



WORKPLACE HAZARDOUS MATERIALS INFORMATION SYSTEM

WHMIS – A shared responsibility where...

SUPPLIERS

who manufacture, import, distribute, repackage or sell controlled products pursuant to the federal ***Hazardous Products Act*** and ***Controlled Products Regulations***:

- determine which of their products are “controlled products”
- assess applicable health and safety information
- transmit/obtain or prepare the material safety data sheet and apply the label as a condition of sale/importation

EMPLOYERS

who purchase, use, deploy, manufacture or dispose of controlled products pursuant to federal, provincial and territorial WHMIS occupational health and safety legislation:

- ensure that all controlled products on site are properly labelled and up-to-date MSDSs are readily available to workers
- provide WHMIS worker education and training and apply appropriate workplace control measures to ensure the health and safety of workers

WORKERS

who use, handle, dispose or are exposed to controlled products pursuant to federal, provincial and territorial WHMIS occupational health and safety legislation:

- participate in the education and training program on controlled products
- take necessary steps to protect themselves and their co-workers
- participate in identifying and eliminating risks

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