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Western Ontario Workplace Safety Symposium

for Managers, Supervisors, Health & Safety Professional and JHSC members

A workshop that combines awareness and practical skills

Do you want to know what the Ministry of Labour is looking for when they come knocking on your door?

Do you want information and tools you can use to improve key elements of your health and safety program?

Our Education, Healthcare and Municipal teams and the Ministry of Labour have joined forces to provide you with insight, knowledge and tools you can use to improve your health and safety program and continue to reduce injuries and illness in the workplace.

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Public Services Health & Safety Association

The Public Services Health & Safety Association serves Ontario's public service sectors, including universities, colleges and school boards, municipalities, health and community care organizations, emergency services and First Nations. We assist over 9,000 organizations to achieve safer and healthier environments for their one million employees. We help them to identify and reduce workplace risks and hazards to prevent injuries, illness and disease.

Located across the province, our highly skilled staff come from a wide-range of disciplines. They provide ready access and timely response to all of our clients. We offer regional and on-site prevention training, risk assessment and safety consulting services, as well as offer a variety of training and information products.

MORNING SESSIONS

Registration is from 8:00 - 8:30 am

8:45 - 11:00 am

Ministry of Labour Enforcement Strategy

As part of Safe At Work Ontario the Ministry of Labour (MOL) develops annual sector-specific enforcement plans that focus on hazards specific to workplaces in different sectors of the economy. Join us as the MOL provides an overview of the 2011/ 2012 Industrial and Healthcare sector plans and describes the specialized and professional services they offer. The morning will continue with an outline of what inspectors will be looking for in each sector during an inspection and critical injury investigation.

11:00 am - 12:00 pm

Contractor Safety

Managing the risk by planning, providing and organizing the resources and activities to control and/or eliminate accidental loss, there reducing liability.

This session will provide participants with tips, tools and checklists necessary to reduce exposure to loss and liability due to contracting and contractor activities.

Participants will understand who a contractor is and what types of work increases exposures to loss. Responsibilities of contractors under OHS and its applicable regulations will be reviewed.

Topics include: Pre-qualification (pre-bid and pre-contract) requirements and controls, requirements prior to start of work, requirements during work and finalization of work prior to handover.



CONCURRENT WORKSHOPS

1:00 - 4:00 pm (choose one)

Incident Investigation

Workplace incidents occur for many reasons. Having a comprehensive investigation program is one of the best ways of preventing a recurrence and meeting due diligence obligations.

When incidents are investigated, contributing factors are identified and appropriate corrective action can be taken. This program will provide an overview of basic incident investigation principles, program components, and legislative requirements including critical injury reporting. Participants will learn, through interactive discussion and a case study, the steps involved in conducting an effective investigation.

Introduction to Health & Safety Management System

A Health and Safety Management System (HSMS) is the integrated set of organizational elements involved in a continuous cycle of planning, implementation, evaluation and continual improvement, directed toward the abatement of occupational hazards in the workplace.

The key to a successful HSMS is not only identifying and controlling risks in the workplace but also evaluating and continually improving the system itself. Many HSMS, including CSA Standard Z1000, use the Plan, Do, Check, Act Model of continuous quality improvement.

In this session participants will have a better understanding of the Plan, Do, Check, Act Model. Each participant will be provided with an HSMS Pre-Implementation Questionnaire which identifies the foundational elements that should be in place to successfully implement the HSMS. The results will determine your organization's readiness to embark on the HSMS Journey.



Participatory Approach to Musculoskeletal Disorder Prevention

MSD result from excessive strain on the body caused by various risk factors. MSD's are the number one workplace injury in the province of Ontario accounting for 44% of lost time injuries and, costing billions of dollars. With knowledge, and a participatory approach, your organization can reduce the risk of these injuries from occurring.

Attend this introductory workshop to:

- Learn about the major risks that lead to MSD and common control strategies
- Understand the value of the participatory approach, where workers are involved in the recognition, assessment and control of MSD risks
- Learn the steps to developing a comprehensive MSD prevention program for your workplace
- Become familiar with tools to help you develop your program

Risk Assessment Job Hazard Analysis

This is a key component of your Health & Safety Management System required by WSIB Workwell, CSA Z1000, and OHSAS 18001.

Identifying hazards and assessing the level of risk associated with those hazards is the most important activity you perform every day, at work and away from work.

Effective health and safety management is based on a universal understanding of risks and how to control them through good planning.

