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Training courses in occupational safety and health are given by the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH) directly or in cooperation with professional organizations or agencies. NIOSH also sponsors Educational Resource Centers in universities throughout the country. Following is a list of courses being offered by those centers in the next few months. For further information such as application deadlines, contact the persons specified in the listing.

HARVARD EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Health and Safety Issues in High Technology Industries (the New England Occupational Medicine Association Conference and Course), October 17–18, \$200.

Fundamentals of Industrial Hygiene, October 28-November 1, \$800.

Write or call the Office of Continuing Education, Harvard School of Public Health, 677 Huntington Ave., Boston, MA 02115 (617: 732-1171).

ALABAMA EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Hazardous Waste Exposure Control, November 20-22, \$25.

Sampling and Evaluating Airborne Asbestos Dust, December 2-6, \$475.

Integrating Occupational Health Nursing Content in Baccalaureate Programs, to be held in October, cost unavailable at press time.

Contact Toni Watson, University of Alabama School of Public Health, University Station, Box 99, Birmingham, AL 35294 (205: 934–3263).

NEW YORK-NEW JERSEY EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Occupational Toxicology, October 1-3, \$125 for 1 day or \$315 for 3 days.

UOSHERC (University Occupational Safety and Health Educational Resource Center) Seventh Annual Scientific Meeting, October 24, \$60.

Epidemiology of Occupational Injuries, November 20, \$125.

Contact Lee Laustsen, Project Manager, Continuing Education and Outreach Office of Consumer Health Education, University of Medicine and Dentis-

try of New Jersey, Rutgers Medical School, Piscataway, NJ 08854 (201: 463-4500)

NIOSH-Approved Spirometry Training, November 12-14, \$375.

Training-Certification in Hearing Conservation, December 4-5, \$300.

Contact Renee Lyons, RN, MPH, Occupational Health Specialist, Office of Consumer Health Education, University of Medicine and Dentistry of New Jersey, Rutgers Medical School, Piscataway, NJ 08854 (201: 463-4500).

JOHNS HOPKINS EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

The Health Care Provider: Infectious and Reproductive Hazards, October 3-4, \$250.

Write or call Dr. Jacqueline Corn, Department of Environmental Health Sciences, Johns Hopkins University, 615 North Wolfe St., Baltimore, MD 21205 (301: 955–2609).

NORTH CAROLINA EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Sampling and Evaluating Airborne Asbestos Dust, to be held October 7-10 in Chapel Hill, \$550.

Safety and Health Training for Hazardous Waste Site Workers, to be held October 15-17 in St. Petersburg, FL, \$35.

Contact Ted M. Williams, Occupational Safety and Health Educational Resource Center, 109 Conner Dr., Suite 1101, Chapel Hill, NC 27514 (919: 962-2101).

CINCINNATI EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Occupational Ergonomics and Physical Hazards, October 1-4, \$500.

Review of Asbestos-related Diseases, October 24-25, \$265.

Respirator Fit Testing, November 7–8, \$295.

Occupational Lung Diseases, November 18-19, \$275.

Industrial Noise Control, December 3-6, \$600.

For further information, contact Dr. Grace K. Lemasters, Director, Continuing Education, ML 182, University of Cincinnati, 231 Bethesda Ave., Cincinnati, OH 45267 (513: 872-5733).

ILLINOIS EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Safety and Health at Hazardous Waste Sites, November 13-15, \$35.

For information, contact Susanne J. Klein, Director of Programs in Continuing Education, University of Illinois at Chicago, Great Lakes Center for Occupational Safety and Health, P.O. Box 6998, Chicago, IL 60680 (312: 996–0807).

MICHIGAN EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Ergonomics Discussional, October 23–24, by invitation only.

Cumulative Trauma Disorders of the Upper Extremities: a Symposium, November 11–13, \$200.

Occupational Low Back Pain Conference, to be held December 5-6 in Chicago, \$350 for physicians, \$275 for nonphysicians.

Contact Bonny Webber, Training Coordinator, Center for Ergonomics, 1205 Beal, IOE Bldg., the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48109 (313: 763– 2243).

MINNESOTA EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Asbestos Removal: Critical Factors, October 2-3, cost unavailable at press time.

