

2012 UST Professional Refresher

UST Section Topics

Removers



What's wrong in this picture?

Removers

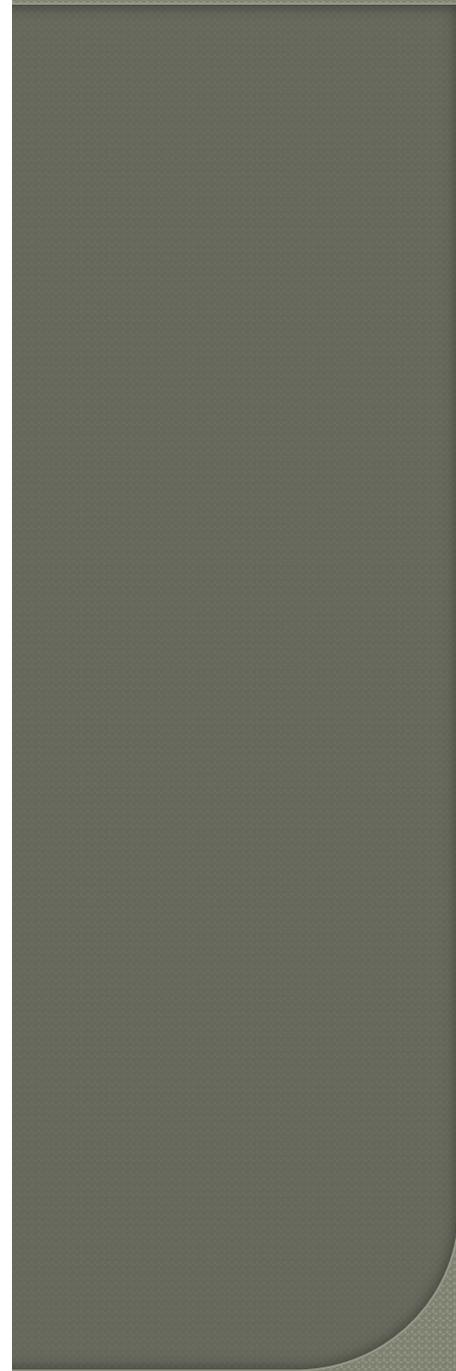
- Licensed remover is responsible for the entire removal process.
- Assure all OSHA rules are followed during removal. This includes subcontractors.
- Must remain on site during entire tank removal until USTs are loaded for transport.

Confined Space

- **Confined space:**
 - Is large enough for an employee to enter fully and perform assigned work;
 - Is not designed for continuous occupancy by the employee; and
 - Has a limited or restricted means of entry or exit; i.e., openings that require the entrant to crouch, crawl, climb or be lowered into, or an interior configuration that restricts egress or rescue, is considered limited or restricted
- **Permit-required confined space:** meets definition of confined space above, and has one or more of the following:
 - Contains or has the potential to contain a hazardous atmosphere;
 - Contains a material with the potential to engulf someone who enters the space;
 - Has an internal configuration that might cause an entrant to be trapped or asphyxiated by inwardly converging walls or by a floor that slopes downward and tapers to a smaller cross section; and/or
 - Contains any other recognized serious safety or health hazards.







Groundwater Professionals

- Select adequate soil sampling to meet closure requirements.
- Place monitoring wells so entire UST system is covered.

UST Professional Disciplinary Action

◉ Letter of Deficiency

- Part of your record
- Not appealable

◉ License Suspension

- Suspends license for specified period
- Part of Record
- Appealable

◉ License Revocation

- Loss of license
- Appealable

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- Release Reporting—within 7 days of discovery



UST Professionals

- ◉ Disputes between contractors should not delay notification requirements, forms, reports and other documentation
- ◉ Fiberglass tanks and specified backfill
- ◉ Positive Shutdown at unattended sites by January 1, 2013
 - LLD capable of positive shutdown or
 - Alert Class B Operator within two hours



Inspectors



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- Gearing up for new cycle of inspections
 - Within two years of last inspection or install
- New Database coming in Jan/Feb 2013
 - Inspector adds Dispensers
 - Must include description
- Enter date/notification of scheduled inspections.

Inspectors

- ① Enter the inspection once and make changes as necessary. Do not enter it twice.
- ① Enter photos of site and violations into inspection database.
 - Add caption/description of photo
- ① Enter violation corrective action follow-up in the inspection database

Inspectors

- Unattended sites
 - Does in-line leak detector shut down submersible pump when it detects a leak
- Verification of Class A, B and C operator training. Check for:
 - Certificates from Trainer
 - Emergency contact information sheet
- Permanent and Annual Tags

Diesel Exhaust Fluid



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- Not regulated
- We recommend they be installed as if regulated with secondary containment.
- Register the UST with DNR so there is a record of it. (No Fees are Charged)
- In the future the UST could be converted to a regulated use and be in compliance.