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EHS 0682 ~ Designated Underground Storage Tank (UST) Operator

Course Syllabus

Subject Category: USTs
Course Length: Varies
Delivery Mode: Varies

Course Prerequisite: None
Medical Approval: None
Refresher: 2 years (24 month from previous certification date)

Course Purpose: The Designated UST Operator [CCR, title 23, section 2715(b)-(c)] "Designated UST Operator" is an individual designated by the UST owner to be responsible for training facility employees and conducting a monthly (every 30 days) visual inspection at the UST facility. This course is to document the certification of Berkeley Lab's Designated Operators who are Berkeley Lab employees.

Course Objectives:

By the end of this course, the participant will be able to:

- Possess a current "California UST System Operator" certification issued by the Internal Code Council (ICC). Certification must be renewed every 24 months.
- Be designated as the Designated Operator for Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory (must coordinate with EH&S Environmental Services Group for reporting to the California Environmental Reporting System)
 - Be able to provide annual on-the-job training for facility employee(s)
 - Be able to perform monthly (30-day) visual inspections and record results on the "Designated Underground Storage Tank Operator Visual Inspection Report", and submit the written report to the owner/operator within 48 hours of completing the inspection

Course Instructional Materials:

- International Code Council (ICC) Assessment Center: <https://www.iccsafe.org/professional-development/assessment-center/>
- California UST Professionals Exam References: <https://www.waterboards.ca.gov/ust/training/exams.html>

Instructors: Varies (see ICC Assessment Center for valid training opportunities)

Training Compliance Requirements: UST: 23 CCR 2715 (b)-(c)

Participant Evaluation: None

Written Exam: Yes

Practical Exam: None

Retraining/Recertification: Every 24 months

WEB Resource: EH&S Training Program web page @ <https://training.lbl.gov/>