

Asbestos Abatement Worker

Asbestos Abatement Workers work on asbestos abatement projects under a certified site supervisor who is supervising the project for a licensed asbestos abatement entity. Remove asbestos from ceilings, beams, walls, boilers, and other structures following hazardous waste handling guidelines. Assemble scaffolding, seal off work area, spray chemical solution to soften asbestos, and then scrape asbestos from surfaces. Shovel asbestos into disposal bags and load bag onto truck for removal and disposal.

Legislation

Statute: NH RSA 141-E
Administrative Rules: Chapter Env-A 1800

Certification Requirements

Must complete either an approved 32-hour asbestos worker training course or a 40-hour asbestos supervisor course

Examination

Written examination consisting of 50 multiple-choice questions attaining a score of 70 percent or greater

Continuing Education

An annual eight-hour refresher course and passing a written examination of 25 multiple-choice questions with a score of 70 percent or greater are required

Reciprocity

Permitted if standards for licensure are substantially equivalent to those of New Hampshire

Active Licenses

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Related Training

Hazardous Materials Information Systems Technology/Technician; Hazardous Materials Management and Waste Technology/Technician

Regulatory Agency

Asbestos Licensing and Certification

Asbestos Management Section, Air Resources Division
New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services
29 Hazen Drive, PO Box 95
Concord, New Hampshire 03302-0095

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Fees

Certification	\$50.00
Annual renewal	\$50.00
Certificate replacement	\$20.00

O*Net Codes

47-4041.00 Hazardous Materials Removal Workers

Additional Information Sources

National Directory of AHERA Accredited Courses
US Environmental Protection Agency
<www.epa.gov/asbestos/asbestos-professionals>