

ASBESTOS AWARENESS

Program Overview:

Asbestos is a naturally occurring mineral composed of flexible fibers that are resistant to heat, electricity and corrosion. These qualities make the mineral useful. However, asbestos exposure is highly toxic. Asbestos causes mesothelioma, lung cancer and other cancers. This program is designed to aid individuals working on projects where they will be exposed to asbestos or where asbestos may be present. The training provides both workers and supervisors with knowledge of the regulations, their responsibilities to both themselves and others (workers/co-workers), including type of respirators and clothing requirements to keep workers safe. Each participant receives a copy of the Asbestos Regulation 278/05.

Training Content:

- Asbestos Regulation 278/05
- Asbestos Uses and Locations
- Health Effects, Hazards and Controls
- Legislative Requirements and the Program
- Types of Respirators to be Used and Worn
- Type 1,2 and 3 Asbestos Removal Discussed

Course Duration: Four (4) Hour training session dependent upon number of participants.

This is also an on-line e-learning course. All you need is a computer, access to the Internet and you are ready to go! The course allows you – the learner to learn at your own pace and convenience.

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Legal Disclaimer

It is the employer's responsibility to ensure that each of their employees is properly trained. This program provides training of a general nature and may not include the hazards that are unique to your workplace. The intent of this training program is to outline expected industry standards. Employers must always ensure that their workers are properly trained according to the hazards and regulations specific to their workplace and job tasks. **LEVAC HEALTH & SAFETY** has made every attempt to ensure the accuracy and reliability of the training material that has been provided in this training program.

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