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WHMIS – SITE SPECIFIC

Delivery: 1 to 4 hours classroom training depending on the number of exposure chemicals and type of chemicals.

Purpose and Objective:

To help employees prevent, reduce, eliminate workplace illnesses, injuries and accidents associated with hazardous materials.

To ensure compliance with the requirements of the Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System (WHMIS)

To ensure employees are knowledgeable regarding the hazardous products in their own work area

Learning Objectives:

Interpret their duties and legal rights regarding legislation

Use of supplier labels and workplace labels (WHMIS labels) to identify workplace hazardous materials

Use of material safety data sheets (MSDS) to recognize hazards, dangers and potential harmful effects by reading/understanding to sections of the material safety data sheets

Identify control types – engineering controls, personal protective equipment, workplace practices and administrative procedures required to prevent exposure

Eliminate or reduce the risk of controlled substance by using material safety data sheets and labels.

Understand how to get the information quickly on the chemicals to which they are exposed

Identify required emergency procedures to respond to exposure of hazardous materials by being able to read and understand material safety data sheets.