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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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### **LEAD SAFE RENOVATOR COURSE OFFERED AT NCC**

Lead Renovation, Remodeling, & Painting (RRP) certification requirements go into effect April 2010. Anyone who does work on properties built before 1978 MUST follow Iowa Lead Regulations. This includes contractors who might disturb painted surfaces (greater than 1.0 square foot) while doing plumbing, electrical, drywall, painting, tile, window replacement, landscaping, repairs, construction, renovation, remodeling, HVAC, demolition, plus many other jobs. The RRP rule also applies to people who work for rental property owners, schools, and day care providers as well as non-profits and government agencies.

Northwest Iowa Community College, Sheldon, IA, will offer a course in Lead Safe Renovation on Tuesday, March 30, 2010, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. in room 305 in Building C at NCC. This course demonstrates lead safe work practices including set up and clean up using hands on activities. It also provides information on Federal and State specific regulations that must be followed as a certified renovator. Once completed, participants will be eligible to apply for certification with the Iowa Department of Public Health.

Register and pay online at [www.nwicc.edu](http://www.nwicc.edu) (section # 20707) or call the Continuing Education office locally at 324-5061 or toll free at 800-352-4907.