. Click on ‘Add’

14. The next stage will ask you to upload the details in relation to your Health & Safety test, including CITB Test ID, National Insurance Number and postcode. Once uploaded click on ‘Validate’.

15. Once your Health & Safety evidence of completion has been validated you will be able to proceed with your card application. If you experience any problems please go to the ‘Support’ function in your account and ‘Add a request’.