ABOUT UA SAFESTATE

Our Mission –
“To promote occupational safety and health by providing cutting-edge training.”

Focus:
Complete a University of Alabama certificate program to show you are a dedicated safety and health professional and are willing to keep your education current in a dynamic and ever changing environment. Improve your job effectiveness by completing one or multiple certificates in the field of Occupational Safety and Health.

How to register:

For individual session:
1. Go to http://training.ccs.ua.edu
2. Click Occupational Safety and Health
3. Choose the session you wish to take
4. Complete registration process

For the entire certificate program:
1. Go to http://training.ccs.ua.edu
2. Click Occupational Safety and Health
3. Click Health and Safety Management Online Certificate Program
4. Under Available Session, click the session listed

After the description of the course, you will see the letter R or E.
R = required course or core course
E = elective course
Please put a check mark in the box for ALL 4 CORE COURSES and your 6 ELECTIVES.

ONCE YOU REGISTER, you will be sent a user name, password, and instructions to start the program—usually within three business days.

For more information concerning the Health and Safety Management Online Certificate Program, please call (877) 508-7246.
Have you been given responsibility for health and safety management at your company and need to bring yourself up to speed quickly? Then you might want to consider the "Health and Safety Management Certificate Program" offered online through UA SafeState in the College of Continuing Studies.

**FOUR** core courses and **SIX** electives are required to earn the Health and Safety Management Certificate. Each course is equivalent to approximately 10 hours of classroom instruction, with the exception of Understanding Basic Electricity for Electrical Safety, which is approximately 4 hours.

Individual courses can also be taken to develop a competency with respect to a specific health and safety topic.

**CORE Courses**
- HSM 101: Introduction to OSHA
- HSM 102: Introduction to Workplace Safety
- HSM 103: Introduction to Industrial Hygiene
- HSM 104: Introduction to Workers’ Compensation

**ELECTIVE Courses available at this time**
- HSM 202: Introduction to Mine Safety
- HSM 301: Managing Hazard Communication Programs
- HSM 310: Managing Ergonomic Programs
- HSM 311: Managing Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Programs
- HSM 312: Managing Fleet Safety Programs
- HSM 701: Managing Bloodborne Pathogen Programs
- HSM 702: Managing Heat Stress Programs
- HSM 901: Managing Wellness Programs
  - Prerequisite to HSM 902
- HSM 902: Managing Health Promotion
- HSM QEW 141: Understanding Basic Electricity for Electrical Safety

Continuing Education Units (CEUs) are available for all courses. Each course offers 1.00 CEU, with the exception of Qualified Electrical Worker 141: Understanding Basic Electricity for Electrical Safety, which offers .40 CEU.

The cost for completing the entire certificate program is $2,700. Once registered, the program must be completed within a 3-year period.

Individual courses may be taken for a fee of $295 each ($200 for electrical) and must be completed within 90 days.

**Who should take these courses?**
The online Health and Safety Management Certificate is geared toward employees who have been given the responsibility of health and safety on a part-time or full-time basis, but have no formal education in health and safety. It is also geared toward someone who has moved into health and safety management, or who wants to build a competency in health and safety. The courses can be taken individually if someone needs an introduction or wants to develop a competency in a specific health and safety topic.

**Benefits**
- Understand OSHA’s principle practices
- Understand the OSHA inspection process
- Understand your rights as an employer and employee during OSHA inspections
- Understand the general industry safety and health standards
- Understand how to address any standard violations
- Become more knowledgeable on how to address violations, once discovered
- Be able to implement preventative measures to decrease safety risks
- Be able to anticipate, recognize, evaluate, and control basic industrial hygiene hazards
- Acquire working knowledge of the workers’ compensation claim process
- Understand how avoiding worker compensation claims saves your company money

**General Information**
- Program available 24/7
- Work at own pace