

The Chemical Distribution Institute and



CDI-T Inspector Terminal Training Course Houston

16th June to 20th June 2025

As part of CDI's Strategic plan to continue expansion of Terminal Accredited inspectors; CDI is holding a CDI-Terminal Inspector Accreditation Course in Houston Texas USA.

The course is focused on improving safety and operating performance in bulk liquid chemical storage terminals. The course is based on the CDI Terminal Inspection Report, widely used by the international chemical industry. Aimed at terminal managers, chemical company logistics managers and independent inspector candidates, the course provides a unique training opportunity in industry best operating practice and the essentials of a Responsible Care® management system. This 4½ day intensive course is devised to satisfy the training requirements of:

- **The CDI's Terminal Inspector Accreditation Requirements and**
- **The ACC/CDI-T MOA for Responsible Care® verification audits.**

There are limited spaces available. The course is open to all individuals and companies and preference will be given to North & South American based inspector candidates. It should however be noted that delegates seeking Accreditation as CDI-T Inspectors should already be qualified and experienced in ISO Quality Auditing, or an equivalent standard, and should have knowledge and experience of the terminal industry sector which they will ultimately inspect.

For candidates attending the course, the cost is US\$ 2,500 and will include a discounted E-Book copy of the Chemical Industries "Bulk Liquid Chemical Handling Guide" (BLCH) Publication. These costs also include all coffee & lunches.

The 4½ day course will feature the following elements in the syllabus. The examination and interview are mandatory for candidates seeking Accreditation as CDI-T Inspectors. Please note that terminal company employees cannot be granted accreditation as CDI-T Inspectors, until such conflict of interest is removed.

Individuals may attend such training courses, for knowledge only, and obtain certificates of attendance irrespective of their qualification or experience, but this does not warrant entitlement to seek accreditation by CDI-T.

COURSE CONTENT	
Monday	Tuesday
Introduction to CDI & Policy statements Anti-Trust & Competition Law CDI Statutes and Sanction compliance Conflicts of interest GDPR compliance CDI "Code of Business Conduct" CDI-T Accreditation Process & Protocol Responsible Care® Introduction to CDI Inspection Questionnaires CDI-T Inspection process: (T-SID, Observations, Inspector Software & Database) Sustainability Triangle Quality Management Systems Introduction to CDI Terminal Questionnaires. Inspector software CDI-T Inspection process: (T-SID, Observations, Inspector Software & Database) CDI-T Inspection Procedures The Opening meeting at the start of each inspection The inspection Report (I, TPQ, SI questions) Recording observations Recording remarks Data entry The closing meeting	Personal Safety & Occupational health Environmental protection Marine terminals, how they function Security internal/external and control of access Sewers, Solid & Liquid Waste Power distribution Vehicle Circulation The Customer Fall Back Plans Risk assessment Pumping Stations & Transfer Lines Vapour Emission Control
Wednesday	Thursday
Firefighting equipment Jetties & Berths Emergency Response Hoses Suppliers, customers and neighbours Ice Road terminal equipment Rail terminal equipment	Drumming & Blending Warehousing Buildings Guidance on written papers & interview process Written Examinations (PM) Oral Interviews (PM)
Friday	
Oral Interviews by Accreditation Committee Representatives Continue	

Please contact CDI at cdimid@cdim.org for more details for the Accreditation package and registration details.

The closing Date for Applications is the 1st June 2025

The course will be held at:

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