

8-Hour HAZWOPER Refresher Training

(Required annually to maintain certification) Course Outline

2 hrs. Hands-on competency-based training and evaluation activities (see attached description)

5 hrs. Classroom-based training

1 hr. Lunch

Introduction and Course Overview

Top 10 OSHA Violations and Stop Work Authority

General Topics- Review of key HAZWOPER terms, regulations, toxicology, PPE & respiratory protection, hazard classes and categories

HazCom Review - GHS, NFPA 704, Label Requirements, SDS

Group Activity – Locating Information on SDS and other information sources. Discussion of hazardous chemicals specific to facility

Discussion of any new regulations or updates to existing regulations

Discussion of facility specific programs and chemicals

Review of Facility specific respiratory protection program, medical surveillance, and PPE requirements, Handheld Gas Detectors – Discussion and review of MX6 gas meter procedures. Option to include other devices.

Emergency Response and Incident Review: Discussion of past facility incidents and response. Planning, personnel, roles, communications, evacuations

Group Exercises – Dress out Demonstrations and simulated drill with appropriate equipment & PPE Spill Response and Cleanup Procedures

Review spill kit contents, accessing the risk, selecting PPE, confining the spill, stopping the source of the spill, evaluate the scene, implementing cleanup procedures, decontamination, and report procedures

SCBA/PPE Inspection

Donning/Doffing PPE and Respirators as appropriate Exclusion Zones and Decontamination Discuss/evaluate drill effectiveness