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SAFE STATE ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS
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822-X-1-.04 ACCREDITATION OF LEAD HAZARD REDUCTION ACTIVITIES TRAINING PROGRAMS: TARGET HOUSING AND CHILD-OCCUPIED FACILITIES

(1) Procedures and requirements for training program accreditation
(c) Requirements for the accreditation of training programs. For a training program to obtain accreditation from Safe State to offer training courses, in addition to the application procedure described in 822-X-1-.04(1)(b), the program shall meet the following requirements:

1. The training program shall employ a training manager who has:
   (i) Demonstrated experience in either lead or asbestos abatement, painting, carpentry, renovation, remodeling, occupational safety and health, or industrial hygiene; and
   (ii) One of the following:
       (I) Two (2) years of experience, education, or training in teaching workers or adults; or
       (II) Two (2) years of experience managing a training program specialization in environmental hazards; or
       (III) A bachelor’s or graduate degree in building construction technology, engineering, industrial hygiene, safety, public health, education, business administration, program management, or a related field.

2. The training manager shall designate a qualified principal instructor for each training course who has:
   (i) Demonstrated experience, education, or training in teaching workers or adults; and
   (ii) Completed a training course and maintained current refresher training for each discipline in which they are to teach; and
   (iii) Two (2) years of experience, education, or training in lead or asbestos abatement, painting, carpentry, renovation, remodeling, occupational safety and health, or industrial hygiene.

Statutory Authority: Act No. 97-553.
822-X-1-.05
ACCREDITATION OF INDIVIDUALS ENGAGED IN LEAD HAZARD
REDUCTION ACTIVITIES: TARGET HOUSING AND CHILD-OCUPIED
FACILITIES

(1) Procedures for accreditation of individuals
(c) Requirements for individual accreditation. To become accredited in any lead hazard
reduction activities discipline, an individual must:

4. Meet or exceed the following additional requirements:
   (i) For Lead-Based Paint Inspector:
       (I) No additional requirements.
   (ii) For Risk Assessor:
       (I) Safe State registration as a lead-based paint inspector; and
       I. One of the following:
       A. Certification as an industrial hygienist, professional engineer, registered architect,
       or certification in a related engineering or health or environmental field (e.g., safety
       professional, environmental scientist); or
       B. A bachelor's degree from a college or university accredited by the Commission on
       Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools or its equivalent, and one
       year of experience in a related field (e.g., lead, asbestos, environmental remediation
       work, or construction); or
       C. An Associate degree and two years of experience in a related field (e.g., lead, asbestos,
       environmental remediation work, or construction); or
       D. A high school diploma (or equivalent), and at least three years of experience in a
       related field (e.g., lead, asbestos, environmental remediation work, or construction).

Statutory Authority: Act No. 97-553.
CHAPTER 882-X-2
ACCREDITATION OF TRAINING PROGRAMS, TRAINING COURSES, REFRESHER TRAINING COURSES, AND INDIVIDUALS ENGAGED IN ASBESTOS-RELATED ACTIVITIES

822-X-2-.04
ACCREDITATION OF TRAINING PROGRAMS AND TRAINING COURSES FOR ASBESTOS-RELATED ACTIVITIES

(c) Requirements for the accreditation of training programs. For a training program to obtain accreditation from Safe State to offer training courses that are accredited pursuant to the procedures described in paragraph (1)(b), the training program shall meet the following requirements:

1. The training program shall employ a training manager who has:
   (i) Demonstrated experience, education, or training in the construction industry, including: asbestos or lead abatement, painting, carpentry, renovation, remodeling, occupational safety and health, or industrial hygiene; and
   (ii) One of the following:
       (I) At least two years of experience, education, or training in teaching workers or adults;
       or
       (II) A bachelor's or graduate degree in building construction technology, engineering, industrial hygiene, occupational safety, public health, education, business administration, program management, or a related field; or
       (III) Two years experience in managing a training program specializing in environmental hazards.