Toxic Chemicals: Managing Health, Regulatory, and Legal Issues in the Workplace, October 17–18, cost unavailable at press time.

Comprehensive Occupational Health Nursing Review: Basic Theory and Update, October 21-24, \$390.

Worker's Right-to-Know Seminar, November 6, December 4, cost unavailable at press time.

Laboratory Ventilation: Design and Evaluation, November 7-8, cost unavailable at press time.

Contact Ruth K. McIntyre, Director, Continuing Education, Midwest Center for Occupational Health and Safety, 640 Jackson St., St. Paul, MN 55101 (612: 221-3992).

Grand Rounds, held quarterly throughout 1985, no charge.

Contact Dr. Roger Luckmann, Occupational Medicine Section, St. Paul-Ramsey Medical Center, 640 Jackson St., St. Paul, MN 55101 (612: 221-3771).

UTAH EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Seventh Annual RMCOEH Occupational and Environmental Health Conference: "Health and Hazardous Waste: Weighing the Risks," to be held October 9–11 in Park City. \$350.

Industrial Hygiene Chemistry (NIOSH 590), November 4-8, \$500.

Contact Katharine E. Blosch, Director, Continuing Education, Rocky Mountain Center for Occupational and Environmental Health, Bldg. 512, University of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT 84112 (801: 581–5710).

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Pulmonary Function Testing, October 17–18, \$250.

Contact Lela D. Morris, RN, MPH, Continuing Education Coordinator, Northern California Occupational Health Center, University of California, 2521 Channing Way, Berkeley, CA 94720 (415: 642–5507).

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Industrial Ventilation Fundamentals, November 11-14, \$650.

Advanced Application and Design of Industrial Ventilation, November 18-21,

Audiovisual Media and Safety: Developing and Producing Inexpensive Programs, December 5-6. \$400.

Contact Romona Cayuela, Continuing Education Program Specialist, Univer-

sity of Southern California, Institute of Safety and Systems Management, Extension and In-Service Programs, University Park, MC 0021, Los Angeles, CA 90089 (213: 743-6383).

WASHINGTON EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER

Implementing the Hazard Communication Standard, October 3, \$75.

Current Issues in Asbestos Control, October 23–25, \$375.

Ventilation: Principles and Applications, November 6-8, \$375.

Maritime Occupational Health and Safety, December 5, \$125.

Contact Sharon L. Morris, Continuing Education Coordinator, Northwest Center for Occupational Health and Safety, Department of Environmental Health, SC-34, University of Washington, Seattle, WA 98195 (206: 543-1069).

NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (NIOSH)

Sampling and Evaluating Airborne Asbestos Dust, NIOSH 582, to be held December 16-19 at Temple University, \$420.

Contact Dr. Samuel Elkin, Temple University School of Pharmacy, 3307 North Broad St., Philadelphia, PA 19140 (215: 221-4915).

For further information about NIOSH courses, contact Donna Welage, Training Registrar, Division of Training, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, 4676 Columbia Parkway, Cincinnati, OH 45226 (513: 533–8225).

International Cancer Research Grants. Applications may now be filed for two programs administered by the International Union Against Cancer (UICC): the International Cancer Research Technology Transfer Project and the Yamagiwa-Yoshida Memorial International Cancer Study Grants.

The purpose of the International Cancer Research Technology Transfer Project is to promote direct and rapid transfer of information or methods between investigators in different countries who are working in basic, clinical, or behavioral research relevant to cancer. The period of study abroad must not exceed 28 days.

Funds are provided by the International Cancer Research Data Bank of the National Cancer Institute and by the UICC and its member organizations. Grants are allocated toward travel and living expenses. The program is not open to employees of U.S. government agencies. There are no application deadlines.

The Yamagiwa-Yoshida Memorial International Cancer Study Grants are designed to enable investigators of any nationality to gain experience in or make comparative studies of special techniques in both the biological and clinical aspects of cancer research in another country. Normally the grants are awarded for 2–6 weeks, but under no circumstances do they exceed 90 days. Application deadlines are June 30 and December 31 each year. Successful applicants will be notified within 90 days of the closing date.

Additional information may be obtained from the International Union Against Cancer, rue du Conseil-Général 3, 1205 Geneva, Switzerland.

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