# WEB SITES for OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY & HEALTH INFORMATION May 2018

The Ohio Bureau of Workers' Compensation provides a variety of safety tools and resources on our web site, <u>www.bwc.ohio.gov</u>. Click on Safety Services to find out more about what BWC's Division of Safety & Hygiene offers online.

### **GENERAL**

### **Oregon Instutute of Occupational Health Sciences**

https://www.ohsu.edu/oregon-institute-of-occupational-health-sciences/

Oregon's Center for Research on Occupational and Environmental Toxicology sponsors this directory which contains links to hundreds of occupational safety and health resources. Topics include safety toolbox talks and specific industries and occupations.

### **EHS Today**

### http://ehstoday.com

The online version of the magazine *EHS Today* (formerly *Occupational Hazards*) is filled with news, articles, buyers' guides, webinars and podcasts.

### **GOOGLE Advanced Search**

# www.google.com/advanced\_search

This is the direct link to the advanced search functions for the Google search engine.

### National Safety Council

### http://www.nsc.org

Visit this web site for information on safety in the workplace, at home, on the road and in the community.

### **YAHOO Advanced Search**

#### http://search.yahoo.com/web/advanced

This is the direct link to the advanced search functions for the Yahoo search engine.

### FEDERAL GOVERNMENT

### Bureau of Labor Statistics, Injuries, Illnesses, And Fatalities

### http://www.bls.gov/iif

Find national statistics on work-related injuries and illnesses and fatalities.

### Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)

## http://www.cdc.gov

A good resource for general public health issues throughout the United States. Health topics from A-Z give an in-depth look at most communicable diseases as well as topics such as safe driving, violence, and air pollution.

# **Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)**

#### http://www.epa.gov

The EPA's web site provides a wealth of information on a wide range of topics. Of particular interest: resources on lead, asbestos, indoor air quality, mold, and school environmental issues.

# Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)

## http://www.fema.gov

For information on disasters and emergencies nationwide, access this web site. Publications include options for emergency preparedness and prevention, response and recovery, disaster fact sheets, and public awareness information.

## Mine Safety And Health Administration (MSHA)

### <u>http://www.msha.gov</u>

Features information on mine safety and health, including noise, dust, statistics, safety hazard alerts and talks, training, regulations, and rescue.

## National Institute for Occupational Safety & Health (NIOSH)

### http://www.cdc.gov/niosh

NIOSH's site describes their services and research activities and provides information on many workplace safety and health topics, including occupational health hazards, health care worker injuries, respirators, and storm and flood cleanup precautions. Most of their publications are available online.

# National Library of Medicine (NLM)

### http://www.nlm.nih.gov

The world's largest medical library: a reliable source for medical, health and chemical hazard information.

### **Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA)**

### http://www.osha.gov

OSHA'S web site includes compliance assistance resources, online publications, statistics, OSHA standards & directives, and a very useful A-Z site index.

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### **Ohio Deptartment of Health**

## http://www.odh.ohio.gov

Provides a wide variety of public health information, including occupational and environmental health, women's health, and health resources.

# Ohio EPA

### http://www.epa.state.oh.us

Find Ohio EPA regulations and information on permits, hazardous waste, pollution prevention, wastewater, wetlands, and much more.

### State Library Of Ohio

### http://library.ohio.gov

Search the State Library of Ohio's online catalog which includes BWC's Division of Safety & Hygiene library books.

### <u>SPECIFIC (BY SUBJECT)</u>

# Agriculture

### http://www.nasdonline.org

The National Agricultural Safety Database is a collection of Cooperative Extension Service publications promoting safety and health issues in agricultural operations.

### **Biological Safety**

## http://www.ehs.msu.edu/biological/bio\_toc.htm

Includes information on proposed federal rules and regulations, biosafety resources, manuals and guidelines, DNA, biomedical waste, and bloodborne pathogens. From Michigan State University.

### Construction

### http://www.cpwr.com/

The Center for Construction Research and Training offers several web sites devoted to construction safety and health information, including eLCOSH (Electronic Library of Construction Occupational Safety & Health), Construction Solutions, Work Safety with Silica, Choose Hand Safety, the Campaign to Stop Falls in Construction and ROI Calculator.

#### **Distracted Driving**

### http://www.distraction.gov

The official US government website for distracted driving. Includes statistics, action items, social media and regulations.

#### **Driving Safety**

#### http://trafficsafety.org

The Network of Employers for Traffic Safety (NETS) offers resources for preventing traffic crashes that occur both on- and off-the-job.

#### **Drug-Free Workplace**

#### http://ndwa.org

The National Drug-Free Workplace Alliance provides information and resources to assist employers in establishing drug-free workplaces.

### **Fire Safety**

<u>https://www.nfpa.org/Codes-and-Standards/All-Codes-and-Standards/Free-access</u> View NFPA standards online for free. Standards can be viewed but not printed from this site.

### Hazardous Materials And Hazardous Waste

#### http://tools.niehs.nih.gov/wetp

The National Clearinghouse for Worker Safety and Health Training is a resource for workers and trainers who are involved in the handling of hazardous waste or in responding to emergency releases of hazardous materials and terrorist actions.

### **Trucking Safety**

### http://www.fmcsa.dot.gov

The Federal Motor Carrier Safety Administration provides information and regulations on brake safety, driver fatigue, hazardous materials, the hours-of-service rule, and other safety and security issues affecting large trucks and buses.

#### Wellness In The Workplace

### http://www.welcoa.org

The Wellness Council of America offers many free resources to help organizations of all kinds build results-oriented workplace wellness programs.

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