Safety Day Conference

Safety Day is a conference designed for participants to learn about a wide range of safety and health related topics. Sessions are fast paced and provide the most relevant, up-to-date, information based on today's OSHA standards and regulations. Several workshops will give participants practical experience in applying standards and concepts.

7:30 a.m 8 a.m.	Registration & Continental Breakfast								
8 a.m 9:15 a.m.	Welcome and Introductions Keynote Presentation: My Story: A Combustible Dust Explosion Survivor Joe & Paula Fredrickson								
9:15 a.m 10 a.m.	OSHA UPDATE: What's on the Horizon? Mitzy Wright, OSHA								
	BRE	EAKOUT SESSIONS							
Breakout	Administrative Sessions	Safety for the Worker Sessions	Advanced Sessions						
Session 1 10:10 a.m 11:00 a.m.	Mental Health in the Workplace Lorna Ross, St. Croix NAMI	Warehouse & Dock Safety Mary Bauer, OSHA	Advancing Your SHMS & SHARP? Danica Harrier, WisCon						
Breakout Session 2	Drug Testing: A Medical Review Officer's Perspective	Applying Safety in Your Field Operations	Where Should I Go With My Professional Development?						
11:10 a.m 12 p.m.	Dr. Corey M. Cronrath, Marshfield Clinic	Erica Kunze, Barry Ausen, & James Karlson with Lakeside Foods Inc. in New Richmond, WI - Ron Luhman with Oxbo International in Clear Lake, WI.	Scott Huberty, ARM ASSP Northwest Chapter; and Ellie Nelson, Northwood Technical College						
12 p.m 12:45 p.m.	Lunch								
Breakout Session 3	The Costs of Workers' Compensation	Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events (CRASE)	Safety & Health Culture Roundtable						
12:45 p.m 1:45 p.m.	Jackie Torgerson, CSP, Senior Loss Control Consultant, AF Group	Chief Craig Yehlik, New Richmond City Police Department	Scott Huberty, ARM ASSP Northwest Chapter; and Ellie Nelson, Northwood Technical College						
1:45 p.m 2 p.m.	Break								
Breakout Session 4	Injury Prevention & Ergonomics in the Workplace	Hazard Hunt-Safety Inspection Mary Bauer, OSHA; and Ellie	R15.08 Industrial Mobile Robot Safety Requirements: Are you Compliant?						
2 p.m 3 p.m.	Colten Seibel and Andrea Elwood, Optimum Therapy	Nelson, Northwood Technical College	Jamison Harrell-Latham, Amazon						
3 p.m.	Evaluations	1	1						



Tuesday, April 9, 2024

8 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Northwood Tech Conference Center

1019 S. Knowles Ave New Richmond, WI

Registration fee: \$55 | \$33.48 (62 +)

Includes continental breakfast, lunch and conference materials.

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9:15 a.m. - 10 a.m.

OSHA Update: What's on the Horizon Mitzy Wright, Eau Claire Area Director, OSHA

If we've learned anything over the last couple of years, it is that the OSHA rules and regulations can change quickly! Hear updates on what OSHA is currently focusing on, and what may be the focus in the near future; what are the current emphasis programs that can affect your workplace; and what exactly is an OSHA initiative? Also - are there any new regulations in development? Get ahead of the curve by knowing what is on the horizon, rather than playing catch up.

10:10 a.m. - 11 a.m. (Breakout Session 1)

Mental Health in the Workplace

Lorna Ross, NAMI I.O.O.V. Coordinator, St. Croix NAMI

Living and working with a mental condition isn't always easy but the more that is understood, the easier it becomes. Just because someone has a mental illness or condition doesn't mean their life is over. In so many ways, it's the beginning of a better life. Mental health is important for everyone.

Warehouse & Dock Safety

Mary Bauer, Compliance Assistance Specialist, OSHA

OSHA recently announced a National Emphasis Program (NEP) for Warehousing at the distribution centers and high injury rate retail centers. Although your facility may not be covered under the scope of this NEP, potential hazards exist at all warehousing facilities. What hazards are workers exposed to in the yard, at the loading docks and within the warehouse? Does an employer need to have a dock /warehouse safety program? These questions will be answered by focusing on the recognition of serious struck-by, caught-in and repetitive motion hazards.