Objectives of the Session:

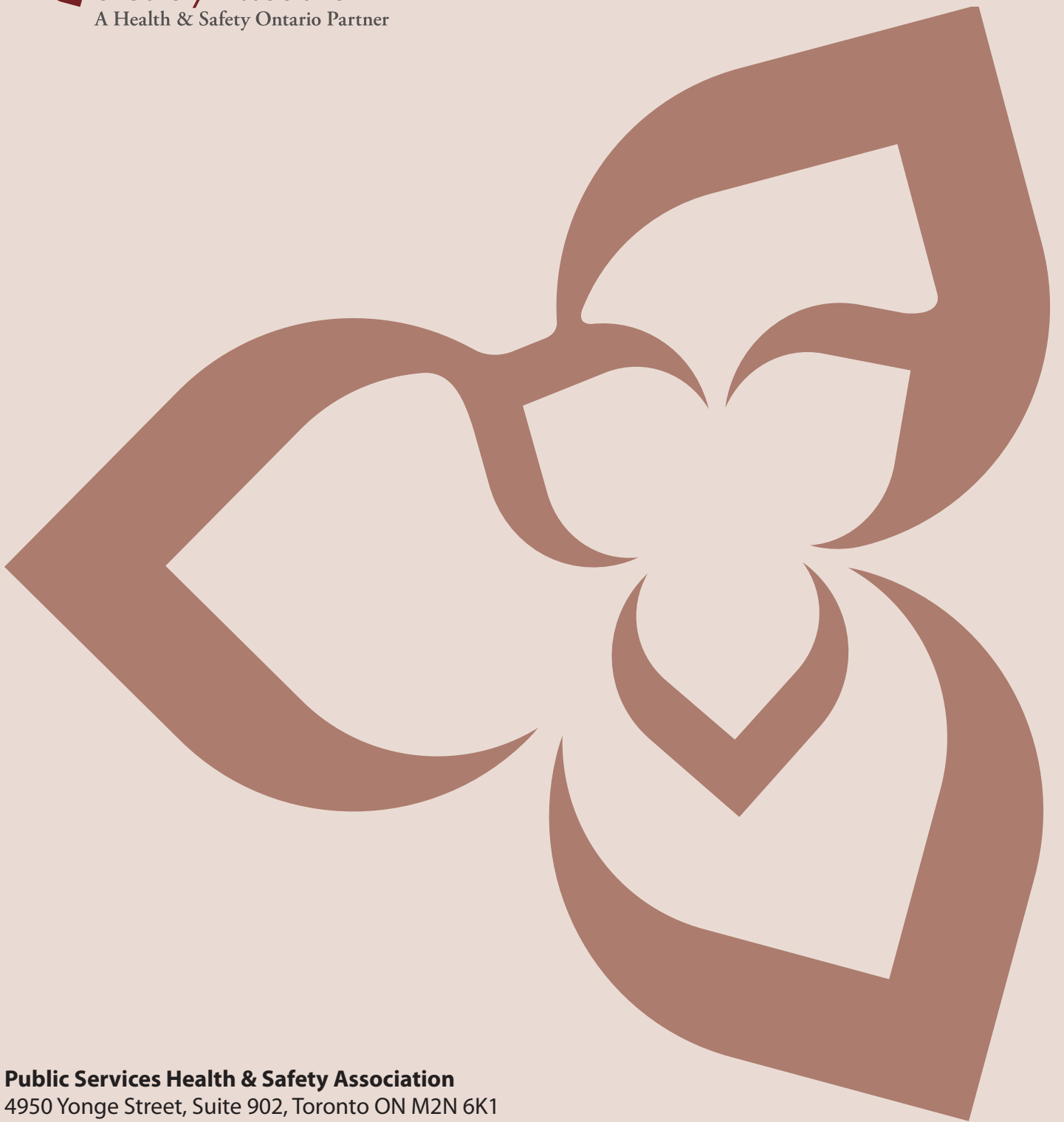
- To describe the Risk Assessment process and how it relates to Job Hazard Analysis
- To describe the process of Job Hazard Analysis
- To enhance skills by completing a Job Hazard Analysis

At the end of this session the participants will be able to conduct a Risk Assessment and Job Hazard Analysis in order to ensure reasonable precautions are taken to protect workers and assist in achieving compliance with Workwell Audit, ISO 9000, CSA Z1000 and OHSAS 18001.



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