

Occupational Health, Safety & Environmental Consultants

## Massachusetts Department of Fire Services (DFS): Hot Works Training Seminars

Since 1996, Colden's professionals have helped thousands of clients to create and maintain safe and healthy workplaces, and to effectively manage environmental, health, and safety (EHS) risks and requirements. We offer experience, professionalism, and quality client service in areas that are critical to your organization.

Colden's Boston regional office has been approved to provide the Massachusetts Department of Fire Services (DFS) Massachusetts Hot Works training seminar to its clients. The session meets the minimum requirements of 527 CMR 1.0 Chapter 41, Welding, Cutting, and other Hot Work, Section 41.7 and includes applicable information from The Massachusetts Comprehensive Fire Safety Code, 527 CMR 1.00 Chapter 41, and applicable OSHA, NFPA, and ANSI standards. As a bonus, our session includes additional safety and industrial hygiene information related to hot work that employers may not be aware of. The session can be conducted alone, or packaged with other OSHA-mandated training including, but not limited to, Emergency Action and Fire Prevention Plans, and initial/ annual portable fire extinguisher training.

Colden also has a 2-hour session on "General Welding Hazards and Risks" that includes the DFS information along with an overview of applicable OSHA and workplace safety information. Lastly, Colden can provide a 2-day training class "Evaluating and Monitoring Airborne Contaminants in the Welding Environment" that includes the information noted above, a comprehensive review of welding hazards and risks, and how to qualitatively and quantitatively evaluate welding hazards and risks. The classroom session is supplemented with hands-on laboratory sessions that teach attendees how to conduct fundamental air sampling for welding work-related aerosols (e.g., dusts, mists, fumes, etc.), vapors, and gases.

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