

## **METHAMPHETAMINE ISN'T JUST A DRUG....**

Its manufacturing breeds toxic waste and deadly vapors. Consumption or even accidental contact can cause everything from extreme rashes to violent and paranoid behavior. Meth is the fastest growing drug threat and the most prevalent synthetic drug in the USA. The problem is complex and will require all aspects of society to provide an appropriate response. Training and education are key and we can help! Through companies such as Meth Heads, Inc. we have brought this epidemic to the public's doorstep and have provided them tools to be better informed and the opportunity to help those who have become victims to this drug.

**Get educated today!**



## **WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT METH...**

Meth users that work for you, or users that manufacture the drug on your property, can end up costing you or your company money. From health conditions incurred through exposure to chemicals and toxic vapors, drug rehabilitation, lost productivity, theft, absenteeism, destruction of property and loss of life, Meth has left it's fingerprint on all walks of life.

## **SOME OF THE ORGANIZATIONS AND COMPANIES WHO HAVE BENEFITED FROM OUR TRAINING....**

- ◆ Midwest Energy Association
- ◆ Encana Oil
- ◆ Xcel Energy
- ◆ Colorado Dept. of Transportation
- ◆ Colorado Association of Realtors
- ◆ Children's Hospital
- ◆ Colorado Dept. of Human Services
- ◆ City of Greeley
- ◆ Denver Area Schools
- ◆ Colorado Environmental Health Assoc.
- ◆ Colorado Sheriff & Under Sheriff Assoc.
- ◆ FDA
- ◆ Garfield County
- ◆ Tri County Health Department
- ◆ United Power
- ◆ Hospitality Industry
- ◆ Colorado Bar Association
- ◆ National Fire Investigators Conference
- ◆ Many Fire and Police Departments throughout Colorado, Wyoming, Utah, Montana, Nebraska and Kansas

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# Methamphetamine Laboratory Safety Training



- ◆ **OSHA COMPLIANT**
- ◆ **COMMUNITY AWARENESS**
- ◆ **SAFETY TRAINING**
- ◆ **DISCIPLINE SPECIFIC**
- ◆ **DOT REASONABLE SUSPICION TRAINING**

## WHAT ATTENDEES ARE SAYING...

"This meth lab safety training is the finest training I've ever seen regarding this topic. This very serious topic is presented with humor, energy, expertise and experience. I strongly recommend it to everyone, whether or not they have been touched by this national epidemic". *Sheriff Lou Vallario, Garfield County*

"The Meth Awareness training presented to City of Greeley employees has proven to be an invaluable safety and crime prevention tool. Understanding what they have found, how to protect themselves and others from harm, and report their finds to the appropriate officials is a powerful tool in community and workforce safety." *Rebecca Safarik, Community Development Director, City of Greeley*

"Excel Energy has been very fortunate to find training that has kept our employees safe in the environments that they work on customers property. This is dynamic and highly professional training that provides employees value in their work life and is something they can take home with them." *Julia West, Manager Safety & Technical Training, Excel Energy*

"All employers working with heavy equipment or in hazardous environments worry about the safety of their employees. Alcohol and drug use is a known and very substantial risk. Meth use is high in many industries especially those involving long shifts and difficult environments. This is resulting in work place injuries, theft of employer's property and damage to employer's equipment. Production time and efficiencies are being lost. This training is very successful in alerting employers to signs of employee use and addiction to meth. It will alert you to the signs of property theft related to meth production and put you in a position to keep your employees safe and maintain productivity of your operations." *Tim Gablehouse, Attorney Gablehouse Calkins & Granberg*

## WHAT METH HEADS, INC IS DOING....

**For the Oil & Gas Industry**, we speak at regular safety meetings and contractors meetings to promote safety by ensuring awareness and recognition for employees who may be exposed to, or come into contact with, potentially hazardous materials in the workplace.

**For companies and governmental agencies**, we work with those employees that have potential exposure to situations where meth users, their labs or it's remnants may expose them to hazardous environments. We provide DOT Reasonable Suspicion Training for Supervisors.

**For realtors**, we educate them on what to look for in homes, the hazards of chemicals used and the health effects of contamination, discuss disclosure and cleanup laws regarding meth labs, and give them tools to keep themselves safe should they encounter a lab or someone high on meth.

**For Law Enforcement and Fire Departments**, we teach the 8-hour first responder operations level training for dealing with a meth lab and the hazards associated with them. This course complies with standards set by OSHA and 29CFR1910.120.

**In cities**, we educate the public on what to look for in their neighborhoods, and how to address the dangers associated with users and meth labs.

**For students**, we explain the addictive power of drugs, particularly meth, and offer real life stories of drug addicted kids, parents and families. We also offer ways that they can help friends that are experimenting with Meth or other drugs.

## WHO SHOULD ATTEND.....

The dangers associated with meth users, as well as meth labs, pose a significant threat to a variety of professionals beyond the emergency response community. Are you at risk?

- ◆ Do you work in or enter other peoples homes?
- ◆ Do you have crews that do land survey or road cleanup with the potential to come across abandoned waste?
- ◆ Do you interact with the public, and/or manage or supervise those that do?
- ◆ Do you have safety concerns for employees who work long or late hours who may rely on substances to increase alertness and productivity?
- ◆ Do you have employees with substance abuse problems that may effect the safety of themselves or others?

Our courses are designed to promote safety by ensuring awareness and recognition for employees who may be exposed to, or come into contact with, potentially hazardous materials in the workplace. This training is all about you, and how you can keep yourself safe!

## ON-SITE TRAINING AND KEYNOTE SPEAKING.....

We can provide customized programs that are pertinent to your organization's training goals, where you want, when you want. Whether you have 50 or 5000 people to train, Meth Heads, Inc. is the answer.

