
JOINT EPA-HUD LEAD-BASED PAINT TRAINING PROGRAM FOR RENOVATION, REPAIR, AND PAINTING

25 Multiple Choice Questions – 70% Passing Grade

Read each of the questions carefully and **blacken** the letter on the answer sheet which best indicates the correct answer. **PLEASE DO NOT WRITE IN THIS TEST BOOKLET.**

1. Which of the following statements is correct regarding the federal definition of lead-based paints?
 - a. Any residential paint or surface coating manufactured in the United States prior to 1978
 - b. Any residential paint or surface coating manufactured in the United States prior to 2008
 - c. Any paint or surface coating that contains lead equal to or in excess of 1.0 milligram per square centimeter or more than 0.5 percent by weight
 - d. Any paint or surface coating that contains lead equal to or in excess of 1.0 gram per square inch or more than 5.0 percent by weight

2. Small, inhaled or swallowed dust particles are more easily absorbed by the body than larger particles and can therefore more easily cause lead poisoning
 - a. True
 - b. False

3. Which of the following criteria does NOT apply to the term “Child-Occupied Facility” as defined by the RRP Rule?
 - a. Visited regularly by the same child under 6 years of age
 - b. Visits are on at least two different days within any week
 - c. Combined weekly visits last at least 6 hours
 - d. Combined annual visits are at least 3 months

4. Which of the following is a lead renovation activity?
 - a. The permanent enclosure or encapsulation of lead-based paint
 - b. The repair, restoration or remodeling of a structure
 - c. The removal of lead-based paint
 - d. The removal or permanent covering of soil

5. Which of the following are responsibilities of individual Certified Renovators?
 - a. When requested, conduct testing for lead-based paint using EPA-recognized test kits or paint chip sampling.
 - b. Be physically present during sign posting, work area preparation and cleanup
 - c. Prepare and maintain required records
 - d. All of the above

6. Firms found to be in violation of the RRP Rule may be subject to civil penalties up to \$37,500 per violation per day
 - a. True
 - b. False

7. Which of the following statements is CORRECT regarding distribution of the *Renovate Right* pamphlet to owners of homes being renovated?
- The pamphlet must be distributed within 7 days of beginning a renovation
 - The pamphlet must be distributed no more than 60 days before beginning a renovation
 - The pamphlet must be distributed no more than 3 months before beginning a renovation
 - The pamphlet must be distributed within 6 months of beginning a renovation
8. Homes built prior to 1960 are more likely to contain lead than homes built after 1960.
- True
 - False
9. Once testing for lead-based paint has been completed, what is the requirement for informing the homeowner of the results of the testing?
- Prior to beginning the renovation
 - No more than 3 days following completion of the renovation
 - No more than 30 days following completion of the renovation
 - No more than 90 days following completion of the renovation
10. When erecting interior containment systems without vertical containment, floor coverings must extend at least 6 feet beyond the perimeter of surfaces undergoing renovation.
- True
 - False
11. Which one of the following practices for removing lead-based paint is prohibited under the RRP Rule?
- Sanding by hand
 - Needle guns with the use of a HEPA vacuum attachment
 - Scraping by hand
 - Heat gun above 1100 degrees F
12. Electric power tools such as sanders, grinders, and power planers may be used to remove lead-based paint as long as surfaces are maintained wet to reduce the dust created.
- True
 - False
13. One way to prevent the spread of contamination from the work site is to remove your disposable shoe covers and vacuum your shoes before you step off the plastic sheeting.
- True
 - False

14. The preferred method for cleaning the floor of an interior work area is to first pickup any visible paint chips or debris, then HEPA vacuum all surfaces and then mop the floor using a two-bucket mopping system.
- True
 - False
15. Who is qualified to perform a Dust Clearance Examination?
- A Non-Certified Renovation Worker
 - A Certified Renovator
 - A Certified Lead Inspector
 - A Certified Lead Abatement Technician
16. Renovation records must be maintained for ____ years following completion of a renovation.
- 1
 - 3
 - 7
 - 10
17. Which of the following options CANNOT be used as a record of meeting pre-renovation education requirements of individual residences?
- Written acknowledgement by the owner that they received the pamphlet
 - Proof of successful delivery of the pamphlet
 - Proof of mailing of the pamphlet
 - A copy of a notice posted on a resident's door
18. The Post-Renovation Report documents compliance with the following requirements, among others:
- Work area containment
 - Onsite waste containment and transport
 - Post-renovation work area cleaning
 - Successful cleaning verification
- True
 - False
19. Following completion of training, Trained Non-Certified Renovation Workers may perform renovation tasks for which they received training under the monitoring of a certified renovator.
- True
 - False

20. Which of the following records of training of Non-Certified Renovation Workers must be maintained at the worksite?
- a. A list of which workers have what training
 - b. A list of all training topics covered for each worker
 - c. A signed statement by the Certified Renovator attesting to the training conducted
 - d. None of the above
21. Which of the following is NOT a responsibility of a Certified Firm?
- a. Assign a Certified Renovator to all jobs
 - b. Ensure all renovation personnel are Certified Renovators or have been trained on-the-job by a Certified Renovator
 - c. Provide notice to EPA prior to beginning the renovation project
 - d. Ensure all record keeping requirements are being met for each job
22. Carpets in the work room do not need to be covered with plastic during work because they can be vacuumed afterwards.
- a. True
 - b. False
23. Which of the following statements reflects a good practice to follow when trying to control dust, debris and paint chips during work?
- a. Wait until the end of the day to remove debris
 - b. Use a blower to move dust and debris into a pile for easy pickup
 - c. Use open chutes to move materials from one level to another
 - d. Wrap removed components in plastic sheeting for disposal
24. The preferred method of cleaning up a work area is from bottom to top, from floor to window to top of wall.
- a. True
 - b. False
25. Who is qualified to perform a Cleaning Verification (CV) Procedure?
- a. A Non-Certified Renovation Worker
 - b. A Certified Renovator
 - c. A Certified Lead Inspector
 - d. A Certified Lead Abatement Technician