

**Alabama American Industrial Hygiene Association  
&  
Deep South Center for Occupational Health & Safety  
Professional Development Course  
Exposure Assessment Process Part I: Initial Assessment and Prioritization  
Thursday, March 17, 2005  
Birmingham, AL**

**Course Director: J. Barry Graffeo**, CIH, is an Associate Consultant Industrial Hygienist with Eli Lilly. He serves on the AIHA's Exposure Assessment Strategies committee.

**Course Overview**

This course will provide the knowledge and skills necessary to develop strategies for effectively managing the initial assessment and prioritization of workplace exposures. These strategies will lead to more effective and efficient use of industrial hygiene resources.

Upon completion the user will be able to:

1. Understand the basic process flow for an exposure assessment program, and identify the initial outcomes
2. Establish exposure groups
3. Develop familiarity with techniques for initial assessments
4. Understand the basic elements in a prioritization scheme
5. Understand the basic elements of a database for managing initial assessments

**Agenda**

Registration will begin at noon; with the program beginning promptly at 12:30 pm. The program will conclude at 5:30 pm.

**Topics**

- ✓ Introduction
- ✓ Overview an Exposure Assessment Process
- ✓ Basic Characterization
- ✓ Similar Exposure Groups
- ✓ Define/Judge Exposure Profiles
- ✓ Further Information Gathering
- ✓ Database Demonstration

After the Risk Assessment Workshop, join the Alabama AIHA for an evening program. An opportunity for networking will begin after the workshop (5:30 – 6:00 pm). Dinner will be from 6:00 – 6:30 with a presentation from Aaron Trippler at 6:30 pm.

**The Washington Buzz  
Aaron K. Trippler  
Director, Government Affairs  
American Industrial Hygiene Association**

Want to know what's happening in Washington with occupational health and safety? What will the new Congress do with the issue? Who will head OSHA, and in what direction? Hear this and more from an insider's view. Hear the latest happenings with the real inside story, not the fluff.

**Dinner Speaker**

Aaron Trippler is Director of Government Affairs for the American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA), the association of occupational and environmental health and safety professionals. Mr. Trippler directs government affairs for more than 70 local sections and is chief liaison with Congress and federal agencies. Aaron has more than 25 years experience in federal and state government affairs, having developed governmental affairs programs for three associations, as well as having served in other senior level association positions.

**Location**

For the convenience of our participants, a block of sleeping rooms has been set aside at the hotel where the program will be held. Participants should call the hotel directly for reservations and mention that you are attending a UAB/Deep South Center sponsored course.

[Hilton Gardens](#)

520 Wildwood Circle North  
Birmingham, AL 35209  
205.314.0274  
\$89/night

**Registration**

Registration fee for this course is \$40 members of AIHA-AL, \$50 for non-members and \$15 for dinner meeting. Registration forms can be obtained by contacting the Deep South Center at [dsc@uab.edu](mailto:dsc@uab.edu) or calling at 205.934.7178.

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