

Chemicals Administration, Ministry of Environment Major Policy Implementations in October 2024

1. Co-organized with the Taoyuan City Government the "2024-2025 National Toxic Disaster Drill and Seminar" on October 7. Central government agencies, the Taoyuan City Government, and toxic chemical substance operators were invited to participate to enhance Taoyuan City's overall emergency response and handling capabilities.
2. On October 18, the Office of Homeland Security of the Executive Yuan and relevant government departments were invited to participate in a consultation meeting regarding the "2024-2025 Hazardous Chemical Substances Handling Premise and Storage Site Inspection." This meeting aimed to jointly discuss the upcoming surveys and inspections of hazardous chemical substance (chemical) storage sites and to report on the implementation results. The project is scheduled to run from November 1, 2024, to October 31, 2025, with an expectation to inspect 2,878 handlers.
3. The "Ministry of Environment International Risk Analysis Education and Training Program" was held on October 29 and 30. Apart from Minister Peng Chi-ming who delivered an opening speech online, six experts from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) of the United States were invited to give lectures on the following topics: Foundation of Risk Regulations, Risk Assessment Guidelines, and Chemical Mixture Risks, Monitoring and Modeling. In total, 30 participants took part in this program.