Hazardous Materials
First Responder Awareness

First responders at the awareness level are individuals who are likely to witness or discover a hazardous substance release and initiate an emergency response sequence by notifying the proper authorities of the release. They would take no further action beyond notifying the authorities of the release.

Responders will learn how to recognize a hazardous materials release and the risks involved. They will also learn how to identify the released material, how to use available resources, including the Emergency Response Guidebook-ERG, and how to notify the proper authorities in the event of a hazardous material emergency. This 8-hour course complies with NFPA 470, WAC 296-824, and OSHA 29 CFR 1910.120

PREREQUISITE: None

CLASS MINIMUM: 15 students
(Class may be cancelled 30-days in advance if minimum not reached)

FEE: There is no cost for this training

DETAILS: Meals and lodging arrangements are the responsibility of the student.

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