

PUBLIC HEALTH ASSESSMENT TRAINING

MODULE 2: PUBLIC HEALTH ASSESSMENT OVERVIEW

WB2919

PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

The Public Health Assessment Training (PHAT) online modules are designed to increase knowledge and change competency of environmental health practices and strategies. The content of the modules is derived from the method used by the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR), known as the public health assessment (PHA), to evaluate exposure to hazardous substances.

OBJECTIVES:

At the conclusion of *Module 2: Public Health Assessment Overview*, the participant will be able to:

1. Identify the main steps of the PHA.
2. Recognize the PHA's dynamic nature.
3. List activities needed for the PHA.
4. Describe ATSDR's multidisciplinary approach to conduct PHAs.
5. Identify subject matter experts who may become involved in the PHA, and their roles.
6. Name internal or external groups that ATSDR works with throughout the PHA.
7. Recognize the benefits of engaging the community in the PHA.
8. List tips to effectively engage the community in the PHA.
9. Identify the main formats ATSDR uses to conduct community meetings.

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HARDWARE/SOFTWARE: Computer Hardware; Internet connection; Browser, Word, Adobe

MATERIALS: None

TARGET AUDIENCE: Public health professionals involved or interested in the PHA process, including Environmental Health Specialists, Toxicologists, Epidemiologists, Medical Officers, Registered Nurses, Health Educators, Community Involvement Specialists, Health Communicators, and Program Managers.

PREREQUISITES: None

FORMAT: These modules are online, asynchronous, and self-paced.

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