**205 Backing Systems and Treatments**

**IDCEC Course# 100683 Designation-Health, Safety & Welfare**

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**Course Credits:**

* 1. **CEU / 1 LU**

**Course Description:**

This course covers the benefits of backing carpet, the backings process, identifies the main types of backing systems and identified the technical features of carpet treatments.

**Course Objectives:**

* Enumerate the benefits of backing carpet.
* Understand the backings process.
* Identify the main types of backing systems.
* Identify elements that should be included in a backing specification.
* Identify the technical features of carpet treatments.

**Course Outline:**

Segment I: Benefits of Backings Systems

Segment II: Definition and Test Methods

Segment III: Preparing a Backings Specification

Segment IV: Technical Features and Differences

Segment V: Treatments for Soil Resistance in Carpet

Segment VI: Stain Prevention