

CONFINED SPACE ENTRY AND RESCUE TRAINING

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Thursday, November 2, 2017 North Adams City Hall 10 Main Street, North Adams, MA 01247 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

(Registration/Continental Breakfast 7:45 a.m.)
Lunch Included



The New England Consortium has partnered with MIIA to lead this comprehensive one day overview in which participants will learn the proper procedures for making entry into and rescue from Permit Required Confined Spaces . This class is taught as an awareness level class that introduces an overview of OSHA regulations and NFPA recommendations.

Participants will be introduced to OSHA confined space regulations for general industry

and the construction industry and National Fire Protection Association guidelines as they work together in small groups to problem solve and build their skills around working in and around permit required confined spaces. A brief introduction to confined space rescue is intended to help students determine whether their workplace has the resources (including equipment and personnel) to staff a confined space rescue team.

Students will have an opportunity to work with personal protective equipment, air monitoring equipment, entry permits, regulations, and additional resources typically used and consulted when conducting permit required confined space entry. Photographs of confined spaces and mock set-ups of permit confined spaces will be available for review and hands-on problem solving activities.

Participation in this program qualifies the MIIA member for 2% credit in the FY18 MIIA Rewards Program under the Workers' Compensation category



PRESENTERS

Bridget McGuiness
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licenses and certifications

Tom Estabrook

Tom Estabrook has worked for 20 years as a worker health and safety educator with The New England Consortium at UMass Lowell, where he also teaches an undergraduate public health course. He has a background in organizing and advocacy with labor, environmental and health organizations and as a residential construction laborer. He has a Ph.D. in geography and also studied environmental science.

