



## EHS 316 ~ Asbestos Class III Worker (Initial)

### Course Syllabus

<b>Subject Category:</b>	Occupational Health	<b>Course Prerequisite:</b>	No
<b>Course Length:</b>	2 Days (16 hours)	<b>Medical Approval:</b>	Yes (see below)
<b>Delivery Mode:</b>	Class	<b>Refresher:</b>	EHS 0317 (annually)
<b>Schedule:</b>	Through Qualified Offsite Vendor		
<b>Location/Time:</b>	Offsite Vendor		

**Course Purpose:** This OSHA approved course teaches students how to perform limited asbestos abatement activities related to maintenance work where the amount of asbestos material abated will fit into a standard 60"x60" waste bag or an asbestos glove-bag. By completing this course, students will receive credit as an OSHA training class III worker and a Class III competent person.

**NOTE: Respiratory protection is required for performing asbestos work.** Medical approval is required for wearing respiratory protection, but not necessarily for completing this training. If an employee is not medically able to wear respiratory protection, there should be no need for this training.

#### Course Objectives:

- Learn the history and uses of asbestos, health effects, and medical surveillance.
- Learn the work practices and principles for handling asbestos properly related to maintenance work.
- The hands-on workshop will teach you how to remove asbestos using a glove-bag and by building a mini-enclosure.

#### Course Instructional Materials:

- PowerPoint Presentation
- Wipe Boards

**Instructors:** Offered by local vendors (e.g., M&C Environmental in Oakland). Contact the EHS Asbestos Program SME for direction on who provides this training

**Training Compliance Requirements:** OSHA Requirement

**Course Handouts:** Vendor provided student aids and course materials.

**Participant Evaluation:** N/A

**Written Exam:** Depends on vendor

**Practical Exam:** No

**Retraining/Recertification:** A refresher class is required every two years to maintain this training.

**WEB Resource:** LBNL EH&S Training Program web page @ <http://www.lbl.gov/ehs/html/training.htm>.

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