



Pro Finishes PLUS has developed a curriculum to provide auto body painters with the training and certification required to meet the new regulations mandated by the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) National Emission Standards for Hazardous Air Pollutants (NESHAP).

Painters at existing facilities must be trained on spray gun selection, spray techniques, spray gun maintenance, areas within the shop where spray painting may occur and environmental rules not later than January 9, 2011 to comply with this regulation.

Painters at facilities opened after July 7, 2008 must be trained within one hundred eighty (180) days of startup.

Painters at a new shop employment location must complete training no later than one hundred eighty (180) days after being hired.

The training must be documented and a refresher course is required every five (5) years.

