

Permits:

A business entity engaged in the removal or encapsulation of asbestos is required to hold a permit unless removing or encapsulating asbestos at its own facilities.

To obtain a permit, the business entity must submit an application on the form provided by the Iowa Division of Labor. The non-refundable fee for processing the permit application is \$500. This permit is good for one year.

Several documents must be included with a permit application, including the company respiratory protection program. [Click here](#) for a sample respiratory protection program. Click here for the Top Ten problems with respiratory protection programs. [Click here](#) for a check list to help make sure your respiratory protection program is complete.

A new permit application will be issued or denied within 60 days after receiving a completed application with all appropriate attachments. A renewal will be issued or denied within 30 days after receiving a completed application with all appropriate attachments.

[Application for Asbestos Permit](#)

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