



# GLOBAL COMPLIANCE SOLUTIONS

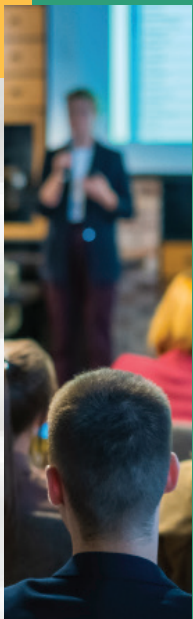
Your partner for dangerous goods transportation compliance.



**Currie Associates, Inc.**

The Global Compliance Professionals

Training • Auditing • Consulting



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# PARTNERING FOR COMPLIANCE

What you may not know could put you and your company at serious risk.

Partner with Currie Associates to ensure that your business is operating efficiently and in compliance with hazardous materials/dangerous goods transportation regulations.

## Put Our Team of Leading Experts to Work for You

Tap into the knowledge and experience of regulatory specialists that can assess your risk, answer your questions, train you and your employees, and help guide you through the regulatory maze.

### Currie Associates will:

- Evaluate your compliance program
- Assist you with regulatory issues
- Minimize your risk of penalties, fines, and other consequences of non-compliance
- Establish a systematic approach that can be applied to product identification throughout your operations
- Help you and your company stay current with transportation regulations
- Develop policies and procedures to avoid inconsistencies
- Help you “sell” the compliance model
- Provide global compliance guidance in all modes of transport
- Assist with due diligence for possible acquisitions
- And more

## TURN TO CURRIE ASSOCIATES WITH CONFIDENCE

Currie Associates provides dangerous goods consulting, training, and auditing services worldwide with a reputation that is unmatched in the industry.

**30+ years of experience** - Since 1990, we’ve been helping our clients meet the demands of competing in today’s ever-changing environment while avoiding the consequences of non-compliance.

**Top-notch technical team** - Our team includes highly certified, internationally recognized practitioners with a passion for excellence and a wide range of experience.

Our technical consultants and instructors are among the most highly certified in the industry:

- Dangerous Goods Safety Advisors (DGSA)
- Certified Dangerous Goods Professionals (CDGP)
- Certified Hazardous Materials Manager (CHMM)
- Mexico STPS (Secretary of Labor) Certified Instructor
- OSHA 30 Hour General Industry
- Professional Geologist (PG)
- Six Sigma Green Belt
- HAZWOPER
- Systems Applications and Products in Data Processing (SAP) Power User



### Currie Associates has experience with:

- The United Nations Sub-Committee (UNSCOE) on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (TDG)
- The International Maritime Organization (IMO) Dangerous Goods Subcommittee
- The Coast Guard Chemical Transportation Advisory Committee (CTAC)
- The International Air Transport Association (IATA) Dangerous Goods Panel
- The Air Transport Association (ATA) Hazardous Materials Committee
- Joint Meeting of the RID Committee of Experts and the Working Party on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (RID/ADR/ADN)
- Transport Canada Multi-Association Committee on the Transport of Dangerous Goods (MACTDG) and the General Policy Advisory Council (GPAC)
- US Postal Service Mailers Technical Advisory Committee (MTAC)
- Canadian General Standards Board (CGSB) Technical Committees
- Mexican Government Subcommittee No. 1 "Ground Transport of Hazardous Materials and Residues"

Currie Associates has long managed two trade associations – the Council on Safe Transportation of Hazardous Articles (COSTHA) and the International Vessel Operators Dangerous Goods Association, Inc. (IVODGA), providing support to shippers, carriers, and related service providers involved in the transport of dangerous goods.



### Our Partners

- e-commerce
- 3PLs / 4PLs
- Aerospace
- Automotive and heavy equipment manufacturers
- Battery manufacturers & distributors
- Carriers by all modes
- Chemical companies
- Computer and other electronic manufacturers
- Consumer products manufacturers & distributors
- Cosmetic companies
- Distributors
- Government agencies
- Pharmaceutical companies
- Retailers
- And more

"We had a Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) random inspection at one of our locations. They reviewed our shipping documents, training records, labels, and packaging. The response back from the inspector was positive and she stated we were in very good shape. She commended the recordkeeping and our efficiency in providing documentation. It should be noted that this result is directly attributable to Currie Associates' guidance and recommendations. Thank you for your great work."



# DANGEROUS GOODS TRANSPORTATION COMPLIANCE CONSULTING SOLUTIONS

We are experienced practitioners who have “been there, done that.” We know how to get to the heart of your most troubling issues to offer rapid resolution without interrupting your business routines. And we can save you from expending hours on tedious regulatory research.

## Auditing / Gap Analysis

Shield your company and yourself from exposure to heavy fines and civil and/or criminal liability as a result of non-compliance with an in-depth onsite review of current regulatory compliance initiatives and systems. A timely written report of all findings, complete with statutory code cites and recommendations for correction of deficiencies or enhancement of management systems is provided.

We perform an extensive number of audits worldwide, addressing both international and domestic regulations.

Considering or currently using a Toller or third party to ship or store your products?

- We have performed gap analysis audits on third-party sites for multiple companies and provided written reports on dangerous goods transportation compliance.

Are you in the beginning stages of a new product launch?

Currie Associates will provide support with the following:

- Classification
- Selection of supplies to include packaging, marks, labels, and placards
- Recommend and provide required training
- Hazmat contracts for parcel carriers
- Compliant documentation
- Provide regulatory technical support onsite for first product shipment

Are you experiencing staffing changes and need some advice?

- Currie Associates will provide guidance on the development of your compliance program roadmap.

