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Are you interested in a career as a **Construction Safety & Health Technician?**

Erie Community College has developed a new Construction Safety and Health Technician course that will provide the education and training workers in the construction industry need to become Certified Construction Health and Safety Technicians.

The Construction Safety and Health Technician provides value to the employer by reducing insurance costs and lost time. The primary focus of safety practice is to prevent incidents and accidents that may lead to injuries, illnesses, damage to property and equipment, or harm to the environment. Many companies have combined safety, health, and environmental matters into a single department.

There are safety positions with different levels of responsibility in a safety career path. Each advancing level typically requires that one have higher levels of experience, education, and knowledge and skills in leadership, business practices, safety and health, and communication and information technology. There are many ways to enter the safety field and advance along a career path, and the Construction Safety and Health Technician is just one of the many options.

This program will prepare candidates for the CHST (Construction Health and Safety Technician) Exam. Topics covered will include those specified in the four domains: Program Management; Worksite Auditing; Training; and Professional Responsibility. Candidates for the CHST certification are typically employed as safety and health Technicians on construction job sites. Typically individuals are responsible for safety and health on one or more significant construction projects or job sites. They may work for an owner, general contractor, subcontractor, or firm involved in construction or construction safety.

Surveys indicate that job satisfaction in the safety field is high. Typically, 90% of respondents say they are "satisfied" or "very satisfied" with their careers in safety, citing the varying work scenarios and the ability to contribute to the welfare of others. Upon completion of all coursework (20 credit hours), the internship (240 hours) and the OSHA 30-Hour, the candidate will receive a Certificate of Completion from Erie Community College.

Classes will be held from 6 to 9 PM on Tuesday and Thursday evenings at ECC's North Campus in Williamsville, Building K, room 116, starting September 14, 2010. The course fee is \$2,400 and includes all required textbooks.

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