Respiratory Protection Awareness

Course Overview:

Respiratory Protection Awareness explains the basics of respiratory hazards and how workers can be protected from these hazards. This course will walk you through the various types of respirators, what factors influence the selection of a respirator, and the proper maintenance of this kind of protective equipment.

Who Should Take the Course?

This course is designed for managers, supervisors, and anyone that may have to work in situations that require a respirator to safeguard them from airborne, respiratory contaminants.

Course Objectives:

Upon course completion, participants will be able to:

- Understand how the respiratory system works
- Understand the importance of medical evaluations and ongoing medical surveillance
- Identify and understand respiratory hazards
- Understand how to control respiratory hazards
- Understand the factors that influence the selection of a particular type of respirator
- Identify the two main types of respirators and the conditions each should be used in
- Identify the different types of filters and cartridges
- Understand and perform qualitative and quantitative fit testing
- Know what conditions are considered "Immediately Dangerous to Life or Health (IDLH)"
- Understand proper fit, monitoring, inspection, cleaning, and storage of respirators

Evaluation Process:

There is module to this training. At the end of the module there is a knowledge evaluation. Participants must successfully complete the evaluation before completing the course. Participants that do not achieve a passing score of 80% can review the module content and try as many times as necessary to complete the course.

Upon successfully completing the module and evaluation, there is a printable certificate for your records.

Course Duration:

This online course is self-paced. Participants may leave the course at any time and can resume where they left off. The duration will depend on the individual participant and their prior knowledge of the subject matter. On average, the course will take about one hour to complete.