Hazard Communication Program

Program Summary:

Hazard Communication (HAZCOM, or also known as the "Right to Know" law [RTK]) is required by Federal OSHA for any workers that work with, handle, or may be exposed to hazardous chemicals and chemical products in the work place, either by working proximity or by accidental release. This applies to office workspaces, as well as industrial areas.

Items covered in this familiarization class are: Physical and Health Hazards of Chemicals, Basic Federal Standard (29 CFR 1910.1200), Local Written Program, Material Safety Data Sheets, Labeling and Local Training Requirements.

Training Requirements:

Work center supervisors and all personnel who handle or use chemicals, Marine or civilian. In addition, as it is a familiarization class, any personnel may attend for their own information and training. Detailed training requirements are found in the Hazard Communication Standard: 29 CFR 1910.1200(h) - Employee Information and Training, and 29 CFR 1910.1200, Appendix E.4.c.

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