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Lead Abatement Supervisor Certification

Certified lead abatement supervisors oversee lead abatement projects by supervising lead abatement workers conducting abatement work, preparing occupant protection plans and abatement reports. Supervisors can also perform lead abatement work.

How to get certified

- ○ Meet the certification requirements:
  - ✓ Must have one-year experience as a certified lead abatement worker; or two years' experience in related field (ex. lead, asbestos, environmental remediation work, building construction, or building trades). Refer to Lead Hazard Control Rules R325.99302(2)(c).*
- ○ Pass a four-day lead abatement supervisor training course
- ○ Apply for state certification
- ○ Pass the state exam

Other information you should know

- ○ *Related occupations or certifications recognized by the Department:
  - ✓ Carpenter; plumber; electrician; drywaller; painter; siding installer; window installer; mason; water/fire restoration services; mold remediation; full-time building maintenance; full-time construction work; **OR** certified as an asbestos worker or supervisor; **OR** other occupations may be proposed for certification but are not guaranteed to qualify an applicant. A final decision is made by the Department.
- ○ Certification must be renewed each year by paying a renewal fee and submitting a renewal application by March 31. Once certified, you must take a refresher course and the state exam every three years to retain certification status.
- ○ Contact the Healthy Homes Section Certification Team at 1-866-691-5323 or by email at HHSInfo@michigan.gov.

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