

## Course Description

The Job Training and Safety Telecommunications Program has been designed specifically for employees of the telecommunications industry. The course content addresses strategies useful in reducing work-related accidents and injuries, as well as measures to be used to comply with established regulations and standards of the industry.

The course is offered at numerous locations throughout the state of Wisconsin on an as-needed basis. Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College and those districts in which classes are offered cooperate to provide the needed instruction.



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## Industry Support

The Job Training and Safety Telecommunications Program is endorsed by the Wisconsin State Telecommunications Association (WSTA). WSTA provides direction and guidance to the Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College in the ongoing development and evaluation of the curriculum and helps fund equipment and resources material acquisitions.

## Job Training and Safety

## Telecommunications Program

**Comprehensive  
Safety Training  
for Wisconsin's  
Telecommunications  
Industry**

The Job Training and Safety Telecommunications Program is administered by the Wisconsin Indianhead Technical College and offered through cooperating Vocational Technical Adult Education Districts throughout Wisconsin. It is typically attended by employees from the Telecommunications industry.

This program helps companies in these industries to provide employees with a comprehensive safety training program and also helps them meet OSHA and state safety training requirements. Classes are held for one 6-hour day each month in each location from October to May, or 30 hours in each location.

## Curriculum

A selection of thirty-six possible topics are offered each year.

The modular nature of these topics allow some flexibility to modify the course based on needs of the students attending.

TO REGISTER GO TO:  
[www.wsta.info/training.htm](http://www.wsta.info/training.htm)

## JOB TRAINING AND SAFETY TOPICS

Safety in this Industry	Electrical Safety & Hazards
Safety and the Law	Ladder Use and Maintenance
Safety and Loss Control Manual	Pole Inspection, Testing and Climbing
Driver Risk Index	Company Safety Programs
Personal Protective Equipment	OSHA Applications
Office Safety	Cause and Prevention of Back Injuries
Hazard Communication	Chain Saw Safety
Fire Prevention & Extinguishing	Work Area Protection
Station Installation and Repair	Trenching & Excavating
Slips, Trips and Falls	Equipment Storage & Warehouse Areas
Central Office & Headend Equipment Area	Construction Equipment Inspection & Maintenance
Defensive Driving Course	Construction Equipment Operation
Blood-borne Pathogens Standards	Fiber Optics
Buried Construction & Maintenance	Employee Attitude/ Stress Awareness
Vehicle, Tool and Equipment Inspection	Fleet Operation Safety
Bucket Truck Safety Training	Grounding and Bonding
Substance Abuse	Medic First Aid/CPR & AED
Aerial Plant Maintenance	Confined Space Entry Standards