

# DOT Hazardous Materials

The Department of Transportation (DOT) serves the United States by ensuring a safe and accessible nationwide transportation system. The DOT also regulates the transportation of hazardous materials, and such material must be prepared in accordance with the DOT Hazardous Materials Regulations of 49 CFR 100-185 (HMR). Violators can have their shipments rejected and returned and/or be penalized (up to \$186,610 per civil violation). Our training is designed to instruct employees in the requirements of the HMR as they pertain to offering hazardous materials, including hazardous waste, for highway shipment. Training is required every 3 years.

## Topics

- Shipper's Responsibilities
- Registration, Security Planning, and Reporting
- Classification, Packing Group Assignment
- Naming of Hazardous Materials
- Use of the Hazardous Materials Table
- Exceptions and Special Permits
- General Packaging
- Packing Authorizations
- The Hazardous Substances "RQ" Rule
- UN-Specification Packaging Standards
- Application of Markings and Hazard Labels
- Completion of Shipping Papers
- Placarding

## Who Should Attend?

Employees who require this training would include those who have a role in preparing hazardous materials for shipment, known as "hazmat employees." Those roles may include any or all of the following: identifying and classifying hazardous materials or profiling hazardous wastes, selecting or preparing packagings, labeling or marking packagings, and reviewing or preparing shipping papers (bills of lading or hazardous waste manifests).

## 2019 Dates and Locations

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| • May 2-3        | Marlborough, MA |
| • June 12        | Ronkonkoma, NY  |
| • August 22-23   | Mansfield, MA   |
| • October 16-17  | Newington, CT   |
| • December 18-19 | Woburn, MA      |

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## Benefits

- Help create a safe transportation environment
- Avoid costly penalties for your employer
- Avoid rejection and delay of important shipments
- Comply with an important regulatory program
- Learn a valuable new skill or hone existing skills
- Survive corporate EH&S audits

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