

LOCATION: KC Metro

## Hazardous Materials Removal Technician Certificate

### Program Description:

This training program prepares students to work as effective and safe Hazardous Materials (HAZMAT) Removal Workers. HAZMAT Removal Workers target and cleanup materials that are harmful to people and/or the environment such as lead, asbestos, mold and other harmful materials. Typical duties include: following safety procedures before, during and after cleaning up; complying with local, state and federal laws related to disposal; testing of HAZMAT; building containment areas; remove or cleanup HAZMAT areas; cleaning tools and equipment for reuse; package, possibly transport and store HAZMAT and keep records of activities.

### Program Details:

The overall program includes these components:

- HAZWOPER 40 Hour Training
- Health Hazard Awareness
- Lead Renovation, Repair and Painting (RRP)
- OSHA 10- Introduction to Health and Safety for General Industry
- Shipping, Handling & Storage of Hazardous Substance (DOT) Ground
- CoreBuilders© Workplace Success Skills in Active Learning, Self-Leadership, Integrity, Teamwork, Communications, Human Behavior, Goals, Problem Solving and Career Management

According to the US BLS, the US annual median income for this occupation was \$43,900 in 2019. This occupation is expected to grow by 8% from 2019 to 2029 with 3700 new jobs expected, much faster than the average for all occupations.

Students will participate in a holistic learning program that strengthens their ability to apply the related knowledge, skills, and abilities required to successfully perform at a high level in life and on-the-job. In addition to Industry and Technical Competencies, the curriculum effectively addresses certain objectives in the Personal Effectiveness, Academic and Workplace Competencies (Tiers 1-3) of the DOL-ETA Competency Model Pyramid.

**Program Prerequisites:** 18 years of age or older, physical ability to work in this field.

**Contact Hours (including out of class work):** 120

**Tuition:** \$3100 (includes, books, fees and exam costs if applicable)

**Delivery Format:** Hybrid, Instructor-led and online

**Expected Award:** UCM Certificate of Completion | OSHA 10, HAZWOPER 40, RRP, Health Hazard Awareness and Shipping, Handling and Storage or Hazardous substance (DOT) ground credentials as awarded upon successful completion and passing of related certification exams.

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