2. The training manager shall designate, someone other than himself or herself, a qualified principal instructor for each course who:
   (i) Has demonstrated experience, education, or training in teaching workers or adults; and
   (ii) Meets the accreditation requirements for each discipline in which they are to teach; and
   (iii) Has two years of experience, education, or training in asbestos or lead abatement, painting, carpentry, renovation, remodeling, occupational safety and health, or industrial hygiene.

2. Management planner. All persons who prepare management plans for schools must be accredited. All persons seeking accreditation as management planners shall complete a three-day inspector training course as outlined above and a two-day management planner training course. Proof of Safe State accredited inspector training shall be a prerequisite for admission to the management planner training course. The management planner
training course shall include lectures, demonstrations, course review, and a written examination.

(vi) Role of other professionals. Use of industrial hygienists, engineers, and architects in developing technical specifications for response actions; any requirements that may exist for architect sign-off of plans; team approach to design of high-quality job specifications.

4. Project Designer. A person must be accredited as an asbestos project designer to design any of the following activities with respect to friable ACBM in a school or public and commercial building: (1) a response action other than a SSSD activity, (2) a maintenance activity that disturbs friable ACBM other than a SSSD activity, or (3) a response action for a major fiber release episode. All persons seeking accreditation as a project designer shall complete at least a minimum three-day training course as outlined below. The project designer course shall include lectures, demonstrations, a field trip, course review, and a written examination.

(xvii) Role of other consultants. Development of technical specification sections by industrial hygienists or engineers; the multi-disciplinary team approach to abatement design.


822-X-1-.05
ACCREDITATION OF INDIVIDUALS ENGAGED IN ASBESTOS-RELATED ACTIVITIES

(1) Procedures for accreditation of individuals:
(c) Requirements for individual accreditation. To become accredited as an inspector, management planner, supervisor, project designer, or abatement worker, an individual must:
3. For the discipline in which individual accreditation is sought, meet or exceed the following experience requirements or education requirements, or both.
(i) Inspector.
(I) No additional experience or education requirements.
(ii) Management planner.
(I) Safe State accreditation as an asbestos inspector; and
(II) One of the following:
a. Hold a Bachelor's degree from a college or university accredited by the Commission on Colleges of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools or its equivalent and one year of experience in a related field such as remediation work (e.g., asbestos, lead, or environmental) or building construction; or
b. Hold an Associates degree and two years experience in a related field such as remediation work (e.g., asbestos, lead, or environmental) or building construction; or
c. Hold a current certification as an industrial hygienist, licensed professional engineer, registered architect, or certification in a related engineering, occupational health, or environmental field such as safety professional, or environmental scientist; or
d. Earned a high school diploma or equivalent and have at least three years of experience in a related field such as remediation work (e.g., asbestos, lead, or environmental), facility maintenance, or building construction.

(iv) Project Designer:
(I) Must be a licensed professional engineer (PE) as defined in Section 34-11-1(3) of the Code of Ala. 1975 or a registered architect as defined in Section 34, Chapter 2 of the Code of Ala. 1975; or for asbestos projects that do not require the services of a licensed professional engineer or registered architect pursuant to the requirements of Section 34, Chapters 2 or 11, of the Code of Ala. 1975, and
(II) One of the following:
a. Hold a current certification as an industrial hygienist by the American Board of Industrial Hygiene; or
b. Hold a Bachelor’s degree in engineering, architecture, or a related profession, and one year of experience in building construction and design or a related field; or
c. Four years of experience in building construction and design, or a related field.

(v) Abatement worker:
(I) No additional experience and/or education is required.
(d) Required documentation. The following documents shall be recognized by Safe State as evidence of meeting the requirements of paragraph (1)(c) of this Section. These documents shall be submitted with the application for individual accreditation:
1. Photocopies of academic transcripts or diploma, as evidence of meeting the educational requirements;
2. Documentation of current certification, licensure, or registration such as industrial hygienist, professional engineer, or architect;