

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION (DEP) SCHOOL CHEMICAL CLEANOUT CAMPAIGN (SC3) TRAINING WORKSHOPS ANNOUNCEMENT

The Florida Department of Environmental Protection (DEP), in conjunction with the Department of Education (DOE), will be offering 15 teacher training workshops to assist science teachers with the inventory and disposal of hazardous and legacy chemicals found in laboratories and storage areas. These workshops are being offered as a part of EPA's School Chemical Cleanout Campaign (SC3) program which is being launched state-wide in Spring of 2006. The half-day training sessions which will focus on:

Environmental Regulations
Personal Protective Equipment
Dangerous Chemicals
Film: Introduction to Reactive and Explosive Chemicals
How to Do an Inventory of Laboratory Chemicals
Gathering Information on Chemicals and Identifying Unknowns
Disposal Options for Unwanted Chemicals
Strategies for Improved Chemical Management

School districts are offering continuing education credit hours for attending the workshop!

Dates that are currently open to arrange for a workshop in your County are:

March 7th Tuesday	April 4th Tuesday	May 2nd Tuesday	May 11th Thursday
March 8th Wednesday	April 5th Wednesday	May 3rd Wednesday	May 12th Friday
March 9th Thursday	April 6th Thursday	May 4th Thursday	May 15th Tuesday
March 28th, Tuesday	April 25th Tuesday	May 8th Monday	May 16th Wednesday
March 29th, Wednesday	April 26th Wednesday	May 9th Tuesday	May 17th Thursday
March 30th Thursday	April 27th Thursday	May 10th Wednesday	

If you are interested in housing a workshop in your school district, please contact DEP to establish a date, time and location for a SC3 workshop. The DEP SC3 workshop coordinator is:

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Please visit our website for updates on the SC3 training courses:

[HTTP://WWW.DEP.STATE.FL.US/WASTE/CATEGORIES/HAZARDOUS/PAGES/SCHOOLCHEMICALS.HTM.](http://www.dep.state.fl.us/waste/categories/hazardous/pages/schoolchemicals.htm)

If you need additional information on SC3 please contact:



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