

(FSME-10-085, October, Training, Training Course FY 2011)

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ALL AGREEMENT STATES, MICHIGAN

TRAINING COURSE LIST FOR FISCAL YEAR 2011 (FSME-10-085)

PURPOSE: The U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) staff has updated the list of courses for Fiscal Year 2011 that directly relate to the Agreement State programs (Enclosure 1).

BACKGROUND: The NRC will be funding Agreement State staff training and associated travel to attend the current courses offered through the NRC training program for materials licensing and inspection staff. We believe the restoration of this funding will enhance your program and foster national consistency in the implementation of the materials licensing and inspection programs nationwide. The States may still need to provide certain training to their staff not covered by NRC's current training program (5-week health physics, radiological emergency response, x-ray courses, mammography, etc.).

DISCUSSION: We have also enclosed the standard application form (Enclosure 2). Please complete the application form for each person attending a course and submit it to the Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs, Division of Materials Safety and State Agreements - ATTN: Brenda Usilton. Applications may be submitted at any time; however, applications should be received by FSME/MSSA a minimum of eight (8) weeks prior to the beginning of the course. At that time, if you have more than one application from your State for a particular course, you will need to prioritize each person. It is not guaranteed that all students from one State will get into any one given course. The process for selecting the individual for training are based on SA-600 "Training Criteria for Agreement State Personnel." Prioritization is based on a number of factors such as including becoming an Agreement State, IMPEP Heightened oversight for staffing and training, other hardship approved by FSME management in advance of submittal of application, etc. We do want to make sure we equitably distribute the slots so all States have a chance to be trained. FSME will identify the students for a course based on SA-600. Applications received after the eight week deadline will not be considered unless there is a cancellation by one of the students identified.

A letter of acceptance will be sent to each Program Director with instructions for completing the travel authorization. The travel authorization will need to be completed 30 days prior to the beginning of the course.

^{*} This information request has previously been approved by OMB 3150-0029 and was resubmitted to OMB for review of continued approval of information collection. The estimated burden per response to comply with this voluntary collection is approximately 8 hours. Send comments regarding the burden estimate to the Records and FOIA/Privacy Services Branch (T-5F52), U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Washington, DC 20555-0001, or by Internet e-mail to infocollects@nrc.gov, and to the Desk Officer, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, NEOB-1 0202 (31 50-0029), Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503. If a means used to impose an information collection does not display a currently valid OMB control number, the NRC may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, the information collection.

The complete list of all technical training courses can be viewed at <u>http://nrc-stp.ornl.gov/training.html</u> as well as all the Agreement State letters of acceptance, training application, course descriptions, the voucher and instructions for processing the voucher. If there is a "TBD" listed beside a course that means no date has been established. As dates for these courses are established, we will post them under the "What's New" area on our home page at the same website as above. Other changes to the course schedule will also be noted on the "What's New" area of the home page.

If you have any questions regarding this correspondence, please contact me or the individual named below.

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Enclosures: As stated

Course	Title	Dates	Location	Mobile?	Max
G-108	Inspection Procedures	3/7-11/11 9/26-30/11	Sacramento CA Chattanooga TN	Y	24
G-109	Licensing Procedures	3/14-18/11 10/3-7/11	Sacramento CA Chattanooga TN	Y	24
G-205	Root Cause Workshop	NC	NC	Y	16
H-111	Environmental Monitoring	6/13-17/11 10/17-21/11	Oak Ridge TN Oak Ridge TN	N	24
H-117	Introductory Health Physics	2/7-11/11 11/14-18/11	Bethesda MD Chattanooga TN	Y	24
H-119	Air Sampling	6/6-10/11	Oak Ridge TN	N	24
H-121	MARSSIM	2/14-18/11 5/2-6/11	Bethesda MD Chattanooga TN	Y	24
H-122	Basic Health Physics	1/31-2/11/11 8/1-12/11	Oak Ridge TN Oak Ridge TN	Ν	24
H-201	Health Physics Technology	4/11-22/11 8/15 - 26/11	Chattanooga TN Chattanooga TN	Ν	12
H-304	Nuclear Medicine	3/21-25/11 8/1-5/11	Houston TX Houston TX	Ν	16
H-305	Industrial Radiography	2/28-3/4/11 9/26-30/11	St. Rose LA St. Rose LA	Ν	24
H-308	Transportation of RAM	2/28-3/4/11 6/13-17/11 9/26-30/11	Bethesda, MD Sacramento, CA Yorktown, VA	Y	24
H-313	Brachytherapy & Gamma Knife	3/28-4/1/11 8/8-12/11	Houston TX Houston TX	Ν	16
H-314	Well Logging	10/18-22/10	Houston TX	N	20
H-315	Irradiator Technology	TBD TBD TBD	Laval QC Canada	Ν	10
H-401 ⁺	Health Physics for Uranium Recovery (F-104)	5/23-27/11 7/11-15/11	Austin, TX Bethesda MD	Y	24 24
H-410	RESRAD	5/2-5/11	Lisle, IL (RIII)	Y ^	14
H-411	RESRAD-OFFSITE	3/7-10/11	Bethesda MD	Y ^	14
	Visual Sample Plan Training	3/7-10/11 10/11-14/11	Chattanooga, TN Bethesda, MD	Y	16

LIST OF NRC SPONSORED TRAINING COURSE SESSIONS FOR FISCAL YEAR 2011

S-201	NRC Materials Control & Security Systems & Principles	3/7-11/11 6/6-10/11 8/15-19/11	Albuquerque NM Albuquerque NM Albuquerque NM	N 35	
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^A course requires a computer lab with at least one computer work station for every two students

+ available first to the states of Utah, Colorado, Washington and Texas. As space allows, Nebraska, New Mexico, Arizona, Virginia and Nevada are allowed to attend.
NC new contract being negotiated

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	APPLICATION FOR TRAINING COURSE/WO (Please Type)	
		Date:
A.	. To be completed by Applicant	
	1. Title of Course/Workshop:	Dates:
	2. Name of Applicant:	
	3. U.S. Citizen: Yes No	
	4. E-Mail Address:	
	5. Business Address:	
	Business Telephone No:	
	Business FAX Telephone No.:	
	6. Applicant's Current Title:	
	Description of current duties:	
	7. List any previous training in health physics.	
B.	. To be completed by the State Radiation Control Program Director	

1. Please provide a brief statement indicating why you want this individual to attend this course.

2. Please prioritize the applications if you have more than one being submitted.

The completed application should be sent to:

Brenda Usilton Mail Stop T-8E24 Materials Safety and State Agreements Office of Federal and State Materials and Environmental Management Programs U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555

or FAX to DMSSA/FSME: 301-415-3502 or E-mail to <u>Brenda.Usilton@NRC.GOV</u>