

INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE COURSEWORK

Based on a six-year phase in period, the Board will require applicants to document completion of specific industrial hygiene courses. At least half of the required course work must cover the broad subjects of toxicology, fundamentals of industrial hygiene, measurements and controls. The remaining coursework may be in industrial hygiene subjects that are narrower in scope (ie: asbestos, ergonomics, biohazards, heat stress, etc.)

PLEASE REFER TO THE CIH OR CAIH CANDIDATE HANDBOOK FOR ADDITIONAL DETAILS.

Industrial Hygiene Degree

If you completed an ABET accredited industrial hygiene bachelors or masters program and your transcripts have been sent to the Board, you do not need to submit this document.

Cognate Degree

If you completed any other cognate degree (biology, chemistry, chemical, mechanical or sanitary engineering, physics or ABET accredited safety program) and your transcripts have been sent to the Board, please list any pertinent academic industrial hygiene coursework.

Other Bachelor Degree

(CAIH) If you completed a degree that meets the requirement for at least 30 semester hours of science and your transcripts have been sent to the Board, please list any pertinent academic industrial hygiene coursework beyond that needed to meet the 30 semester hour science minimum.

Example: An applicant's BS in geography contains a total of 35 semester hours of science. Eight of the 35 hours are IH courses and the other 27 are general science and math. Since 3 semester hours of IH courses are needed to reach the 30 semester hour minimum, only the remaining 5 IH semester hours can be listed here.

(CIH) If you completed a degree that meets the requirement for at least 60 semester hours of science and your transcripts have been sent to the Board, please list any pertinent academic industrial hygiene coursework.

Other IH Academic or Continuing Education Courses

If you have taken academic courses that were not part of your degree or continuing education courses to fulfill the industrial hygiene coursework requirement, please list them below and provide documentation (transcript, certificate of completion).

Exam Year	Academic Contact Hours (CIH/CAIH)		Continuing Education Contact Hours (CIH/CAIH)
2004	90/90	or	120/120
2005	135/90	or	180/120
2006	180/135	or	240/180