Advancing Your SHMS & SHARP? Danica Harrier, Acting Consultation Program Manager, WisCon

OSHA's Wisconsin Consultation Program, WisCon, uses a 58-question survey to assess the SHMSs (safety and health management systems) of companies. Learn how to use this tool at your facilities and avoid the not-so-obvious pitfalls that we sometimes observe. WisCon's elite SHARP (Safety and Health Achievement Recognition Program) certification will also be described.

11:10 a.m. - 12 p.m. (Breakout Session 2)

Drug Testing: A Medical Review Officer's Perspective

Corey M. Cronrath, DO, MPH, MBA, Medical Review Officer, Marshfield Clinic

Review the substances commonly tested for in a drug test, common medications that can cause a positive reading, and how the Medical Review Officer evaluates these cases. Discuss symptoms and objective findings associated with commonly abused drugs. Hear a special discussion on legalization of Cannabis and its impacts on drug testing. The presentation will end with case scenarios.

Applying Safety in Your Field Operations

Erica Kunze, Barry Ausen, & James Karlson with Lakeside Foods Inc. in New Richmond, WI - Ron Luhman with Oxbo International in Clear Lake, WI.

There are many different elements of safety that need to be considered when managing and supervising employees that work in Field Operations. Discuss safety "down to the roots", including Employee Selection Process, Employee Training, Fleet Criteria, Operational Processes, Traveling on the Road, Environmental, Emergency Response, Management/Supervisor/ Employee Active Communication & Correspondence, Continued Employee Engagement, Safety Awareness & Hazard Recognition, & Safety Commitment. Explore the broad-based safety analysis of all the elements mentioned and gain some insight on how to best protect our employees that are working in remote locations.

Where Should I Go With My Professional Development?

Scott Huberty, ARM ASSP Northwest Chapter; and Ellie Nelson, Northwood Technical College

Have you ever wondered what you need to work in the safety field? Discuss safety certifications, associations, and educational degree options, focusing on what is available and how to obtain it.

12:45 p.m. - 1:45 p.m. (Breakout Session 3)

The Costs of Workers' Compensation

Jackie Torgerson, CSP, Senior Loss Control Consultant, AF Group

Have you ever wanted to know more about how the workers' compensation system works? Explore the basics of workers' compensation and early intervention. Discuss the experience modification rate, the costs of accidents and injuries, the importance of utilizing early return-to-work, and other tips on how you can impact costs after a claim occurs.

Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events (CRASE) Chief Craig Yehlik, New Richmond City Police Department

In light of recent events both locally and around the country, local law enforcement is providing this presentation on what to do if ever confronted with an active shooter/threat event. The Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events (CRASE) course, designed and built on the Avoid, Deny, Defend strategy developed by ALERRT, provides strategies, guidance, and a proven plan for surviving an active shooter event. Topics include the history and prevalence of active shooter events, the role of professional guardians, civilian response options and medical issues.

Safety & Health Culture Roundtable

Scott Huberty, ARM ASSP Northwest Chapter; and Ellie Nelson, Northwood Technical College

Discuss and gain insight on how other organizations ensure workplace safety and actively involve all employees in their procedures. Explore how leaders can establish a secure and nurturing work environment that promotes employee well-being and productivity while minimizing the likelihood of accidents and injuries.

2 p.m. - 3 p.m. (Breakout Session 4)

Injury Prevention & Ergonomics in the Workplace Colten Seibel and Andrea Elwood, Optimum Therapy

Discuss on-site injury prevention education and managing workers' compensation cases.

Hazard Hunt-Safety Inspection

Mary Bauer CSP, CIH, OSHA Compliance Assistance Specialist, and Ellie Nelson, Safety & Compliance Specialist, Northwood Technical College

Is your work place safe? Are you able to spot hazards in the workplace? Unfortunately, we tend to see what we focus on, and when we relate this to the workplace, hazards often go unnoticed because we are not looking or have become lost in the big picture. When workers are taken out of their element of everyday restraints, pressures, and responsibilities of their jobs and asked to look for hazards, it's amazing what one may find. In this session, we will take a proactive approach to safety by identifying present hazards, discussing the types of incidents that may result from exposure to the hazards, and determining what control measures could be used to protect workers.

R15.08 Industrial Mobile Robot Safety Requirements: Are You Compliant?

Jamison Harrell-Latham, CSP, LMSS; Global Safety Engineer, Amazon

Learn more about OSHA's Robot Safety Standards along with exceptions to be compliant with ANSI/A3 R15.08 Industrial Mobile Robot Safety standards. Session will cover OSHA's Technical Manual Chapter 4 on Robot Safety and new Mobile Robot Safety Parts 1 and 2.



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