



Essentials for Healthy Homes Practitioners Course

September 22-23, 2010

Multnomah Building, Room 305

501 SE Hawthorne Boulevard ♦ Portland, OR 97214

If you visit homes to provide health or inspection services of any type, you will benefit from the *Essentials for Healthy Homes Practitioners Course*. The training will help you understand the connection between health and housing and how to take a holistic approach to identify and resolve problems, which threaten the health and wellbeing of residents.

Everyone from a public health nurse visiting a client to an environmental health professional doing a rodent inspection will gain insight into how housing and health are related and actions they can take to improve the health of their clients. This two-day course brings together professionals with a variety of perspectives and experiences in a series of exercises — keeping the training lively and engaging.

The training complements hazard-specific training in lead-based paint, radon, mold, pests, and asbestos. It identifies root causes of health problems in a home and links them to seven principles of healthy housing: keep it dry; keep it clean; keep it pest-free; keep it ventilated; keep it safe, avoid contaminants; and maintain the house.

Course participants will have a better understanding of how to collaborate to make healthy homes a reality in their community.

**For more information on the course, visit
www.healthyhousing.org/training/ or contact
Trudy San Jose White at 206-685-2931 or
sanjose@uw.edu**

Who Should Attend?

- *Environmental Health Professionals*
- *Housing Inspectors*
- *Public Health Nurses*
- *Energy Auditors*
- *Licensed Home Inspectors*
- *Lead Risk Assessors*
- *Health and Housing Advocates*
- *Property Managers*
- *Pest Control Operators*
- *Lead Poisoning Case Managers*
- *Community-Based Organization*
- *Weatherization Specialists*

Practitioner's Course Outline

Day 1

- Overview
- Start With People
- The House as a System
- Keep It Dry
- Keep It Clean
- Keep It Pest-Free

Day 2

- Keep It Ventilated
- Keep It Safe
- Avoid Contaminants
- Maintain the House
- Making It Work

The course includes interactive exercises.



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Wednesday, September 22 – 8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Thursday, September 23 – 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Registration Instructions: Please fax, mail or email this registration form to Ms Trudy San Jose White at the University of Washington. The tuition is **\$150.00**. Payment instructions are at the bottom of this form.

Mailing Address:

ATTN: Trudy San Jose White, University of Washington School of Public Health, NW Center for Public Health Practice, 1107 NE 45th Street, Suite 400, Seattle, WA 98105

Fax: 206-616-9415

Email: sanjose@uw.edu

Once we receive your registration, we will email a letter of confirmation.

First Name:		Last Name:	
Degree(s):	Employment: ___ Public ___ Private ___ NGO	RS/REHS?: ___ Yes ___ No	Nurse?: ___ Yes ___ No
Position Title:			
Organization/Agency/County:			
Department:			
Street Address:			
City:		State:	Zip Code:
E-mail Address:		Telephone No.:	Fax No.

Registration Fee: **\$150.00**, payable by MasterCard, Visa, or check.
(Please make checks payable to the University of Washington).

Payment Method (Please check one): ___ **Check** ___ **Credit Card**

(There are a limited number of spaces available; registration is on a first come, first served basis.)

Visa or MasterCard Number:	Exp. Date:	Name on Card:
Billing Address:		
Signature:		Date:

If you have questions, please contact: Trudy San Jose White at 206-685-2931.

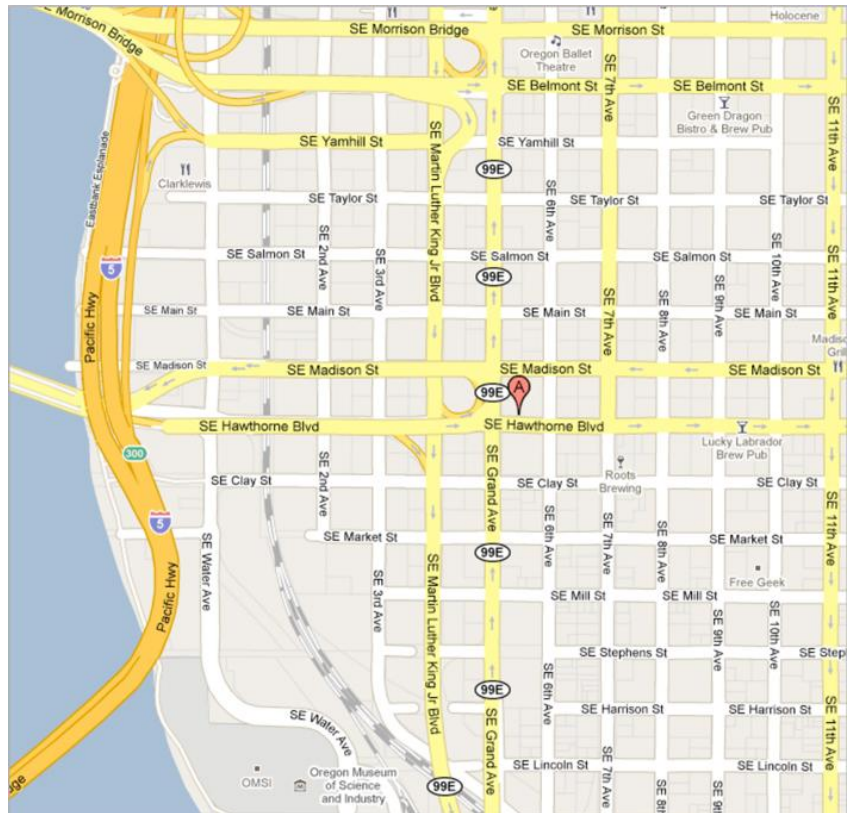


DIRECTIONS TO TRAINING

Multnomah County's Multnomah Building

Room 201
501 SE Hawthorne Boulevard
Portland, OR 97214

The building is located on Hawthorn between SE Grand Avenue and 6th Avenue. If you are coming from I-5 North, Take exit **300B** toward **US-26 E/OR-99E/Omsi/Oregon City** Keep **left** at the fork, follow signs for **Oregon City** and merge onto **SE Morrison Bridge** Slight **right** toward **SE Martin Luther King Jr Blvd** Continue straight onto **SE Martin Luther King Jr Blvd** Turn **left** at **SE Clay St** Take the 1st **left** onto **SE Grand Ave** Take the 1st **right** onto **SE Hawthorne**



ADA Accessibility

The Multnomah County Building is wheelchair accessible via the lobby entrance located on Hawthorn. Elevators can be taken to the 2nd floor.

Parking

Parking is available in the pay parking garage across the street from the training. Parking is 95cents/hour or about \$8 per day. Parking is limited so participants are encouraged to car pool.

HEALTHY HOME SPECIALIST CREDENTIAL

The Healthy Home Specialist Credential Exam can be taken as an optional addition to the course. There is an additional cost of \$205 to take the credentialing exam.

The exam will be proctored at the Multnomah Health Department's Environmental Health Services Office, 3653 SE 34th Avenue, Portland OR 97202 on Friday, September 24, 2010, the day following the course. We have tentatively scheduled the exam to begin at 9:00 a.m. If you would like to take the exam, please inform Trudy no later than September 1 so that the exams can be ordered from the National Environmental Health Association. More information regarding the Healthy Homes Specialist Credential and the examination and fees are available on the NEHA website at:

<http://www.neha.org/credential/HHS/index.htm>

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