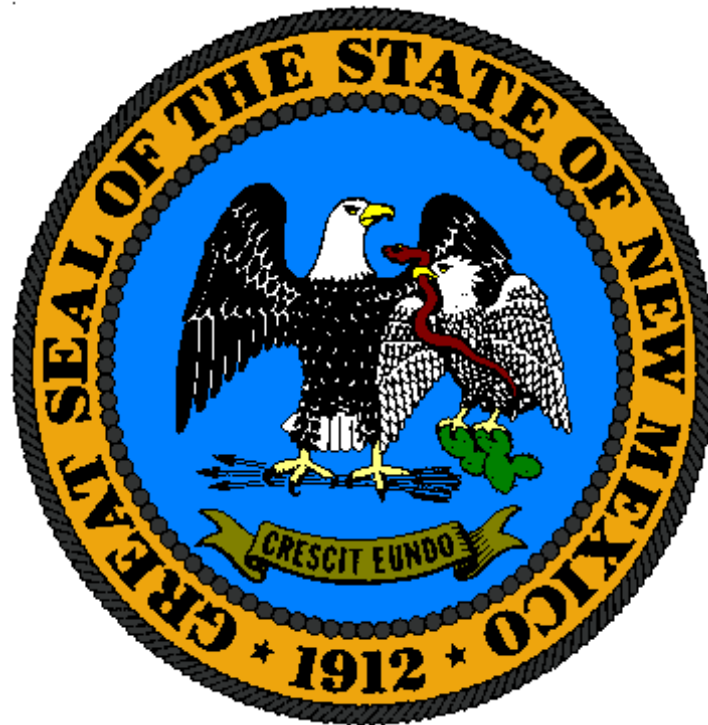


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I. Executive Summary

Fiscal Year 2009 (FY09) was a successful year for the New Mexico Occupational Health and Safety Bureau (OHSB). The Bureau continued to expand its Cooperative Programs membership while exceeding most of its annual compliance and consultation goals.

The Bureau built on the accomplishments from Fiscal Year 2008 and increased participation in all its partnership programs, provided training opportunities for New Mexico businesses, completed additional training for field staff, and continued a strong enforcement presence throughout the state.

OHSB focused its compliance efforts in the areas of highest hazards with a continued strong enforcement presence in residential construction, manufacturing, oil and gas, and highway construction. The compliance section ended the year with 566 inspections (including 14 fatality investigations). This work resulted in the issuance of citations for 879 violations. The low number of willful (2) and lack of repeat citations are a source of pride for OHSB. We believe employers within New Mexico are well aware of the need to implement and maintain health and safety programs. The paucity of willful and repeat violations should not be considered a negative reflection on our compliance activities. Instead it is an indication of the changed workplace culture where the safety and health of workers is paramount.

The citations issued during the year resulted in penalties of \$527,872 being initially assessed. OHSB collected \$430,369 during FY09.

OHSB consultation provided voluntary compliance assistance services and outreach activities, and nurtured the partnership and alliance agreements signed by the Bureau. As OHSB worked towards meeting and exceeding the performance objectives for FY09, the Bureau's two compliance assistance specialists renewed existing partnerships and worked closely with new companies and organizations to continue to expand the number of cooperative agreements.

OHSB continued operations in the Las Cruces field office with one compliance officer located in this area. Our continued presence with four compliance officers, two compliance assistance specialists, and one consultant in the Albuquerque office allowed OHSB to efficiently address health and safety issues in the state's most populated metropolitan area.

The annual performance of the State Internal Evaluation Program was conducted for six programmatic areas of the Bureau's operation. Several minor issues were identified and policies and procedures were modified to better address areas of vulnerability.

In response to a recommendation from the Region VI Consultation Monitor, the reporting structure for two Compliance Assistance officers was changed to provide more separation from consultation activities.

