

Hazardous Materials Training

June 3-7 & 10-14, 2019 - 0800-1700

Salina Fire Department, Station #2

1110 S. Santa Fe Ave., Salina KS 67401

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Course Description

The HazMat Tech course will use the IFSTA curriculum which follows the competencies of NFPA 472. Some of those competencies include: an understanding of hazmat terms, physical and chemical properties, the use of detection equipment, selection of personal protective equipment (PPE), control techniques, and how to manage a hazardous material incident. Training will be delivered using a combination of classroom sessions and hands-on activities.

Students should understand this class will be an intense two-weeks and will require effort for successful completion. There will be reading assignments most evenings, with quizzes over the assigned chapters the follow morning. Instructors will be available to assist students during breaks or before and after class. If needed, evening study sessions will be scheduled.

On certain days participants will be required to provide their own structural firefighting gear and SCBA and provide evidence of fit testing prior to taking the certification testing. There will be a pre-test, daily quizzes, and a final written exam. Successful participants will be eligible for national certification testing on June 14th by the KU Fire Rescue Training Institute.

Target Audience

Only active Kansas Firefighters that are currently certified at the Hazardous Materials Operations level will be considered for this course.

Required Prerequisites

There are no prerequisites for the class, however, students will need to already have the IFSAC Operations Certificate to take the IFSAC Technician. KU will not allow anyone who is not an active first responder go through the IFSAC technician testing.

Course Materials

This course is being offered as a “paperless” delivery. Students may receive printed handouts and a flash-drive with other electronic files to be used in class. Students are required to bring their own PDF compatible device (laptop, tablet, etc.) in order to participate.

Lodging

Lodging arrangements or reimbursements will not be offered by KDEM for this session. Participants must make arrangements with their own agency to plan for travel and lodging needs.

Special Accommodations

If you have a disability or need special accommodations in order to fully participate in any training activity, please contact our office (KDEMTraining@gmail.com or 785-646-2404) to discuss your specific needs.

Deadline to register is May 27, 2019

For registration problems, contact the KS-TRAIN Help Desk at helpdesk@kdheks.gov or 785-296-5655.