

AHERA TRAINING

Class Descriptions

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Asbestos Awareness

This training is required for employees whose work activities may come into contact with asbestos containing material (ACM) or presumed asbestos containing material (PACM) but do not disturb the ACM or PACM during their work activities. This training consists of information regarding asbestos and its various uses and forms. Training also includes information on the health effects associated with asbestos exposure.

Topics include:

- Asbestos: it's various forms and uses
- Historical
- Health effects associated with asbestos exposure
- Recognition and locations of suspect asbestos-containing building materials
- Recognition of damaged, deteriorated, or delaminated asbestos containing building materials
- Person who will carry our general responsibilities and location of the management plan or Operations & Maintenance (O&M) plan
- State and Federal Regulations (Duration – 2 hours) Yearly refresher required.

Asbestos Operations & Maintenance Initial

This course is required for individuals who perform OSHA 29 CFR 1926.1101 Class III who or who conduct small-scale, short-duration (SSSD) abatement of asbestos (with the amounts of 3 square feet or 3 linear feet) for Operations & Maintenance (O&M) purposes only. These activities in school buildings or public and commercial buildings and may include:

- A response action other than an O&M activity
- A response action for a major fiber release episode
- Designated persons schools or O&M program administrators in public and commercial buildings

Topics include:

- Physical characteristics of asbestos
- Potential health effects related to asbestos exposure
- Personal protective equipment
- State of the art work practices
- Personal hygiene
- Additional safety hazards
- Medical monitoring
- Operations & Maintenance programs
- Techniques for performing the Five Response Actions as Specified by AHERA

This course also includes hands-on training in the construction of glove bags and mini-enclosures, as well as, the removal on non-ACM material.

(Duration 16 hour, 2 full 8-hour days) Yearly refresher required.

Asbestos Operations & Maintenance Refresher - (4hr course - needed yearly)



Bloodborne Pathogens

This course covers issues and concepts related to bloodborne pathogens (BBPs), their origination, their transmissions, and the various treatment and prevention methods, which apply in society today. Exposure to blood or other potentially infectious items are concerns in every aspect of the workplace, especially in emergency responses. It is a concern due to the ability of BBPs to be transmitted via body fluids and excretions. Individuals who would require this training would include employees whose job task with present a risk from BBPs such as nurses, emergency medical technicians, competent persons (supervisors or foremen), or lab technicians.

Topics Include:

- Exposure Control Plans
- Background
- Types & Hazards Related to HIV
- Hepatitis B, Hepatitis A, among others
- Emergency Procedures to Protective Equipment, etc...
- The Regulatory Aspect Concerning Michigan 325.70001

Bloodborne & Infectious Diseases

Laboratory Safety is also covered within this training and includes:

- Personal Protective Equipment
- Spill Containment & Control
- Proper Sanitation Procedures
- Proper Disposal
- Decontamination
- Proper Secondary Containment of Infectious Waste or Biological Hazards

(Duration 2-3 hours)

Lead Awareness

This course is in compliance with the Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) 29 CFR 1926.62 regulations. It is designed for personnel who are required to work around lead or lead-containing materials, but who do not perform lead-based paint abatement work.

Topics Include:

- Background
- Sources of Lead
- Hazard Communication
- Regulatory Background
- Health Effects
- Personal Protective Equipment
- Personal Hygiene
- Work Preparation Procedures

(Duration 2 hours) Should be taken yearly.



Powered Industrial Truck / Forklift (PIT)

This course complies with the requirements of 29 CFR 1910.178 and its revisions. This course covers the requirements for employees to operate Powered Industrial Trucks/Forklifts. We will come to your facility to train your employees on the equipment they will be operating and conduct the necessary field verification for each operator.

Topics Include:

- Regulatory Requirements
- Employer Responsibilities
- The use of Permits
- Restrictions from use
- Mechanical Condition/Maintenance
- Inspection of machines
- Forklift Classes
- Safe Operation
- Do's & Don'ts
- Hazard communication on specific fuels

Additional site specific training by the employer is a requirement of the regulation.

(Duration 2-4 hours)

More OSHA Classes....

CPR / First Aid / AED