

DEQ Virtual Training: Hazardous Waste Management



The Oregon Department of Environmental Quality is providing virtual training on the basics of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act, or RCRA, hazardous waste rules and how to manage the most common wastes. Classes are **free** except where noted. Registration is on a first-come, first-served basis since space is limited. Registration is required through the Zoom Registration links below. DEQ will provide links for the class in an email through Zoom when your registration is confirmed.

DEQ will have a waiting list for the classes listed. If you need to cancel, please notify the designated contact person for the class at your earliest opportunity to allow others to attend.

NOTE: This is **not** a Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response refresher. DEQ does not offer such training, but your state or regional Occupational Safety and Health Administration office may be able to provide information on alternatives. [Read about opportunities for training with Oregon OSHA.](#)

Scroll down to view dates, locations and registration contact information.

Course outline for each date:

<p>RCRA Hazardous Waste Rules—</p> <p>How to Conduct a Hazardous Waste Determination</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition of Solid Waste • RCRA Exclusions and Exemptions • State and federal differences <p>Hazardous Waste Counting and Generator Categories</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recycling, Exemptions and Counting • What is a RCRA empty container? <p>On-site Management</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Containers • Accumulation limits • Satellite Accumulation <p>Permits, Recycling and Treatment in Tanks and Containers</p> <p>Recordkeeping and Reporting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Manifests • Land disposal notifications and certifications • Annual reporting to DEQ • Toxic use reduction requirements 	<p>Emergency Planning</p> <p>Spills of Hazardous Materials</p> <p>Universal Waste Management and Small Quantity Handler Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Batteries • Pesticides • Fluorescent lamps <p>New Rules, Federal and State Differences</p> <p>Federal rules recently adopted:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Spent Solvent Contaminated Wipes • Academic Labs <p>State Policies</p> <p>Surviving a DEQ Hazardous Waste Inspection: Tips for Compliance from a RCRA Inspector</p>
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*Additional Classes may be added as necessary. Bookmark this page in your browser and check back periodically for updates.
 **When accessing this link, some web browsers may display a stored version of the previous schedule. Clearing the browser cache and reloading the page should allow you to view the current schedule.
 *** Should you require any further information, please contact your regional [Solid Waste Permit Coordinator](#).

2021 DEQ Virtual Hazardous Waste Management Classes

Date	Location	Schedule	Registration Link
Thursday, Sept. 16, 2021	Virtual Training DEQ – Northwest Region	8:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m. RCRA Basics and Managing Common Wastes	https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84151251857 <i>DEQ will send a confirmation email, which will contain a link to access the virtual training.</i>
Tuesday, Oct. 19, 2021	Virtual Training DEQ – Northwest Region	1 p.m. – 5:00 p.m. RCRA Basics and Managing Common Wastes	https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84151251857 <i>DEQ will send a confirmation email, which will contain a link to access the virtual training.</i>
Wednesday, Nov. 17, 2021	Virtual Training DEQ – Northwest Region	9:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m. RCRA Basics and Managing Common Wastes	https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84151251857 <i>DEQ will send a confirmation email, which will contain a link to access the virtual training.</i>