

NEHA Radon Resistant New Construction (RRNC) Training

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Are you interested in expanding your knowledge and commitment in radon resistant techniques? If so, then this training opportunity is for you!

The National Environmental Health Association (NEHA), in cooperation with U.S. EPA Indoor Environments Division, is sponsoring a 2½ day **all-expenses-paid** training for environmental health (EH) professionals to implement radon resistant new construction (RRNC). **Attendees are expected to serve as NEHA field partners who will be resources for residential construction activities in their community for a minimum of one year.**

The training includes

- technical information on components of RRNC,
- state and local building code processes, and
- risk assessment and risk communication information about the health effects of long-term exposure to elevated levels of radon gas.

Attendees will

- work with U.S. EPA staff, local code officials and builders, other affiliate partners, nationally recognized instructors, and NEHA field partners—past attendees of this training—who have successfully implemented RRNC in their communities;
- learn new skills to increase consumer awareness of radon hazards, build local coalitions, and collaborate with other stakeholders and nonprofit organizations such as Habitat for Humanity and homebuilder associations; and
- assist in developing an action plan with specific and measurable goals for a RRNC program appropriate for their community.

How to Apply

Please e-mail an application to **Marissa Mills** at mmills@neha.org by **October 18, 2013**. Participants will be notified by October 23, 2013, if selected.

Applications must be on agency letterhead and include

- each attendee name, position title, complete mailing address, phone, fax, and e-mail address;
- community and/or industry partners that will be attending;
- description of current or planned radon activities including partner organizations;
- description of the area to be served, approximate number of new residential construction building permits in the past year, and the radon zone classification, if known;
- information on previous radon or RRNC training; and
- a statement indicating the support of management to undertake this program.

NEHA strongly encourages joint applications from the same community—teaming public/EH professionals with building code, zoning, or planning department officials, and/or interested builders or homebuilder association representatives.



For more information, please contact Marissa Mills, Project Assistant, at mmills@neha.org or 303.756.9090, ext. 304.