



University Health and Safety Committee

Minutes

Date of Meeting: (12/15/21)

Time: 2:30 – 3:10 pm

Location: Via Zoom

Members: Attendance					
<input type="checkbox"/>	Martha Adams	<input type="checkbox"/>	Okan Agirseven	<input type="checkbox"/>	Michael Bamberger
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Member Alternates / Visitors: Attendance					
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dave Adams, SAIF	<input type="checkbox"/>	Ariel Leshchinsky (alt)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Chris Russo (alt)
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1. Call to Order –Agenda

2. Accident & Inspection Reports

4.1 Accident Reports

There was a note that leaves have been piling up around campus and pickup has been slower than in past year. It was determined that groundskeeping is currently short staffed.

There was a request for follow up info on the COVID 19 exposure that was on the November accident report.

4.2 Fire Safety Inspections

December's inspection were a little late, but it is expected that January will be back to normal. Otherwise inspections have been going fine.

4.3 Facilities Monthly Life/ Safety Work Orders/ Report

None to report.

4.4 On-Call Log / Report of Any Unsafe Conditions

Battery acid leak from a forklift at Ship Ops in Newport. Acid was neutralized and cleaned up to be disposed

Student vehicle was leaking gas in OSU 16th and A ave parking lot. Vehicle removed and gas was cleaned up.

3. Updates and New Business

- 3.1. SAIF SIM Training: Upcoming date will be determined shortly. Recommended that it is sent to OSU Today and including Insurance Risk Management for distribution. This training is recommended for any units that engage in material handling to help reduce potential injuries.
 - 3.1.1. A brief synopsis of Safety in Motion: this training provides techniques that are proven to reduce physical stress and strain, boost balance and strength, and improve productivity. Participants learn to make simple, practical changes in the way they reach, lift, carry, push, or pull. These changes make most tasks both easier and safer, on or off the job, and improve our quality of life.
- 3.2. Reser demolition/ implosion: Question of whether underground utilities have been considered. The process has been extensively reviewed by UFIO and contractors. To occur from 7 am- 8am on January 7th.
- 3.3. EHS is currently in the process of implementing a new information management system called BioRAFT. It will take a couple months to fully integrate into our current process. This will be a much better tool for campus to better manage their safety/health compliance. Expected rollout is March 2022.

4. Safety Training: Upcoming/ Planned/ Updates

Reports of safety training will be reduced to twice per year (January and July).

Total trainings recorded by Environmental Health and Safety for the period January 1, 2021, through July 30, 2021: 3906

1/1/21 - 7/30/21	Course
183	Bloodborne pathogens/laboratory biosafety
445	Bloodborne pathogens for non-lab workers
32	Bloodborne pathogen awareness
20	Bloodborne pathogen overview
29	Biosafety cabinets
21	NIH guidelines
82	Infection control
113	Hazardous waste
16	Hazardous materials shipping awareness
92	Universal waste handling
76	Autoclave safety
36	Laboratory compressed gas safety
37	Lab hazard awareness for non-lab workers
63	Formaldehyde safety
801	General laboratory safety
5	Controlled substances

43	Fume hood safety
26	Liquid nitrogen safety
162	Animal handler safety
64	Noise and hearing conservation
61	Respirator training/fit test (includes PAPR and SCBA)
3	Aerial and Scissor Lift safety
40	Acknowledgement of safety rules and emergency procedures
26	Arc Flash and Electrical Safety Best Practices
11	Asbestos awareness
12	Back safety and injury prevention
3	Behavior-based safety program
12	Compressed gas cylinder safety (non-lab)
113	Cold, flu & transmissible illness prevention
6	Crane and hoist safety
11	Confined space
211	Covid-19 masks, coverings and respirators
10	Driver safety
13	Earthquake preparedness
10	Electrical safety
1	Excavating, trenching and shoring
54	Eyewash and emergency showers
8	Fall protection
6	Farm electrical safety
20	Field research safety
171	Fire extinguishers
85	Flu season
39	Forklift (includes 33 forklift overview)
138	Hand washing
9	Globally harmonized system/Hazcomm/SDS
20	Golf cart/utility vehicle
2	Hearing protection awareness
5	Hot work
3	Incident investigation
3	Industrial ergonomics overview
28	Ladder safety
3	Lead awareness
9	Loading dock safety introduction
5	Lock-out/tag-out (includes 9 overview)
6	Machine guarding
29	Office and general safety
280	Pandemic – slowing the spread
9	Hand and power tools
11	Respiratory protection overview
1	Scaffold safety
0	Silica hazards overview

1	Stormwater management program
2	Wastewater management program
3	Wildfire smoke safety
1	Initial isotope user training
6	Isotope user refresher
28	Laser safety
9	Sealed radiation source training or refresher
23	X-ray safety

5. Agenda Item(s) for Next Meeting

5.1 Open for Suggestions

Next Meeting Date / Venue: 2:30 pm, 01/26/2022 on Zoom