

HAZWOPER: Haz Matters - First Response Training

By following the actions of a first responder awareness level students response to a hazardous substance release, this training teaches learners about OSHA's Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER): First Responder Awareness Level regulation; along with the key aspects of DOT's Hazardous Materials regulation.

- Rich multimedia presentation with interactions and quiz
- Print certificate and wallet card
- You have 60 days to complete the course
- CEUs awarded

Audience

Training for all personnel whose duties include being a First Responder to emergencies involving hazardous materials.

Topics

The course presents the following topical areas:

- Introduction
 - Threats of a hazardous substance emergency
- The Incident
 - Discovery
 - First reaction
- Role of the First Responder
 - OSHA training for emergency responders
 - Duty of the First Responder
 - Recognize the risks
- Substance Identification
 - Placards
 - Container labels
 - Shipping papers
- Emergency Response Plan
 - Purpose of the ER plan
 - Potential outcomes
- Notification
 - Place the call
 - Report the incident
 - The plan is in action
- Emergency Response Guidebook
 - Purpose of the guidebook
 - Sections of the guidebook
 - Finding the proper response guide
 - Information in a response guide

- Secure the Site
 - Protect the public
 - Hand-off to the response team
 - Wrap up

Intended Learning Outcomes

Upon successful completion of this course you will be better prepared to:

- Appreciate the severity of hazardous substances incidents.
 - Recall key statistics regarding accidents and deaths.
- Act with caution when confronting a hazardous emergency.
 - Identify basic rules restraining and guiding response actions.
- Take response actions only in accord with the proper training level.
 - State the principle duty of a First Responder Awareness Level.
 - Recognize the training level required for spill clean-up.
- Observe the scene and collect facts.
 - Describe the potential risks.
 - List actions to take before calling emergency response.
- Collect information to identify the hazardous substance.
 - Recognize placard types and the information they present.
 - Identify characteristics of hazardous materials labels.
- Follow the ER Plan as a guide for response actions.
 - Recall the purpose and contents of the Emergency Response Plan.
- Examine the scene for possible harmful outcomes.
 - Explain the meaning of an NFPA diamond.
- Execute a clear and efficient report to emergency response.
 - State the principle duty of the first responder.
 - Name sources for who and how to report the emergency.
 - List guidelines for communicating the information.
- Use the Emergency Response Guidebook.
 - State types of information in the Emergency Response Guidebook.
 - Recall the purpose or contents of the various sections of the book.
- Prevent people from entering the scene.
 - List methods to divert passing people.
- Report to emergency response team.
 - Identify the authority who is in charge.
 - State the duty of the first responder when the team arrives.