

Chapter

1. Asbestos Exposure Assessment, Risk Identification, and Substitutes

Section

B. Asbestos Exposure Assessment and Control in Occupational Settings

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b-5. Guidance for controlling asbestos-containing materials in buildings

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Introduction

Asian context

Controlling asbestos in buildings is important because most asbestos has been used in building materials. This manual provides detailed information about the maintenance of asbestos in buildings.

Critical appraisal

This document is one of the most well organized manuals for the management of asbestos in buildings.

Unique keywords

Abstract

Background: This manual, issued by the US, EPA is a building owners' guidance to understand the technical issues, determine if asbestos is present in a building, plan a control program, and choose the course of further action if necessary.

Objective: This manual covers the steps that a building owner should take to control asbestos. This manual details determining if asbestos-containing material is present in buildings, establishing a special operations and maintenance program, asbestos control beyond special operations and maintenance, abatement methods and conducting abatement projects.



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References