



# AHMP Update

Presentation to the Rocky  
Mountain Chapter of CHMM

May 19, 2010

# Agenda

- Update on AHMP
- CMP Policy and how it related to chapter development
- Let's chat

# AHMP

- AHMP Vision-Mission-Goals
  - *To be the recognized global leader and resource for hazardous materials professionals.*
- Strategic Plan
  - Expanded staff
  - Membership/credential advocacy
  - Professional development opportunities

# Important Activities/Events



# Regional Regulatory Review

**Date:** March 23, 2010

**Time:** 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

**Location:** Ronald Reagan Building • Washington, DC

**On the Agenda:**

- *Update on Spill Prevention, Control and Countermeasure*

Jennifer Schuch, CPEA, CHMM, Project Environmental Scientist, URS Corporation

- *Toxic Substances Control Act*

Daniel Levine, CHMM, President, Product Safety Solutions, LLC

- *Globally Harmonized System (GHS) of Chemical Classification and Labeling*

Daniel Levine, CHMM, President, Product Safety Solutions, LLC

- *Chemical Facilities Anti-Terrorism Standards*

John P. Farrell Jr., DHS Inspections, Infrastructure Security Compliance Division



# 2010 National Conference

## AHMP 2010 National Conference

*Where All EHS&S Disciplines Connect*

SEPTEMBER 12 – 15, 2010

THE WESTIN PEACHTREE PLAZA

ATLANTA, GEORGIA



 **AHMP**  
ALLIANCE OF HAZARDOUS  
MATERIALS PROFESSIONALS™  
formerly Academy of Certified Hazardous Materials Managers



## Knowledge Center

Essentials of Hazardous Materials Management

Online Course Library

Webinar series



# Online Course Library

- Consists of EHS&S training courses focused exclusively on hazardous materials management—provides a diversity of coursework for hazardous materials professionals.
- Over 300 courses
- 80%-85% eligible for CMPs



# Upcoming Webinars

High Hazard Chemicals in Laboratory Settings (Part 1)  
Tuesday, May 25, 2010

Inspection Techniques for Assessing Laboratory Chemical Management Practices (Part 2)  
Tuesday, June 8, 2010

School Chemical Cleanouts – Cyanide, the Bomb Squad and Adolescents, Oh My! (Part 3)  
Tuesday, June 22, 2010

Optimizing Substrate Utilization by Manipulating Microbial Activity during Reductive  
Dechlorination  
Tuesday, July 6, 2010

Making Sustainability Work in a Global Company  
Tuesday, July 20, 2010

*A library is also available on the AHMP website  
All are eligible for CMPs*



# More for Members...

- Essentials weekly newsletter
  - AHMP News, Regulatory Updates, Industry News
- Project development and approval program
- Recertification Tracking Service
- Career Center

# Advocacy of the EHS&S Profession

- Comments to OMB on how to improve the process and principles governing regulation
- Comments to EPA's Draft Pollution Prevention Program Strategic Plan
- Definition of "environmental professional"
- Washington Department of Ecology MTCA cleanup regulation update

# AHMP Chapter Support

- Essentials of Hazardous Materials Management (EHMM) course
- Strengthen link to State governments
- Leadership Development Program
  - Chapter Leadership Workshop
- Response to Chapter Annual Report
- Chapter Affiliation Agreement
- CHMMunity Program

# Support from Membership

- This organization does not grow by itself
- Tradition of volunteerism
- Current sources of operating surplus (approx.)
  - Membership dues 60 to 70%
  - National conference 10 to 20%
  - Other 10 to 20%

# Update on the transition from the ACHMM to the AHMP

- Name change
- Agreements with IHMM
  - Trademark Licensing Agreement
  - Affiliation Agreement
  - Continued strategy meetings since Oct. 2009
- Chapter affiliation agreements

# New Bylaws

- Accommodate the rebranding effort.
  - New member categories
- Correct ineffective governance modifications
- Streamline the document and eliminate policy and procedure
- Provide for the establishment of a leadership development process

# CMP Policy

- Holding leadership positions in chapters is eligible for certification maintenance points!!



# CHMM Recertification

- Last names A - F submit by May 31, 2010
- Last names G - M submit by July 31, 2010
- Last names N - S submit by September 30, 2010
- Last names T - Z submit by November 30, 2010

# CHMM Recertification

- Application can be completed online
- Audit process in place
- Required to provide documentation if audited
- Must keep documentation at least one year after due date
- Refer to CHMM Recertification Handbook

# Closing and Questions

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