# CSA FUNDAMENTALS, IMPLEMENTATION AND PRACTICAL APPLICATIONS OF INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL DURING CONSTRUCTION

# COURSE FAQ'S

## 1. What are the dates of the course?

Part 1 - Fundamentals of Infection Control (choose one)

March 1 and 2 – 1:30 pm – 5:30 pm ET **OR:** March 9 and 10 – 8:30 am – 12:30 pm ET

Part 2 – Effective Implementation and Practical Applications (choose one) March 14 and 15 – 1:30 pm – 5:30 pm ET **OR:** March 16 and 17 – 8:30 am – 12:30 pm ET

## 2. What is the course outline?

# PART 1: Infection Control: Part 1 Fundamentals during construction, renovation and maintenance of health care facilities

Construction, renovation, and maintenance of health care facilities bring specific risks associated with potentially fatal infection and illness. Preventing and controlling infection while these activities take place requires the implementation and support of preventive measures intended to protect patients, staff, and visitors from potential harm. Focusing on the application of the CSA Z317.13 standard, participants will learn how to address necessary measures and help control infection risk in health care facilities.

### Background and Development of CSA Z317.13

- How and why the Standard was developed
- Risk factors and construction related infections

## Infection Prevention and Control Measures - Levels I - IV

- In-Depth examination of proper procedures before, during and after construction in each of the four levels identified in Table I of the Standard
- Hypothetic case studies to test accuracy in identifying levels of control necessary for compliance and discussing outcomes

## Procedures

- Infection prevention and control measures
- Multidisciplinary teams
- Preventative measures analysis tables I, II, III

### **Recommended Practices**

• Best practices in the industry that exceed current standard requirements

# PART 2: Infection Control: Part 2 Effective implementation and practical applications during construction, renovation and maintenance of health care facilities

Construction, renovation, and maintenance of health care facilities bring specific risks associated with potentially fatal infection and illness. The establishment of a thorough infection control system, along with the necessary procedures to ensure that current, relevant information is maintained, is critical to protecting patients, staff and visitors. Updated to include all the latest elements of the latest version of CSA Z317.13:22, *Infection control during construction, renovation, and maintenance of health care facilities* standard - this interactive and informative course features newly designed exercises and case studies.

Building on the foundation established by Fundamentals of Infection Control during Construction, Renovation and Maintenance of Health Care Facilities, participants will gain insight into the latest developments and requirements of this critical field and acquire practical knowledge on how to apply the necessary measures to help control risk.

 Can I register my non-member colleagues for this course? Not at this time. We are offering the course to members of the interest group only.

## 4. When will I receive log in and other information?

Registrant names will be uploaded to the CSA OnDemand<sup>®</sup> registration platform after the February 20 deadline date.

Upon assigning the seats each participant will receive an email for our VLE, with their login instructions - from <u>noreply@salesforce.com</u>; on behalf of CSA Store <u>no-reply@mails-store.csagroup.org</u>

### 5. Who are the course instructors?

Mike Hickey Gordon D. Burrill

## 6. Will I receive a Certificate of Attendance?

Yes, a Certificate of Attendance from CSA will be available for each Part (Part 1 and Part 2) through the CSA virtual learning environment.

## 7. Must I attend the entire course to get a Certificate of Attendance?

Yes, each participant **must be completely in attendance** during training. It is important to note that without being in attendance the entire time, the system will not be able to generate a certificate.

## 8. Will I get IPUs from the Certification Board of Infection Control?

Yes, this course is eligible for IPUs. CBIC will allow 1 IPU per hour of learning, i.e.8 learning hours in total.

# **9.** What are the technical requirements necessary to access and complete the course? Please have your IT department verify that the attached technical requirements are compatible with your systems. We will be happy to arrange a test run to ensure that there are no issues on the actual day of training.

Please verify with your IT dept, that the technical requirements and the Webex platform are compatible with your systems. To avoid any delays on day of training, please have your IT dept verify that "Webex" is under the whitelist. Your IT dept will need to check IPs, domains and ports by checking the below KB article from Webex:

https://help.webex.com/en-us/WBX264/How-Do-I-Allow-Webex-Meetings-Traffic-on-My-Network#id\_135400

CHROMEBOOKS, TABLETS AND MOBILES ARE NOT COMPATIBLE to the CSA Group's Webex Training sessions. Each Attendee must participate in the live, instructor-led sessions via a dedicated desktop or laptop.

**Operating Systems/Browser Recommendations:** 

- Windows
- Internet Explorer 10 or later (32-bit/64-bit)
- Edge browser 42 and later
- Mozilla Firefox 52 and later
- Chrome 65 and later (32-bit/64-bit)
- Mac OS X:
- Firefox 52 and later
- Safari 11 and later
- Chrome 65 and later (32-bit/64-bit)

### Accessories: Audio Required

Microphone required with headset or headphones. Or, computer/device with speakers and microphone.

Video camera (optional)

Ensure:

- o JavaScript and cookies are enabled
- Java 6 and Java 7 (for web browsers that support Java) are enabled
- o Cisco WebEx plug-ins is enabled for Chrome 32 and later
- o Plug-ins are enabled in Safari
- o Active X is enabled and unblocked for Microsoft Internet Explorer
- Open all learning materials using Adobe Reader. <u>Click here</u> to install (it is free).

## 10. Where can I get more information about this course?

Contact: Jessica Fullerton, Chair, HFDC Interest Group Christine Moussa, Secretary, HFDC Interest Group healthcarefacility@ipac-canada.org