OSHA began enforcing the Respirable Crystalline Silica construction standard on **September 23rd**.  To avoid citations, employers must be making "good faith efforts" to meet the requirements of the new standard according to an [OSHA memorandum released on September 20th](https://www.osha.gov/pls/oshaweb/owadisp.show_document?p_table=INTERPRETATIONS&p_id=31292).  OSHA will focus its efforts on ensuring contractors are fully and properly implementing the controls in Table 1.

Our Silica Competent Person class will ensure participants understand their role as a competent person, and how to use Table 1 and create a site-specific Silica Exposure Control Plan.  Class fee **$149** includes **pizza buffet**.

Please note the new location:

Wyndham Garden Elk Grove Village - O'Hare  
2550 Landmeier Road  
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007

Think your trade doesn't have exposure to respirable crystalline silica? Think again! It's not only Masons, Tuckpointers and Drywallers that have silica exposures. Most trades including Plumbers, Electricians, Landscapers, Rehab workers, Road builders, and Tile setters to name a few, create or expose workers to silica dust as well.

"It's Not Just Dust!" so don't wait until OSHA shows up on your job site to address your exposure to silica. Register today!

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