Contact us to learn more: [518.761.0668](tel:518.761.0668) or [mail@currieassociates.com](mailto:mail@currieassociates.com).

## Product Shipping Guides

We offer customized shipping guides with an overview of “how to ship” your products domestically and internationally by ground, air, or water to include Mexican NOMs, ICAO/ IATA, ADR, IMDG, 49CFR, and TDGR Canada regulations. Available in multiple languages: English, French, and Spanish.

## Classification / Product Review

Currie Associates will review your new and existing products and provide you with a customized report.

We will review product classification, provide information on testing requirements, verification of correct product classification, and other technical data, and conduct ongoing analysis of regulatory requirements for specified materials.

## Competent Authority Approvals / Special Permit Applications

We can help you properly identify and classify new products that are subject to regulatory codes. And we can steer you through the process of getting the approvals, permits, and exceptions you need.

## Regulatory Support Help Desk

Currie Associates provides support and consultation through the Regulatory Support Help Desk. Our team of highly qualified regulatory specialists are available to assist your employees with specific questions on an on-demand basis. To ensure we have a technical consultant available to answer questions as they may arise, we always make every effort to have at least one consultant available during normal hours of operation.

## Expert Witness Testimony

Currie Associates will provide your attorneys with compelling testimony from our expert practitioners with years of experience.

## Notice of Violation & Penalty Mitigation

If you receive a notice of violation or penalty action, our experienced staff is prepared to work with you to respond to the notice and mitigate any penalty action. We will also work with you to implement measures to avoid future violations and avoid persistent violator status.

Have you had a visit by enforcement (FAA, FRA, FMCSA, PHMSA or USCG)?

Have you received a notice of violation?

Are your shipments being refused or rejected?

If you need help with a critical compliance situation, we can help. A member of our technical team can be deployed to your site to help determine the root cause for violations. Currie Associates also offers help with penalty mitigation. Over the years, our clients have averaged well over 30% savings, and in some cases as high as 75% savings, through our penalty mitigation services.

Are your employees trained as required by law?

Is your company at risk for penalty actions?

Human error due to a lack of training is the number one cause of incidents in the transport of dangerous goods.





Training is  
available  
in English,  
French and  
Spanish.

# TRAINING SOLUTIONS

## Customized Training

Currie Associates quickly develops customized training based on the products you transport so the content of every course is 100% applicable to your operations.

Since 1990, we have instructed thousands of steamship representatives, State and Federal enforcement personnel, shippers, and other dangerous goods employees around the world.

## We Can Help You With Your Training

- Online / e-Learning
- Learning Management System
- Customized Instructor-Led Onsite
- Customized Instructor-Led Live Webinar
- Review of Existing Corporate Training Programs

## Who Needs Hazmat Training?

The U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT), International Maritime Organization (IMO), the European Union, the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO), and other regulatory bodies require that all dangerous goods employees receive training that familiarizes them with the safety and security risks associated with transportation. This means that anyone who is involved in the preparation for transport or transport of dangerous goods is required by law to be trained. These functions include, but are not limited to:

- Management
- Classifying products or materials
- Packing
- Marking, labeling, or placarding
- Loading/unloading cargo
- Preparing, validating, or signing transport documents
- Offering materials for transport
- Accepting or receiving materials
- Handling in transport
- Preparing or loading
- Transporting or carrying

## Online / e-Learning Training

Currie Associates' online training is a cost-effective alternative when budgets are tight or travel time is limited. Your employees would have the ability to complete training through the Currie Associates online training public site. For a complete list of courses, visit our web site at [www.dgcomplianceonline.com](http://www.dgcomplianceonline.com).

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*"Currie Associates' ability to provide training in Spanish and French helps me with my increasingly diverse workforce. The bilingual instructors greatly enhanced student comprehension."*

## Learning Management System Training

e-Learning training is a solution that allows you to tailor your training program to meet the needs of your employees. The courses would be uploaded to your company's learning management system (LMS) providing unlimited access to these courses.

Don't have a corporate LMS? Third party-options available. Contact Currie Associates at **518.761.0668**.

## Customized Onsite Training

Courses are based on the applicable modal regulations and customized for your products. Our instructors teach these courses at your locations.

## Customized Instructor-Led Live Webinar Training

Training is customized to include modal regulations that are appropriate for your company. Webinars limit travel time and reduce expenses.

## Corporate Training Program Review

Our staff of leading industry professionals quickly review and revise your training programs to include the latest regulatory changes – and create cost-effective solutions to meet training mandates.

## Training Offerings

- General and Security Awareness
- 49 CFR
- ICAO/IATA
- IMDG
- Transport Canada TDGR
- Mexican NOMS
- ADR
- Specialized Topics including but not limited to lithium batteries, limited quantities, materials of trade, etc.



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*"I have attended many hazmat classes over the past 30 years and this by far has been the best. The instructor was very knowledgeable and excellent at presenting the information."*



*"Best instructor I've  
had in my 25 years  
in this business."*

*"We've partnered with Currie Associates for over 25 years. They provide our monthly corporate newsletter, onsite training, e-Learning, product classification, shipping guides, and more. They also audit our facilities, warehouses, terminals, tollers, and 3PLs. Thank you, Currie Associates, for being part of our DG compliance team."*

## WHATEVER YOUR COMPLIANCE NEEDS, WE HAVE THE SOLUTIONS

Our job is to protect your company from the serious consequences of non-compliance and help you to keep your products moving throughout the supply chain.

Connect with Currie Associates for global compliance solutions customized for your company.

For more information, visit [CurrieAssociates.com](http://CurrieAssociates.com) or call 518-761-0668.



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