



Environment, Health, & Safety
Training Program

EHS 339 ~ Asbestos Awareness

Course Syllabus

Subject Category:	Occupational Health	Course Prerequisite:	No
Course Length:	Approximately 1 hour	Medical Approval:	No
Delivery Mode:	Online		
Schedule:	If you cannot take online, class is taught by special request		

Course Purpose: This course is designed to familiarize employees about:

1. The types of building materials that may contain asbestos
2. The physical properties of asbestos material that make it hazardous
3. The health effects associated with exposure
4. Factors that affect risk of exposure
5. How to respond to a spill
6. What to do if they suspect a material may contain asbestos

Course Objectives:

- Physical properties of asbestos and the types of materials that contain asbestos
- Health effects associated with asbestos
- Specific training related to work practices for disturbing asbestos containing floor tile, transite, and sheetrock.

Course Instructional Materials: Online course contains text, graphics and interactivities.

Training Compliance Requirements: OSHA Requirement

Participant Evaluation: Online anonymous survey provided at the end of course

Exam: Online exam

Practical Exam: No

Retraining/Recertification: Annually

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