

OSHA 5600

The purpose of this policy is to inform students of the options regarding submission of prerequisite information.

All students participating in a Train-the-Trainer course are required to present prerequisites for verification prior to the beginning of the class for which they are scheduled or would like to attend.

Students are solely responsible for proving sufficient documentation by the Friday prior to the beginning of the course. The **prerequisite information must be approved by noon (12:00 P.M.) on the Friday before the start of the course.**

If the prerequisite form has not been approved by noon (12:00 P.M.) on the Friday before the start of the course, the student will be considered ineligible to attend and will not be provided with the Coupon Code required to complete registration for the trainer course.

If a student provides all of the prerequisite information and has been approved, but has not registered and paid for the course by Friday, 11:59pm EST, the student has until lunch time (NOON) of the first day to submit payment to remain in the course.

No certificate or trainer cards will be issued without prerequisite submission and approval, and payment of course fees.

Please complete the [verification of prerequisites form](#) and email to usfotiec-cards@usf.edu

*Note: Location subject to change.

Section III, Authorized OSHA Outreach Training Program Trainer Designation, (pages 5 – 6) of the **Disaster Site Worker Procedures (Revised 1 January 2019) [Effective 1 April 2019]**
<https://www.osha.gov/dte/outreach/disaster/DisasterSiteWorkerProcedures-2019.pdf>

- A. OSHA Authorized Disaster Site Worker Outreach Trainer Eligibility.** To be eligible to become an authorized Outreach trainer, a person must, at a minimum, meet the following three prerequisites:
1. Be a current OSHA authorized Construction or General Industry Outreach trainer.
 2. Have a minimum of three years' experience as an occupational safety and health trainer.
 3. One of the following:
 - a) Have completed a 40-hour (minimum) Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response (HAZWOPER) training course within the past five (5) years, or the 8-hour HAZWOPER refresher within the past 12 months.
 - b) Possess journey-level credentials in a building trade union.

Experience cannot be substituted for the training prerequisite component. OSHA does not issue waivers for these prerequisites.

After satisfying the prerequisites, a person must complete OSHA #5600 Disaster Site Worker Trainer Course to become an authorized trainer.

- B. Update Requirement.** To remain current on relevant OSHA matters and ensure quality training, OSHA authorized Disaster Site Worker Outreach trainers are required to complete the OSHA #5602 Update for Disaster Site Worker Trainer Course every four years. The OSHA #5600 Disaster Site Worker Trainer Course may also be used to maintain a trainer's authorized status. If a trainer's authorization has expired, they will be unable to conduct OSHA Outreach Training Program classes and receive student course completion cards.