

IS THIS PROGRAM DESIGNED FOR YOU?

Unemployed/Underemployed while no meaning for unemployed is necessary, you may be asking yourself what is under employed. It means you could be currently working in a position that does not use all of your skills and knowledge.

Leaving you with idle time at work and possibly working multiple jobs to make ends meet. The possibility of additional training in a field that is continuing to grow and expand could open the door to a career that will meet your needs.



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ABOUT US

Our Program

The Environmental Career Worker Training Program is designed to train unemployed and/or underemployed individuals in the Houston Area in the environmental services field. The training is free and provided at Texas Southern University and other selected sites.

Texas Southern University possesses an impressive array of more than 100 undergraduate and graduate programs and concentrations, a diverse faculty, 80-plus student organizations, and an extensive alumni network comprised of educators, entrepreneurs, public servants, lawyers, pilots, artists, and more, many of whom are change agents on the local and national and international stage. Nestled upon a sprawling 150-acre campus, Texas Southern University is the second largest historically black universities.



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TRAINING IS FREE

Training is offered in a 12-week classroom and hands on type setting by dynamic instructors and trainers that are experts in their fields.

- Type of technical training offered: Asbestos and Lead abatement Worker state certification
- 40 hour-Basic construction skills with weatherization
- 40 hour- Hazwoper Certification Osha 10
- Basic Plus & Confined Space (possible)
- TWIC (possible)
- Community Emergency Response Training (possible)

ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

- Must be a Houston area resident
- Must be at least 18 years of age
- Must be and un/underemployed
- Must be drug free
- Must have a GED or High School diploma
- Must read on a 8th grade level
- Must speak English
- Candidates can come from any ethnic background and be male or female.
- Criminal records are handled on case by case bases.

POTENTIAL PARTICIPANTS MUST

- Complete application
- Take and pass TABE (Test of adult Basic Education)
- Individual interview
- Attend orientation session
- Successfully complete 6 weeks of Power Skills and 6 weeks of Technical Skills
- After completing the program students are fully certified and ready to begin work in the field.
- Job placement assistant is provided

“People might not get all they work for in this world, but they must certainly work for all they get.” –Fredrick Douglas