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Overview of Federal OSHA HAZWOPER Training Requirements

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Federal OSHA

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Operation	Level	Initial Training	Annual Refresher Training	Citation 29 CFR 1910.120
Site Clean-Up Operations	Site Worker	40-hours with three days of field experience	8-hours	(e)(3)(i)
	Occasional Site Worker	24-hours with one day of field experience	8-hours	
	Manager or Supervisor	40-hours with three days of field experience + 8 hours of supervisor training	8-hours	
TSD Facilities	Site Worker	24-hours	8-hours	(p)(7)(i)
Emergency Response	First Responder Awareness	Competency-based; no hourly requirement	Competency-based; no hourly requirement	(q)(6)(i) & (q)(8)
	First Responder Operations	8-Hours	Competency-based; no hourly requirement	(q)(6)(ii) & (q)(8)
	HAZMAT Technician	24-hours	Competency-based; no hourly requirement	(q)(6)(iii) & (q)(8)
	HAZMAT Specialist	Technician Level + Competencies	Competency-based; no hourly requirement	(q)(6)(iv) & (q)(8)
	Incident Commander	24 hours equal to first responder operations + Competencies	Competency-based; no hourly requirement	(q)(6)(V) & (q)(8)

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Note: OSHA Plan States may have different HAZWOPER training requirements. These requirements must be at least as stringent as the Federal OSHA requirements.



HAZWOPER Training Levels

Title 29 Code of Federal Regulations Part 1910.120

Levels A, B, C & D

Level A

Level B

Level A Level B

Level C Level D

Level A Level C Level B

1. Emergency Response

- First Responder
- HAZMAT Technician
- HAZMAT Specialist
- Incident Commander

2. Clean up of Contaminated Sites

- 40 Hour HAZWOPER Site Worker
- 24 Hour HAZWOPER Site Worker
- HAZWOPER Supervisor

3. Treatment, Storage & Disposal of Hazardous Waste

- 24 Hour HAZWOPER Site Worker

DECON Sequence

SCBA

PPE Manufacturers

USA

CANADA

Others

USA