



Gulf Coast Chapter Newsletter

May 2017

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Date: **Thursday, June 1, 2017**
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OSHA Injury and Illness Recordkeeping and Reporting Requirements

by The Department of Labor

Updated Electronic Submission of Records

"OSHA is not accepting electronic submissions of injury and illness logs at this time, and intends to propose extending the July 1, 2017 date by which certain employers are required to submit the information from their completed 2016 Form 300A electronically. Updates will be posted to this webpage when they are available.

- [Learn about OSHA's rule on submitting injury and illness records electronically.](#)

Recordkeeping Requirements

Many employers with more than 10 employees are required to keep a record of serious work-related injuries and illnesses. ([Certain low-risk industries are exempted.](#)) Minor injuries requiring first aid only do not need to be recorded.

- [How does OSHA define a recordable injury or illness?](#)
- [How does OSHA define first aid?](#)

This information helps employers, workers and OSHA evaluate the safety of a workplace, understand industry hazards, and implement worker protections to reduce and eliminate hazards – preventing future workplace injuries and illnesses.

Maintaining and Posting Records

The records must be maintained at the worksite for at least five years. Each February through April, employers must post a summary of the injuries and illnesses recorded the previous year." Cont. 2

Chapter Highlights



Past May ASSE & AIHA Chapter Meeting

Thank you Timothy Grebe for the wonderful talk on "Gauging Safety Culture in the Workplace." The presentation covered methods for promoting safety and understanding the safety culture at the workplace. Members and visitors were able to network, enjoy lunch and hear a wonderful safety talk!

Member Highlights

Congratulations to all members celebrating 10 and 40 years of membership milestones! Thank you for your outstanding commitment to the Gulf Coast Chapter.

G. Alan	Brown	40
Richard	Bui	40
Andrew	Johnson	10
David	Tilbury	10
Holly	Brechtel	10
Jason	Stowell	10
Laris	Nolan	10

Congrats
and
Welcome!

Welcome the newest members of
Gulf Coast Chapter!

Greg	Barrera
Jorge	Becerra
Stephanie	Bellew
Ivory	Berry
Jarrold	Burt
Isaac	Calvillo
Robert	Chenoweth
Steven	Cole
Jillian	Dougherty
General	Flemming
Mark	Galley
Latausha	Gibson
John	Gregurek
Damian	Guillot
Jesus	Gutierrez
Joe	Hernandez
Tareq	Ismail
Demarcus	Jefferson
Brian	Martin
Kevin	Morrin
Robert	O'Steen
Bruce	Packard
Brandon	Pearson
William	Petit
Justin	Poepsel
Marguerite	Porsch
Travis	Roberts
Tony	Spencer
Kent	Stewart
Bethany	Stuckey
Weldon	Walker
Chris	Wilson
Dustin	Zingale

FREE Safety Trainings May-June 2017:

- Introduction to Environmental Regulations
- Field Leadership Train-the-Trainer
- OSHA 10hr Construction
- New Trends in Safety
- OSHA's Final Rule on Crystalline Silica

<http://www.com.edu/gcsi/free-training>

OSHA Updates continued

"Also, if requested, copies of the records must be provided to current and former employees, or their representatives.

- [Get recordkeeping forms 300, 300A, 301, and additional instructions.](#)
- [Read the full OSHA Recordkeeping regulation \(29 CFR 1904\).](#)

Severe Injury Reporting

Employers must report any worker fatality within 8 hours and any amputation, loss of an eye, or hospitalization of a worker within 24 hours.

- [Learn details and how to report online or by phone.](#) The entire article can be found at: www.osha.gov

"OSHA Injury and Illness Recordkeeping and Reporting Requirements." U.S. Department of Labor. Occupational Safety & Health Administration, May. 2017. Web. 22 May. 2017.

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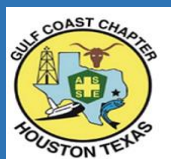
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Upcoming Meeting and Events

ASSE & AIHA Gulf Coast General Chapter Meeting-Awards and Honors Ceremony

Date Thursday, June 1, 2017
Time 11:00-1:00pm
Location Brady's Landing 8505 Cypress St Houston, Texas
Speaker Randy Royall
Topic: How an Accident Impacts More Than Just You

Energy Corridor Section Meeting

Date Thursday, June 8, 2017
Time 11:00-1:00pm
Location Spring Creek BBQ 2100 Katy Fwy; Katy, TX 77449
Speaker Mike Farris & Howard Merner
Topic: Perspectives: Flame Retardant/Resistant Clothing, Risk Context & Technical Advances

North Section Meeting

Date Thursday, June 15, 2017
Time 11:30-1:00pm
Location 10000 Energy Drive Spring, Texas 77389
Speaker Nolan Miller
Topic: Changes to Walking Surfaces Standard and Fall Protection

