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ASBESTOS AWARENESS

OSHA Asbestos Toxic and Hazardous Substances
Course: 4 Hours Instruction
Hours – Class Room
Hours – Field Instruction

Regulation 29 CFR 1910.1001 - General Industry
Regulation 29 CFR 1926.1101 - Construction Industry
Fee:

OSHA's asbestos standard requirements are set by statute, standards, and regulations. General industry requires employers to provide an asbestos awareness training course for employees (and contract employees) who perform housekeeping operations in areas where an Asbestos-Containing Material (ACM) or Presumed Asbestos-Containing Material (PACM) is present.

Management actions are necessary to minimize exposure to identified asbestos: maintain register - monitor condition - label, restrict access, inform, train, define and use safe systems of work, operate a permit to work system.

General Industry standard applies to Manufacturing, Brake and Clutch Servicing, and Building Custodial or Housekeeping Work.

Construction Standard applies to Building Maintenance and Construction Work and also to Housekeeping Activities performed after maintenance or construction work.

Asbestos in Buildings - Asbestos in commercial use: sprayed and thermal insulation - insulating boards - coatings - cement products - other reinforced products - vinyl tiles - roofing felts - commonly used in building construction spray coatings - pipe insulation - ceiling tiles

Health effects - benign (pleural plaques) to the terminal (mesothelioma)

United Safety Solutions Course Covers:

- Asbestos hazards recognition and avoidance for the Construction and General Industries.
- Legislative requirements
- OSHA reference method - Mandatory
- Practical knowledge of carrying out asbestos surveys in buildings and sampling techniques used and guidance to minimize exposure.
- Building and/or facility owner notification requirements
- Building and/or facility owner for conducting survey to label asbestos material
- Issues related to the asbestos standard
- Washing of contaminated work clothes
- Cleanup of asbestos
- Types of survey - information for recording - safety precautions required
- Risk Assessments and Management of Asbestos
- Bulk sampling procedures and strategies
- Bulk Sampling and Personal Decontamination
- Possible OSHA penalties for non-compliance

Certification:

Successful completion requires 80% on both classroom and practical skills.

Upon successful completion, participants receive a wallet card, documentation to satisfy OSHA.

Syllabus – Asbestos Awareness - 06/102014