United States law requires all emergency responders to be trained before they are permitted to take part in an actual Hazardous Materials (HazMat) emergency response. Annual refresher training is also required. To meet the challenge of training and certifying a large number of personnel over a widely dispersed geographical area, the Department of Defense developed interactive multimedia training and computer-based testing for HazMat.

This poster demonstration will cover the steps being used to implement and carry out HazMat training and certification and how interactive multimedia in playing a key part in the overall program. An interactive multimedia demonstration of HazMat courseware and the CerTest testing will be used during the presentation to give the audience a look and feel of the in-depth HazMat training and certification program.