

MAINTAINING PROFESSIONAL PROFICIENCY

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1. Obtain a Professional Certification

Examples:

- a. Certified Safety Professional (CSP)
Occupational Health & Safety Technologist (OHST)
Construction Health & Safety Technologist (CHST)

Board of Certified Safety Professionals
208 Burwash Avenue
Savoy, IL 61874-9571
(217) 359-9263
<http://www.bccsp.org>
- b. Certified Industrial Hygienist (CIH)

American Board of Industrial Hygiene
4600 W. Saginaw Street, Suite 101
Lansing, MI 48917-2737
(517) 321-2638
<http://www.abih.org>
- c. Certified Protection Professional (CPP)

Board of Certified Protection Professionals
c/o American Society for Industrial Security
1655 N. Fort Myer Drive, Suite 1200
Arlington, VA 22209
(703) 522-5800
<http://www.asisonline.org/cpp.html>
- d. Certified Hazard Control Manager (CHCM) and others

Hazard Control Certification Board
8009 Carita Court
Bethesda, MD 20817
(301) 984-8969
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- e. Certified Safety and Health Manager (CSHM)

National Safety Management Society
4915 Auburn Avenue
Bethesda, MD 20814
1-800-321-2910
<http://www.safetyhealthmanager.org>

- f. Associate in Risk Management (ARM)
Associate in Loss Control Management (ALCM)

Insurance Institute of America
720 Providence Road
Malvern, PA 19355-0770
(215) 644-2100, ext. 7806
<http://www.aicpcu.org>

Local: Insurance Education Association (IEA)

2. Obtain Courses Leading To A Certificate

Examples:

- a. Safety Center Incorporated
3909 Bradshaw Road
Sacramento, CA 95827
1-800-825-7262, ext. 216 or 218
www.safetycenter.org

- b. University Extension
University of California
1333 Research Park Drive
Davis, CA 95616-4852
1-800-752-0881

- c. Continuing Education
Center of Occupational and Environmental Health
University of California
Richmond Field Station
1301 S. 46th Street, Bldg. 102
Richmond, CA 94804
1-510-231-5645

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- d. University of California Santa Cruz Extension
Santa Cruz, Sunnyvale, Santa Clara, Cupertino, Milpitas, Marina
www.ucsc-extension.edu
- e. University of California, Riverside Extension
900 University Avenue
Riverside, CA 92521
909-787-1012
www.unex.ucr.edu/certificates

3. Join Professional Societies/Associations

Examples:

- a. American Society of Safety Engineers (ASSE)

ASSE
1800 East Oakton Street
Des Plaines, IL 60018-2187
(708) 692-4121
<http://www.asse.org>
- b. American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA)

AIHA
2700 Prosperity Avenue, Suite 250
Fairfax, VA 22031
(703) 849-8888
<http://www.aiha.org>
- c. National Safety Management Society (NSMS)

NSMS
4915 Auburn Avenue
Bethesda, MD 20814
(800) 321-2910
<http://www.safetyhealthmanager.org>

NSMS Golden Gate Chapter
P.O. Box 26317
San Francisco, CA 94126-6317
(415) 273-1993
<http://www.nsmogg.org>

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- d. Human Factors and Ergonomics Society (HFES)

HFES
P.O. Box 1369
Santa Monica, CA 90406-1369
(310) 394-2410
<http://www.hfes.org>

- e. American Society for Industrial Security (ASIS)

ASIS
1655 N. Fort Myer Drive, Suite 1200
Arlington, VA 22209
(703) 522-5800
<http://asisonline.org>

4. **Keep Up-To-Date**

Examples:

- a. Subscription to the *Cal-OSHA Reporter*

Publisher: Commanon Corporation
(530) 470-7500

- b. Subscription to *Title 8, Cal-OSHA Regulations and Standards*

Barclays Law Publishers
P.O. Box 3066
South San Francisco, CA 94083
(415) 244-6611

- c. Subscription to other vendors' services for governmental regulations.

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5. Important Safety-Related Web Sites

Examples:

- a. <http://www.osha.gov> Federal OSHA
- b. <http://www.dir.ca.gov> Cal-OSHA
- c. <http://www.safety.com> - over 2000 health & safety based resources
- d. <http://law.house.gov/cfr.htm> - Code of Federal Regulations (searchable)
- e. <http://www.osha-slc.gov/SmallBusiness/index.html> - small business resource
- f. <http://www.epa.gov> - Environmental Protection Agency
- g. <http://www.bls.gov> - Bureau of Labor Statistics
- h. <http://www.rims.org> - Risk and Insurance Management Society
- i. <http://www.drj.com> - Disaster Recovery Journal
- j. <http://www.fema.gov> - Tropical storm watch information

6. Electronic Newsletters and Information Sites

Examples (from Occupational Hazards Magazine, July 2001):

- a. <http://www.occupationalhazards.com>
- b. <http://www.ohsonline.com>
- c. <http://www.ercweb.com>
- d. <http://chppmwww.apgea.army.mil/IHMSM/armyih/IH>
- e. <http://www.osha-slc.gov/html/jshq-index.html>
- f. http://www.cdc.gov/mmwr/mmwr_wk.html

If anyone has additional resources they believe would be appropriate to be included in this listing, or know of any corrections to the above data, please provide that information to:

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