Chemical Safety in the Workplace Training Series

*Safety Inspections - June 1, 2022 12 Noon-4 pm

*Hazard Communication - June 9, 2022, 12 Noon-4 pm

*Spill Response Training - June 30, 2022, 12 noon–4 pm

*Handling Flammable & Combustible Materials - July 27, 2022, 12 noon-4 pm

*Hazardous Chemical Handling & Waste Minimization - Capstone - Date, time and location TBD

Light Refreshments Provided, Free Raffles, Seating limited

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In partnership with the Saint Regis Mohawk Tribe, Environment Division, Office of Economic Development and the USEPA, Tribal Hazardous Waste Grant Program and, the North Country Chamber of Commerce.
Workshop Descriptions

Workplace Safety Inspections

Why are workplace inspections important?

Workplace inspections help prevent incidents, injuries and illnesses. Through a critical examination of the workplace, inspections help to identify and record hazards for corrective action. Regular workplace inspections are an important part of the overall occupational health and safety program and management system.

What is the purpose of inspections?

Inspections are important as they allow you to:

- listen to the concerns of workers and supervisors
- gain further understanding of jobs and tasks
- identify existing and potential hazards
- determine underlying causes of hazards
- recommend corrective action
- monitor steps taken to eliminate hazards or control the risk

What You Will Learn:

- The purpose and benefits of safety inspections
- How to plan and conduct an effective safety inspection
- How to use checklists to save time and improve inspection quality
- How to communicate results
- How to develop recommendations and follow-up on implementation
- How to set realistic goals and hold employees accountable for effective results

CITEC Business Solutions

Trainer, George Mauch: George Mauch has spent more than 30 years in manufacturing during which time he has developed extensive experience in management, leadership, safety and finance. As a CITEC Business Advisor for the last ten years, George works with companies on Continuous Improvement and safety management system improvements, training, and implementation.
Hazardous Chemical Communication: Workplace Safety from Chemical Awareness

Course Outline:
- Understanding chemical hazards & how to control your risk
- Understanding Global Harmonization System
- Hazard classification
- Labeling & pictograms
- Safety Data Sheets (SDS)
- Employer Responsibilities
- Elements of a written Hazardous Communication Program

Instructor Lola Miller

Lola Miller is the Owner of LLM Safety Consulting. She has over twenty years of experience in health and safety. Her Master’s Degree is in Occupational Health & Safety from Tulane University and Bachelor’s Degree is in International Business. Lola is a Certified Safety Professional and an Associate Safety Professional. Her services include developing H&S programs that encourage employee engagement and a strong safety culture; compliance and risk audits; creation of corporate safety standards including implementation guidance and training materials; consultation assistance when dealing with OSHA and maintaining compliance with OSHA regulations. Lola is a Paramedic with over 33 years of volunteer service for her community. She is a Red Cross First Aid/CPR/AED, a Stop the Bleed, and an ALICE Active Shooter Instructor.
Spill Training

This course provides awareness and basic training for employees to respond to spills. The course will focus on OSHA requirements in dealing with chemical and petroleum spills and will touch upon other jurisdictional requirements.

Topics include:
- *Planning for spill response
- *Use of the Emergency Response Guidebook
- *Spill identification
- *Protection of responders (personal protective equipment)
- *Spill containment procedures
- *Spill cleanup procedures
- *Paperwork and final notification procedures

Instructor Casey McClain, CSP, Loss Prevention Advisor

Casey McClain graduated from Norwich University with a Bachelor of Science degree and since has accumulated over 20 years of experience in safety program development and reducing employee risk. He has 12 years of experience in Operational Management as well as being certified in HAZWOPER response, DOT Hazardous Materials Transportation, Forklift training, ISO 14001 Lead Auditor, and First Aid, CPR & AED Trainer, and is a Certified Safety Professional.

Casey has 8 years of experience in the manufacturing industry working at plant, divisional, and corporate levels with various teams. He has led the Ergonomics program for 14 facilities in North America as well as having assisted 42 global organizations developing safety programs and road mapping safety culture processes. He has led facilities to Voluntary Protection Program Star Certifications and ISO 14001 Certifications and provided ongoing support through auditing and monitoring. Working with clients from across all sectors including government, construction, healthcare, manufacturing, and service industries to assist them in their safety journey from compliance to world class safety cultures.

He is also the Chairman of the Executive Board for the Northern Adirondack Safety & Health Council, and Vice Chair of the Clinton County Emergency Planning Committee.
Flammable and Combustible Liquids Training
Overview

The classroom training on flammable and combustible liquids is designed to provide class participants with a general overview of the safety related concerns related to the storage and handling of flammable and combustible liquids. Topics such as the applicable regulations, basic chemistry of flammable liquids, Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), labeling and Safety Data Sheets (SDS) will be discussed. The course is intended for those employers and employees that store, transport or use flammable liquids in their processes.

Outline
- Introduction
- Chemical Hazards
- Physical Properties
- Toxicology
- SDS
- Emergency Response

Instructor John Ferraro

John Ferraro is the owner of Landrock Consulting, LLC, a safety and environmental consulting firm which has been providing EHS consulting services to the North Country since 2003. John has been working in the field of safety and environmental management for the past 28 years and has experience in both the private and public sectors. His expertise includes the development and presentation of various EHS training courses, compliance and risk assessments, program audits, contractor management and consultation when dealing with OSHA and EPA regulations. John has worked for a global manufacturing company and has international management experience, leading a team of EHS professionals in multiple countries around the world for the past 12 years. John earned his undergraduate degree from the University of New Hampshire in Water Resources and an MS from the University of Vermont in the field of Aquatic Toxicology.