



NYICA Newsletter

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NYICA/OSHA Joint consultation program

NYICA Chairman and president James Kilkenny is pleased to announce that Nyica has agreed with its membership to willingly participate in osha's on-site consultation program. This will allow for the preservation of workplace safety and allow NYICA employers to prevent violations before they are issued and give NYICA valuable information to appropriately train its members employees. This will be performed at no additional cost to industry advancement members and will also be supplemented by a third-party safety auditor to expedite the process (see info below from OSHA).

OSHA's On-Site Consultation Program offers no-cost and confidential occupational safety and health services to small- and medium-sized businesses in all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and several U.S. territories, with priority given to high-hazard worksites. On-Site Consultation services are separate from enforcement and do not result in penalties or citations. Consultants from state agencies or universities work with employers to identify workplace hazards, provide advice for compliance with OSHA standards, and assist in establishing and improving safety and health programs.



Process and Benefits

This no-cost safety and health consultation program is separate from the OSHA inspection effort. Primarily targeted for smaller businesses, employers can find out about potential hazards at their workplace, improve programs that are already in place, and even qualify for a one-year exemption from routine OSHA inspections.



The consultation is confidential and will not be reported routinely to the OSHA inspection staff. No citations or penalties will be issued, and your only obligation is to correct serious job safety and health hazards--a commitment which you are expected to make prior to the actual visit and carry out in a timely manner.

Using OSHA's, no-cost consultation service lowers injury and illness rates, ultimately saving both employers and employees from the cost of accidents while raising morale and increasing productivity rates.

During an On-Site Consultation

The consultant will discuss your specific needs with you and set up a visit date based on the priority assigned to your request, your work schedule, and the time needed for the consultant to adequately prepare to serve you. OSHA encourages a complete review of your firm's safety and health situation; however, if you wish you may limit the visit to one or more specific problems.

Benefits

- ✓ Training and educational opportunities including safety, OSHA and related activities
- ✓ Complimentary on-site safety evaluation for industry advancement members
- ✓ Reliable source for information on issues and concerns affecting our industry
- ✓ Answers to operational and regulatory questions through the NYICA office and staff
- ✓ Collective representation at governmental agencies
- ✓ Complimentary dinners at meetings and seminars
- ✓ Business development and networking opportunities
- ✓ Newsletters and periodic alerts
- ✓ Collective bargaining representation

***Not a member?
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Today!***

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NYICA Safety and Training



1. OSHA 10 Hour
2. Work Zone Traffic Safety
3. Flagger
4. CPR/First Aid
5. Craft orientation
6. Silica dust



All courses are scheduled tentatively due to members working schedules and will be available on an as needed basis. Please email us at nyicaonline@gmail.com to schedule. Have a class you would like us to offer? Send us an email and we'll make it happen!

NO TRAIN - NO GAIN

The New York Independent Contractors Alliance, Inc. is on the move. This association is comprised of independent contractors, suppliers and a composite of some of the industry's most talented and experienced members seeking to provide a forum for the free exchange of ideas and a vehicle to address industry concerns.

- Have a Question?
- Need Assistance?
- Want Information Concerning Issues Affecting Our Industry?

Write or call us at:

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