

OCTOBER 2022

Upcoming Virtual Events

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| <p>NOV
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1pm ET</p> | <p>FR/AR Protection Webinar: Sponsored by Bulwark FR</p> <p>Join FR expert Derek Sang to learn the science behind FR clothing, what an arc rating is, how FR garments are certified to be NFPA® 2112 compliant, and where the future of FR technology is heading.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">RESERVE A SEAT</p> |
| <p>NOV
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1pm ET</p> | <p>November Labor Summit Webinar: VPP Sustainability</p> <p>Join Brad Baptiste, Regional VPP Manager with OSHA, for a deep-dive discussion on his first-hand experiences and personal observations from recently conducted Voluntary Protection Programs (VPP) onsite evaluations.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">RESERVE A SEAT</p> |
| <p>NOV
10
1:30pm ET</p> | <p>VPP Online Fireside Chat: Annual Self-Evaluations</p> <p>Join VPPPA and AuditSoft for an informal discussion on VPP Annual Self-Evaluations (ASEs), and how their electronic self-evaluation solution, VPP Online, can assist with compiling your upcoming report.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">RESERVE A SEAT</p> |



We are currently in the planning process for the 2023 Safety+ Symposium and value your input. We would really appreciate you taking a few minutes to complete a brief survey to help us plan a more targeted and quality conference to meet your needs.

Thank you for your time. We look forward to seeing you next year in Orlando, September 18-20!

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News from OSHA

OSHA is Hiring - Search for New Job Openings



Are you passionate about public service? Interested in workplace safety and health? OSHA is hiring for multiple positions around the country! Join OSHA in their commitment to keeping workers safe and healthy. Visit their [webpage](#) to view current openings.

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MACOSH Committee and Workgroup Meetings



The Maritime Advisory Committee on Occupational Safety and Health (MACOSH) will meet on November 16 and 17, 2022, with the full committee meeting occurring on November 17, 2022 from 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m., ET. Public attendance at the meetings will be virtual only.

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VPP Online



The VPP Annual Self-Evaluation (ASE) deadline is quickly approaching. Don't wait until 2023 to start preparing your ASE for the February 15 deadline.

Not only can worksites get their report done more efficiently than ever with VPP Online, the digital tool also:

- Streamlines your report writing workflow
- Reduces administrative efforts and prevents errors with automations
- Enables you to collaborate with others on your report simultaneously

In addition, we're currently offering multi-site discount savings. To learn more about this program, [schedule a live demo](#) with Pete Spence!

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October is Protect Your Hearing Month



Each year, roughly 22 million U.S. workers are exposed to hazardous noise levels. Take action this October during Protect Your Hearing Month by utilizing tools to keep your team safe, like the free Sound Level Meter mobile app from NIOSH.

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Region VII VPPPA Conference

Did you miss the online registration deadline for Region VII's upcoming Safety Conference in Des Moines, IA? Don't worry, on-site registrations at the venue are still welcome!



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Leader Magazine - Heat Safety

Have you heard? The 2022 summer issue of the *Leader* magazine, **Heat Safety**, is available to read online!



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Writing Opportunities

We are currently accepting articles for our [award-winning blog](#). OHS professionals, from all levels and industries, are welcome to submit features for consideration.



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Safety Star of the Quarter

The VPPPA Safety Star of the Quarter is a program to honor and recognize an employee's achievements in safety performance and professionalism. Help us showcase an exceptional VPPPA member by [submitting a nomination today!](#)



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