OHSB was able to continue to expand most of its programs and maintain its strong enforcement and consultation efforts without an increase in federal funding. State budgetary issues dictated no pay increases for all OHSB employees and a hiring freeze restricted our ability to fill a vacancy created by a resignation. OHSB has continued to improve its processes and use its limited resources efficiently in order to meet the demands of industry and provide the highest level of services possible.

II. Progress Toward Strategic Plan Accomplishment

A. Compliance Section

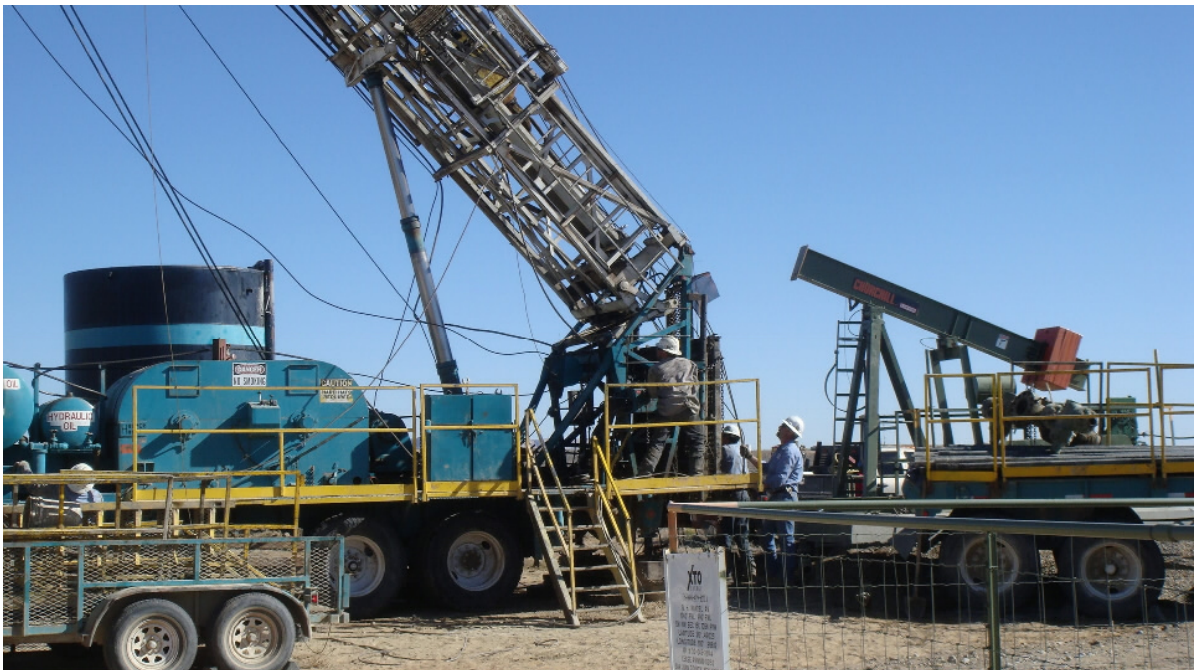
The OHSB Compliance Section utilized Local Emphasis Programs (LEPs) to focus on specific industries within New Mexico that historically have exhibited high injury rates. Based upon the low incidence rates of hazards within the earth products and convenience store sectors, we decided to eliminate these two LEPs at the conclusion of FY09.

The number of inspections performed during FY09 decreased by 6%, from 602 in FY08 to 566 in FY09. The number of citations also decreased by 15% (1040 to 879). The transfer of an experienced Compliance Officer during the first month of the year diminished our ability to maintain the number of inspections. The larger decrease in citations can be partially attributed to the improved health and safety practices of New Mexico employers.

A discrimination case related to a worker being fired for insisting upon controlling access to a crane was settled with the employee receiving lost wages and per diem.

