



Lead Accreditation Application (LPF-1) Instructions

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Office of Environmental Services
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LAC 33:III.2807 requires any individual who performs lead-based paint activities to be accredited by the LDEQ. In order to receive accreditation, an applicant must submit appropriate documentation with the Lead Accreditation Application (LPF-1).

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Applicant Information: Neatly print or type and fill in all boxes.
2. Check all accreditations that applicant is seeking. When applying for multiple accreditations, applicants pay for only the highest accreditation requested.
3. Submit a copy of the initial training course completion certificate and any subsequent refresher training course certificates from Louisiana recognized or EPA authorized training providers in the discipline(s) for which the applicant is seeking accreditation. **Workers who have received less than 16 hours of initial training must also submit proof of eight hours of training in 29 CFR 1926.62(l).**
4. Submit a 1" x 1 1/4" full face photograph of the applicant issued by the recognized training provider for each of the disciplines the applicant is seeking accreditation.
5. Education and Experience: The following documents shall be recognized by the LDEQ as proof of meeting the requirements listed below: official academic transcripts or diplomas; resumes; letters of reference; or documentation of work experience; and valid course completion certificates from recognized training providers. Please attach copies to the completed application.

Education and Experience Requirements:

- A. Lead Abatement Workers must successfully complete a recognized initial lead worker course (see no. 3 above).
 - B. Lead Inspectors must have high school diploma or equivalent and successfully complete a recognized lead inspector training course.
 - C. Risk Assessors must successfully complete a recognized inspector training course and successfully complete a recognized risk assessors training course; and must have at least one of the following: (a) Bachelor's Degree and one year of experience in lead, asbestos, or environmental remediation work; or (b) Associate's Degree and two years of experience in lead, asbestos, or environmental remediation work; or (c) Certification as an industrial hygienist, engineer, or registered architect; or (d) Certification in an engineering, health, or environmental field; or (e) High school diploma or equivalent and at least four years of experience in lead, asbestos, or environmental remediation work.
 - D. Lead Project Supervisors must successfully complete a recognized lead project supervisor training course; and have a high school diploma (or equivalent) and at least two years of experience in lead, asbestos, or environmental remediation work or in the building trades.
 - E. Project Designers must successfully complete a recognized project designer training course; and possess either a Bachelor's Degree in engineering or architecture and one year of experience in building construction and design or a related field; or five years of experience in building construction and design.
6. As of December 1, 1998, individuals applying for lead inspector, risk assessor, supervisor, or project designer must take and pass the applicable Louisiana lead exam with a score of 70 or above. Contact the LDEQ at (225) 219-3300 to schedule your exam.
 7. Fees are paid to the Louisiana Department of Environmental Quality. For Regular Processing, applications are reviewed in order of receipt. For Emergency Processing, applications are reviewed and processed in 5 business days or less.

Category	Regular Processing	Emergency Processing
Worker	\$ 55.00	\$ 83.00
Inspector	\$ 165.00	\$ 248.00
Project Supervisor	\$ 275.00	\$ 413.00
Risk Assessor	\$ 275.00	\$ 413.00
Project Designer	\$ 550.00	\$ 825.00

8. Individuals must be accredited annually. Keep a copy of the completed application for your records. Mail application materials to the address found at the top of the application. If you are a company or individual submitting applications for several people, please make sure the applicant signs each application. Applications must be signed and dated or they will be considered incomplete.