

# SAFETY & HEALTH SERVICES



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**We can help you manage risk at your jobsite.**



## Increase Your Competitive Edge

Construction is an inherently hazardous industry. That is why, since our founding in 1887, we have regarded worker safety as a moral imperative. In recent decades, with the ever-changing legal and regulatory environment, worker safety has evolved into an issue of economic survival as well. The Builders' Association Safety & Health Services has the resources you need for a structured and disciplined approach to risk management.

In the 1970s, with the passage of the OSHA Act, we hired our first full-time safety consultant. In the 1980s, in response to the crisis in workers' compensation costs, we began assembling a team of in-house safety and health professionals.

Today, we have an experienced and qualified staff readily available to help your organization manage its risks and stay competitive. Every member of our consulting team has worked for a major construction firm as a full-time safety and health professional. Each consultant also holds a minimum bachelor's degree with additional professional certifications. They are technically knowledgeable and they understand the practical realities of the industry.

Please check out our many services in this brochure. We look forward to helping you increase your competitive edge.

## Consulting Services

Every contractor needs a safety and health professional onboard. While some contractors are large enough to require full-time assistance, others may find that part-time consultation better addresses their needs. Our experienced consultants will provide proven solutions for managing risk exposures. We can design and provide your organization affordable safety and health consulting services on an hourly, weekly, or monthly basis.

## On-Site Compliance Audits

Since employees interact with their surroundings on a constant, daily basis, safety and health hazards may develop slowly and go undetected. As outside observers, we can bring a fresh new perspective to your workplace, performing onsite audits as needed to help your organization identify safety and health hazards. We can also provide practical, cost-effective ways to minimize or completely eliminate hazards.

## Occupational Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) Compliance

Would you know what to do if OSHA showed up at one of your jobsites? What if your company were cited? Do you know your legal rights? We can assist with regulatory interpretations, onsite compliance inspections, OSHA informal conferences, abatement verifications, mandatory training, recordkeeping requirements, and written program evaluations and development.



## Mine Safety & Health Administration (MSHA) Compliance

MSHA regulations are based upon the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977 and apply to real or personal properties upon, under, or above the surface where extraction work is performed. We can help you with regulatory interpretations, MSHA inspections, mandatory Part 46 and Part 48 training requirements, and maintenance of mandatory recordkeeping documents.



## Training Services

Properly educating your workforce is essential in meeting today's ever-changing insurance and regulatory requirements. Our consultants conduct numerous training sessions each year, educating thousands of people. We can customize a training program to meet your organization's needs and document the training with our state-of-the-art, computerized picture Data Card System.



### We specialize in the following training programs:

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| Accident Investigation                   | Fall Protection             | OSHA 10-Hour General Industry       |
| Aerial & Scissor Lifts                   | Fire Protection             | OSHA 30-Hour General Industry       |
| AGC-STP Loss Control/Accident Prevention | Fork Lift Safety            | OSHA Excavation Competent Person    |
| American Red Cross First Aid/CPR/AED     | Hand & Portable Power Tools | OSHA Inspections & Citations        |
| Asbestos Class IV Awareness              | Hazard Communication        | OSHA Recordkeeping                  |
| Back Safety                              | Hearing Conservation        | Overhead Power Line Safety          |
| Backhoe Operator Safety                  | Heavy Equipment             | Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) |
| Basic Safety Awareness                   | Hexavalent Chromium         | Respiratory Protection              |
| Bloodborne Pathogens                     | Laser Safety                | Scaffolding                         |
| Confined Space Entry                     | Lead Awareness              | Silica Awareness                    |
| Controlled Substances & Alcohol          | Lockout/Tagout              | Skid Steer Loaders                  |
| Cranes & Rigging                         | Materials Handling          | Slips, Trips & Falls                |
| Demolition Safety                        | MSHA Part 46                | Stairways & Ladders                 |
| Electrical Safety                        | MSHA Part 48                | Steel Erection Safety               |
| EPA Compliance Courses                   | OSHA 10-Hour Construction   | Welding & Cutting                   |
| Ergonomics                               | OSHA 30-Hour Construction   | Workzone/Flagger                    |

## Online Toolbox Topics

To help our members with their safety and health training efforts, we provide access to weekly safety and health training topics at [www.buildersassociation.com](http://www.buildersassociation.com).

These training topics are composed in-house, updated monthly, and provided to members at no additional cost.

## Build Safe Partnership Program (BSPP)

The Build Safe Partnership Program (BSPP) is a cooperative partnership with OSHA that is designed to improve the safety and health of construction workers in the Midwest. The BSPP is available to member companies with elite safety and health programs. BSPP participants receive special incentives from OSHA, including removal from OSHA's

program inspection list for up to 12 months after successful conclusion of an OSHA verification inspection, conducted per the current policy for focused inspections. The Builders' Association has partnership agreements with the following OSHA area offices: Kansas City, St. Louis, Wichita, and Omaha.



## Industrial Hygiene Services

We can provide valuable technical information and monitoring for common industrial hygiene problems such as noise control and hearing conservation, confined space monitoring, and air quality sampling for asbestos, lead,

hexavalent chromium, and silica. Our professionals have the knowledge and equipment to help your organization identify existing and potential hazardous exposures.

## Written Programs

Safety and health regulations change continuously, and enforcement agencies and insurance companies are placing greater emphasis on written programs. This means your company cannot afford to be without a written safety and health program. If your company already has such a program, one of our professionals can evaluate it and, if needed, assist in developing new and innovative programs to proactively manage your risk.

## Midwest Construction Safety Conference

In an effort to promote safety and health in the construction industry, The Builders' Association, in cooperation with OSHA and industry leaders, sponsors the Midwest Construction Safety Conference. This conference is held annually with breakout sessions on the latest safety and health topics. The conference also features exhibitor displays on the latest safety and health innovations.

## Safety Award Programs

In an ongoing effort to formally recognize member companies for their accomplishments in safety and health, The Builders' Association and the Kansas City Chapter, AGC offer a variety of safety award programs members can participate in, both locally and nationally.



### The Builders' Association Safety Excellence Awards

The Builders' Association Safety Excellence Awards program recognizes member companies with elite safety and health programs. The program closely (and confidentially) examines each candidate's commitment to safety, occupational health management, and risk management. Judges look for evidence of

management commitment, employee participation, safety training, work site hazard identification and control, and safety program innovation. Awards are presented at The Builders' Association's Annual Safety Excellence Awards Breakfast. This program is conducted in cooperation with the Missouri Division of Labor Standards, Kansas Department of Labor, OSHA Region VII Office, and OSHA Kansas City Area Office.



### National AGC Safety Awards (NASA)

The NASA program offers Kansas City Chapter, AGC members an opportunity to compare their safety record with other AGC members nationally, according to member size and construction type. The NASA program is a great opportunity for contractor members to compete for nationally-recognized awards.

## National AGC Construction Safety Excellence Awards (CSEA)

The National AGC CSEA program closely examines each AGC candidate's commitment to safety and occupational health management and risk control. While National AGC Safety Awards (NASA) criteria is limited to frequency rates, the CSEA selection process is considerably more comprehensive. Judges will look for evidence of management commitment, active employee participation, safety training, work site hazard identification and control, and safety program innovation.

## Safety Bulletin Program

Safety Bulletins are regularly provided to our members to help them stay current with pertinent OSHA and MSHA information and training schedules. Safety Bulletins are e-mailed on a regular basis and may be viewed online at [www.buildersassociation.com](http://www.buildersassociation.com) (in the Safety & Health Services area).