

**AFT Health & Safety Program
Indoor Air Quality Training
July 16 – 20, 2007**

The National Labor College
George Meany Campus
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Silver Spring, MD 20903
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Local President's Signature: _____

DATE: _____

Received Approval of State Federation President: Yes
 No

Federation President Name: _____

IAQ FAST FACTS

Air pollution affects everyone.

Consider these facts ...

- Poor indoor air quality (IAQ) ranks among the top five environmental risks to public health.
- Air pollution levels inside can be two to five times higher than outdoor levels.
- Poor indoor air quality can cause or contribute to the development of chronic respiratory diseases like asthma.
- Nearly 53 million children and 2 million adults spend their day inside the nation's 110,000 K-12 schools.
- 50 percent of these schools have inadequate indoor air quality.
- Deferred maintenance in our schools, colleges and workplaces has become a way of life.



Clearing the Air:



**Identifying Problems,
Finding Solutions!**
**Fourth Annual Training On
Indoor Air Quality in
Schools, Colleges & Offices**

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Poor Air Quality: A Threat to our Health and Well-Being

Inadequate Air Quality is Linked to:

- Headaches, respiratory distress, eye irritation
- Poor concentration, irritability and reduced learning & productivity
- Asthma attacks among students and staff
- Increased absenteeism

AFT Health & Safety offers a five-day training course to address the many aspects of this critical issue in workplaces.

This highly interactive course provides a comprehensive and strategic picture of air quality issues including policy and technical approaches. It equips participants to become actively involved with indoor air quality initiatives in their workplaces.

One day will be devoted to a hands-on IAQ investigation in a Wash. D.C. school.

Join Us! Become Familiar With:

- Health symptoms and illnesses associated with poor IAQ
- Methods to investigate and assess IAQ problems
- The ins and outs of general and local ventilation systems
- Effective measures to get help and action in an indoor air quality crisis
- Union approaches to IAQ based on success stories across the country
- Best practices and policies that every employer should have in place

Participants will leave this course better able to work hand in hand with their administrators on effective and reasonable approaches to correcting IAQ problems.



Logistics:

Date: Monday, July 16 – Friday, July 20, 2007

Location: The National Labor College, 10000 New Hampshire Avenue, Silver Spring, MD 20903

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. each day with all meals provided.

The AFT will cover hotel rooms and assign them as double occupancy only. If you require a single room, you will be charged the difference.

Special Conditions

Limited spots are available. We will notify you in writing of your status for the class.

Your application must include the following:

- Your local president's signature
- Permission of your state federation president (check yes or no on the application)

For additional information, please contact the AFT Health and Safety Program at 800/238-1133, ext. 5677.