

HELENA, MT

REGION 8 RADON CONFERENCE

March 26-27, 2020

March 26

Breakfast and Registration (7:30 a.m.-8:30 a.m.)

Welcome and Introduction (8:30 a.m.-9 a.m.)

Regional Stakeholders Roundtable (9 a.m.-10 a.m.)

Networking Break/Vendor Visits (10 a.m.-10:30 a.m.)

Building a Better National Radon Data Set and Map (10:30 a.m.-11 a.m.)

Eric M. Brown, Environmental Data Coordinator Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment

Radon, Lung Cancer and New Medical Treatments (11 a.m.-Noon)

Dr. Wallace Akerley, MD, Professor of Medicine Huntsman Cancer Institute, University of Utah

Lunch and Learn: Radon in Schools with North Dakota, Oregon and EPA (Noon-1:15 p.m.)

The Benefits of Radon Certification (1:15 p.m.-1:45 p.m.)

TBD

Radon Outreach and Education in Montana Schools (1:45 p.m.-2:30 p.m.)

Tony Ward, PH.D, Professor and Chair University of Montana

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Networking Break and Vendor Visits (2:30 p.m.-3 p.m.)

Key Issues in Measurement and Mitigation (3 p.m.-5 p.m.)

Bruce Snead, Director of Engineering Extension Kansas State University

Optional: Evening Social (5:30 p.m.)

March 27

Advanced Schools and Large Buildings—Radon Measurement (8 a.m.-Noon)

Provided by Kansas State University, 4 credits

Course ID#: KSU-230

Applicable to: Measurement & Mitgation

Course Description: This four-hour version of KSU-222 course focuses on the skills you need to understand the major factors unique to radon measurement in schools and large buildings. The goal of the course is to help you design and manage radon measurement projects in schools and large buildings. Topics include test preparation, determining test locations, test procedures, required measurement conditions, quality control and test documentation. The course is built around the American National Standards Institute (ANSI) and AARST, Protocols for Conducting Radon and Radon Decay Product Measurements in Schools and Large Buildings.

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Radon Services and Contractor Opportunities (1 p.m.-5 p.m.)

Provided by Kansas State University, 4 credits

Course ID#: KSU-229

Applicable to: Measurement & Mitigation

Course Description: This four-hour workshop will engage current radon professionals and interested contractors in evaluating business and individual leadership opportunities regarding radon services. Important mitigation concepts and techniques for new construction, existing homes and system performance diagnostics as well as training needs and radon standards and policy initiatives will be reviewed. Emphasis will be placed on benefits for individuals and businesses involved or looking to be involved in providing radon related services.

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