

# Packaging and Shipping Division 6.2 Materials: What the Laboratorian Should Know 2016

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## Description

In order to be certified (or recertified) to ship laboratory materials you must complete training on the hazardous materials regulations as well as some facility specific training. This on-line course uses a problem solving approach to provide training on infectious materials (Division 6.2 Materials) as specified in the Department of Transportation (DOT) regulations. The content includes some general security training as well as some guidance on facility specific training.

Access to resource documents and a number of job aids will not only enhance your learning experience but also provide useful resources for your laboratory.

## Audience

This intermediate level course is designed specifically for those who participate in any phase of shipping laboratory specimens within the United States.

## Objectives

At the conclusion of this program, the participant will be able to:

- Summarize the source of regulatory oversight for packing and shipping hazardous laboratory materials.
- Discuss training and certification requirements for hazardous materials with your employer.
- Categorize hazardous materials prior to shipping.
- Label hazardous materials in accordance with DOT, IATA and USPS regulations.
- Demonstrate the ability to properly document the shipment of laboratory related hazardous materials.
- Recognize security threats associated with shipping laboratory specimens.



## Registration - Free Registration

- Locate the course online at [www.cdc.gov/labtraining](http://www.cdc.gov/labtraining)
- Follow the link to register for the course in TRAIN
- If you have difficulty with the online registration process, please email [labtraining@cdc.gov](mailto:labtraining@cdc.gov)
- For additional program information, email [labtraining@cdc.gov](mailto:labtraining@cdc.gov) or call (404) 498-6022

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## Special Needs

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