

Spotlight on GPP Training

More and more these days, personnel are charged with performing their jobs in an environmentally responsible manner. That's why we offer training on the Green Procurement Program. It's available and ready for your training needs.

Our detailed GPP module targets personnel involved with purchasing, project planning or hold a Government Purchase Card (GPC), and those responsible for purchasing or writing specifications to purchase items that can be made with recovered materials, hazardous materials, toxic materials, ozone depleting substances, energy efficient components or items that use alternative fuels.

Additional topics include GPP benefits, green procurement policy, responsibilities, GPP legal requirements, the seven components of GPP, energy and water efficient products, mandated supply sources, documentation, and finding green products.

10 Common SPCC Violations

As you know, inspections are inevitable and can often come without warning. That's why it is important to keep your SPCC plans up-to-date at all times.

Below are 10 common violations to be aware of:

1. The SPCC Plan did not have a signature of approval by management.
2. The SPCC Plan was not certified by a PE, if applicable.
3. The SPCC Plan lacks written procedures for inspections and for maintaining inspection records for 3 years.
- 4. Personnel are not properly instructed in spill prevention procedures.**
5. Compatibility of tanks with the material stored is not discussed.
6. One of the oil storage tanks has no secondary containment.
7. Facility security measures are not mentioned in the SPCC Plan.
8. Facility lighting is not addressed in the SPCC Plan.
9. Inadequate secondary containment exists for truck loading and unloading rack areas.
10. Effluent discharges are not addressed in the SPCC Plan.

Don't get caught off-guard. Let us help keep you up-to-date with your training.

Your ECATTS SPCC training can be customized to include your specific spill prevention procedures to ensure your personnel are properly trained and in compliance.

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