

## Asbestos Awareness - OSHA Standards

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**Duration** 40 minutes

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**Target group** Oil & Gas Industry  
29 CFR 1910.1001

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**Prerequisites** No prerequisites are required to sit this course.

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**Objective**

- LO1: Describe the nature and properties of asbestos and its effects on health
- LO2: List the types of asbestos and explain where asbestos and ACMs can be typically found
- LO3: Describe how to avoid the risks from asbestos
- LO4: Explain where to obtain information on asbestos prior to commencing work
- LO5: Explain what to do if suspicious materials are found
- LO6: Describe appropriate workplace precautions, including the risk assessment process, with regards to the risks of asbestos
- LO7: Explain how to undertake work activities in a safe manner and without risk to yourselves or others
- LO8: List procedures to be followed when coming into unintentional contact with ACMs and the appropriate emergency arrangements

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**Contents**

The course is available in the following languages: US English; Spanish. This is an awareness course, suitable for all employees working in hazardous industries. Candidates will learn about what asbestos is and why it is dangerous, as well as where it will be found and what to do should any suspicious materials be found on site. Employers should provide additional training when a new hazard/procedure/condition or piece of equipment is introduced into the workplace or "unscheduled" refresher training is recommended as directed to address inadequacies in knowledge and to address unsafe acts/deviations from procedures.

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**Exam** The assessment is taken during the course and is within the expected duration.