The two Compliance Assistance officers continued promoting partnerships and alliances to increase the effectiveness of our efforts by incorporating business partners who share our goals of reducing workplace injuries and illnesses. Through their efforts two new members, Tri-State Transmission and Generation and NextEra Energy Resources, were added to the Zia Star Voluntary Protection Program. The Associated Builders and Contractors Construction Leaders Agreement for Safety partnership also added two new members and several partners achieved higher levels of participation.

An OHSB Compliance Assistance Specialist was also instrumental in promoting the newly formed Associated Contractors of New Mexico with eight new members being added during the fiscal year. Through this partnership, OHSB personnel are able to attend OSHA training classes at no expense to the Bureau.



B. Consultation Section

The experienced group of OHSB Consultants performed 135 initial visits and identified 922 hazards during FY09. A total of 28 training visits and 18 follow-up visits were accomplished. This concerted effort contributed towards improving the safety and health culture of New Mexico employers and employees. A transfer of an experienced Compliance Officer into the Consultation Section early in the year assisted greatly in achieving these high number of visits. The over-all drop in the BLS injury and illness rates achieved by New Mexico is in part due to these activities.

Consultation personnel were also instrumental in adding two new members, Basic Energy Services RAFT and Basic Energy Services Well Servicing, to the Safety and Health Achievement Recognition Program.

The following three cooperative programs are administered by the consultation section.

1. Safety and Health Achievement Recognition Program (SHARP)

SHARP is a partnership program that recognizes individual small companies that exceed stringent health and safety standards in the workplace. During 2009 two members of the SHARP program closed their operations within New Mexico. Two new companies, Crego Block Company and Basic Energy Services were added, keeping the number of SHARP members at nine.

Current participants in the SHARP program include:

Company	Location
AUI, Inc	Albuquerque
Basic Energy Services RAFT	Bloomfield
Basic Energy Services Well Servicing	Bloomfield
Craftics, Inc.	Albuquerque
Crego Block Company	Albuquerque
Jule-Art, Inc.	Albuquerque
Lumber Products	Albuquerque
Sennheiser New Mexico, LLC	Albuquerque
Tri-State Generation and Transmission	Prewitt

2. Construction Agreement for Residential Employee Safety (CARES)

The Construction Agreement for Residential Employee Safety is a program that involves health and safety partnerships between OHSB and individual companies involved in residential construction, including general contractors, framers, roofers, electricians, painters, and lath and plaster companies. During FY09, six new companies were approved for membership in the agreement. In addition to consultation services from OHSB, the companies that maintain good standing in the program are exempt from programmed planned inspections.

Five companies have now achieved Superior status within the CARES program. To be upgraded to this level requires a high evaluation score determined by an OHSB consultant, maintenance of an occupational injury and illness rate that is at least 25% below the national average, and training of all foremen and field supervisors in a 30-hour construction hazard recognition class.

Current participants in the CARES program include:

Company	Location
Actus Lend Lease	Holloman AFB
Amestoy Drywall	Albuquerque
Anderson Drywall	Albuquerque
Aspen Concrete LLC	Albuquerque
Bees Construction	Albuquerque
Builders Choice Painting	Albuquerque
Centex Homes	Albuquerque
Chavez Roofing Corporation	Albuquerque
Diemer Building & Remodeling, Inc.	Las Cruces
D.R. Horton Homes Southwest	Albuquerque
Flair Homes, Inc.	Las Cruces
French Brothers	Alamogordo
Homelife Communities of New Mexico, Inc.	Albuquerque
Jenamar New Mexico	Albuquerque
K & N Construction	Los Lunas
KO Construction	Albuquerque
Lopez Roofing Services, Inc.	Albuquerque
National Kurb Kut, Inc.	Albuquerque
O'Dell Corporation	Albuquerque
Priority Plumbing	Los Lunas
Pulte Homes of New Mexico	Albuquerque
Quality Builders	Albuquerque
Rio Grande Electric Company, Inc.	El Paso
Rokas Construction	Albuquerque
Southwest Realty and Development	Albuquerque
Thompson Heating & Air Conditioning	Albuquerque
Tierra Concepts	Santa Fe
Veloz Homes	Las Cruces

3. Oil and Gas Safe Site Program (OGSSP)

The Oil and Gas Safe Site Program is a health and safety partnership that offers incentives to employers involved in drilling, servicing, and related business in the oil and gas industry. The partnership recognizes companies that qualify as being superior in promoting safe and healthful workplaces in New Mexico.

