

# Checklist For Starting a Crime Scene Cleanup Business

## Industry Understanding

- Research biohazard handling
- Understand OSHA regulations
- Learn about trauma and its impacts
- Study waste disposal laws

## Business Plan Development

- Define niche services
- Project costs
- Develop pricing strategies
- Outline growth opportunities

## Legal and Regulatory

- Register the business
- Obtain licenses and permits
- Ensure compliance with regulations
- Purchase liability insurance

## Training and Certification

- Complete OSHA's HAZWOPER training
- Acquire bloodborne pathogen training
- Seek cleanup certifications
- Update skills and knowledge

## Tools and Equipment

- Purchase PPE
- Invest in cleaning and sanitizing tools
- Secure waste disposal containers
- Obtain reliable transportation

## Marketing and Clients

- Build a professional website
- Network with services
- Utilize SEO to reach local clients
- Develop brochures and business cards

## Operational Setup

- Designate a base of operations
- Set up a scheduling system
- Implement safety protocols
- Establish a support system

## Go-to Resources for Starting a Crime Scene Cleanup Business

### Regulatory Guidance

- [OSHA](#)
- [EPA Guidelines](#)

### Professional Training

- [American Bio Recovery](#)
- [NIDS](#)

### Business & Accounting

- [ZenBusiness](#)
- [Northwest Registered Agent](#)
- [FreshBooks](#)
- [MyCorporation](#)

### Useful Tools

- [Invoice Generator](#)
- [SWOT Analysis Generator](#)

\*All of the resources are clickable links