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Construction Solutions**

# AIA-17 Myths & Misconceptions about Chemical Hardeners

**Provider:** LATICRETE International, Inc. (J-037)      **Program:** Myths & Misconceptions about Chemical Hardeners

**Program #:** AIA-17

**Credits:** 1 LU Hour

**HSW:** Yes

## **Description:**

Focusing on the purpose and benefits of using chemical hardeners, this program will demystify and explain chemicals hardeners function with concrete. Through breaking down each myth and presenting facts, the attendee will learn exactly what the densification process can add to concrete surfaces.

## **Learning Objectives:**

At the end of the program, the participant will be able to:

1. Learn the correct time to place densifiers to glean full benefit.
2. Understand the chemical process that takes place during the curing process and how densifiers take advantage of it.
3. Recognize the strengths and differences between different densification products.
4. Identify the proper techniques for applying and remediating the byproducts of densification.

## **Approach:**

A PowerPoint presentation that incorporates photo images, project installations and computer animation will be used. There will be a questions and answer period at the end of the program, however, the program is designed to be interactive, and questions are encouraged throughout as well.

## **A/V Needed:**

Electric power and a screen, video system or blank wall for the PowerPoint presentation. (The CES facilitator will provide the laptop and projector).

## **Target Audience:**

Architects, Engineers, Specifiers, Owners, and other Design Professionals in the commercial, residential, and industrial markets.

## **Facilitator Qualifications:**

The CES facilitators receive in-house training on CES guidelines and presentation skills. All have extensive construction industry experience and up to 25 years in the concrete and concrete design industry.

## **Cost:**

Not Applicable. There is no fee for bringing this program into a firm or chapter meeting.