



**Environment, Health, & Safety
Training Program**

EHS 316 ~ Asbestos Class III Worker

Course Syllabus

Subject Category:	Occupational Health	Course Prerequisite:	No
Course Length:	2 Days	Medical Approval:	Yes
Delivery Mode:	Class		
Schedule:	Through Qualified Offsite Vendor		(See note below)
Location/Time:	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)

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>.