

GENERAL CONTRACTORS ASSOCIATION OF HAWAII

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CONFINED SPACES

Pearl Country Club • 98-535 Kaonohi Street, Aiea

Thursday, August 7, 2008

7:30 a.m. (Registration/Breakfast) – 8:00 a.m. – 12:00 noon Program

What is a confined space?

Confined spaces required precaution when entering, exiting and working in an enclosed area. Confined spaces can be found in any workplace. There are three conditions used to identify a

CONFINED SPACE:

1. The space is large enough and so configured that an employee can bodily enter and perform assigned work.
2. Has limited or restricted means for entry or exit.
3. Is not designed for continuous employee occupancy.

What are the hazards of a confined space?

Some confined spaces can be extremely hazardous if they have one or more of the following conditions/hazards: lack of oxygen or oxygen enrichment, toxic gases or vapors, combustible gases or vapors, chemicals, heat, noise, mechanical equipment and falling.

What are some examples of construction confined spaces?

Excavations Ducts Silos Hoppers Manholes
Sewers Vats Vaults Foundations

*While current OSHA construction standards do not specifically address confined space entry, with the exception of 29 CFR 1926.21, Safety Training & Education, there are three regulations that speak to confined space related hazards:

29 CFR 1926.651 – Excavations, Trenching and Shoring
29 CFR 1926.800 – Underground Construction
29 CFR 1926.956 – Underground Lines
(29 CFR 1910.146 – Permit Required Confined Spaces for General Industry)

What are your company's responsibilities?

Have you been properly trained to enter a confined space? Entry permits, is it required? Is testing done prior to entry into a confined space? What, if any, protective equipment is needed? What if there's an accident...who's assigned to handle the emergency?

- Duties and responsibilities of Attendant, Entry personnel, Supervision, Rescue personnel
- Identification of "Permit" vs. "Non-Permit" Confined Space entry
- Entry and Non-Entry Confined Space rescue technique
- Confined Space fall protection considerations

To register, please fill out form and mail or fax to 839-4167.

PLEASE RESERVE _____ SPACE(S) FOR OUR COMPANY.

COST: \$95 per person for GCA Members
\$150 per person for non-members

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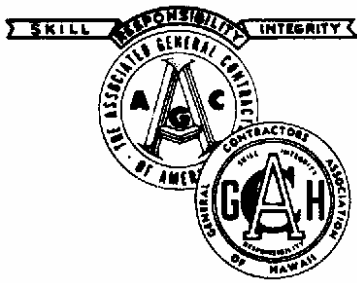
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