



Health and Safety Fact sheets

Information related to the environment, occupational health and safety issues, hazardous substances, and provincial legislation

For information about any of these fact sheets or to order copies, contact the Health and Safety department:

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Fact sheets from the Health, Safety and Environment Department

Environment

- Air pollution
- Bedbugs
- Climate change
- Extended producer responsibility
- Influenza
- Lyme Disease
- Parkinson's linked to residential pesticides use
- Pesticides
- West Nile Virus

Physical Hazards

- Back
- Computers
- Feet
- Hand/Wrist/Arm
- Industrial noise
- Ionizing radiation
- Lighting
- Needlestick injuries
- Non-ionizing radiation
- Rubber industry
- Shoulders
- VDT's
- Vibration White Finger Disease
- Working on your feet

Occupational Health & Safety Issues

- Accident investigations
- Behaviour Based Safety Programs
- C-4 Federal Right to Refuse
- Cancer and the worker
- DuPont Safety System
- Ebola Virus
- H1N1 Virus
- Heat stress
- How chemicals poison you
- Light duties - Who benefits
- Loss control, 5 star program
- Medical issues - Your right to privacy
- Occupational lung disease
- Overuse injuries
- Rehabilitating disabled workers
- Safety awards blame workers
- SARS
- Stress in the workplace
- Time study
- TLV's
- Universal precautions for infection control (Changes to Part 2 Canada Labour Code)

Fact sheets from the Health, Safety and Environment Department

Hazardous Substances

- Ammonia
- Anthrax
- Antimony and Compounds
- Arsenic
- Asbestos
- Beryllium
- Cadmium
- Carbon Dioxide
- Carbon Monoxide
- Chlorine
- Chromium
- Copper
- Diesel Exhaust
- Fluorides
- Fluorocarbons
- Formaldehyde
- Hydrogen Sulphide Acid Mist
- Iron Oxide
- Isocyanates
- Latex
- Lead Poisoning
- Legionnaires'
- Manganese
- Man-Made Mineral Fibres
- Metalworking Fluids
- Moulds and Fungus
- Multiple Chemical Sensitivity Syndrome
- Nickel
- Ozone
- PCB's
- Plastics
- Rock Wool and Slag Wool

- Sick Building Syndrome
- Silica
- Silver and Compounds
- Sodium Hydroxide
- Styrene
- Sulphur Dioxide
- Sulphuric Acid
- Trichloroethylene
- Tuberculosis (TB)
- Zinc Oxide

Provinces/Regions

- Nova Scotia
- Ontario
- BC WHMIS 2015
- NB WHMIS 2015

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