The current members of the Safe Site Program are:

Company	Location
A-Plus Well Service	Farmington
Aztec Well Servicing Company, Inc.	Aztec
McVay Drilling Company	Hobbs



The following are a few of the significant outreach efforts conducted by Consultation personnel during FY09:

Occupational Health and Safety Bureau staff gave a presentation on safety at a Landfill Operators Certification Training Course hosted by the Solid Waste Bureau in Farmington. Approximately twenty-five students were in attendance.

OHSB provided a presentation on health and safety issues to the Recycling Operators Certification Training course in Ruidoso. Thirty-three operators representing local governments, private companies, a federal installation, two universities, and four tribal governments attended.

The Occupational Health and Safety Bureau’s Consultation Program Manager attended the national OSHA Consultation conference in San Diego.

An Occupational Health and Safety Bureau consultant provided portions of an 8-hour HAZWOPER refresher training to twenty-two staff members of the Environmental Health Division and the Radiation Control Bureau.

Several members of OHSB management and cooperative programs staff traveled to the San Juan Basin to participate in a variety of activities, including: a 6:00 a.m. safety stand-down held by Aztec Well Servicing; consultation visits to a well servicing site, a well drilling site, a “plug and abandon” operation, and roustabout operations; and participation in hydrogen sulfide training and environmental and safety training at the San Juan College School of Energy. The OHSB staff members were accompanied by two consultants and the Commissioner of Labor from Oklahoma, who came to learn how New Mexico has expanded efforts to improve safety in the oil and gas industry.

An OHSB consultant provided 8 hours of health and safety training in Farmington to approximately 60 management personnel from the Navajo Engineering and Housing Administration.

C. Cooperative Programs

OHSB's cooperative programs include the following:

1. Voluntary Protection Program (VPP)

The Zia Star Voluntary Protection Program recognizes and showcases employers who have implemented exemplary health and safety programs. The VPP program requires that participating companies implement health and safety programs that go beyond OSHA standards, that company managers are fully committed to creating a culture of safety within the organization, and that all employees are empowered to address health and safety issues. In FY09, OHSB celebrated its eighth year of program implementation by adding two new members.

In June of 2009, NextEra Energy Resources, LLC was approved for participation in OHSB’s Zia Star program. Next Era became the eighth member and first wind power generation facility to join the program.

In July of 2009, Tri-State Generation and Transmission became the ninth company to be approved for participation in the VPP program.

Current participants in the VPP program include:

Company	Location
CH2MHill OMI	Rio Rancho
Conoco-Phillips San Juan Gas Plant	Bloomfield
Conoco-Phillips Wingate Fractionator	Gallup
Georgia Pacific Corporation	Santa Teresa
Honeywell Aerospace – Albuquerque	Albuquerque
Intel Corporation	Rio Rancho
NextEra Energy Resources	House
The Roco Corporation	Rio Rancho
Tri-State Generation and Transmission	Prewitt



2. Associated General Contractors (AGC) Construction Health and Safety Excellence (CHASE)

The Construction Health and Safety Excellence program is a health and safety partnership with AGC that offers incentives to those who qualify by following prescribed standards and maintaining low injury incidence rates. The AGC partnership agreement is in its sixth year with OHSB.

At a national level the AGC recognizes contractor members for safety excellence by awarding a National AGC Safety Award (NASA) to those companies who have an incident rate 25% below their division rate. In 2009, 23 CHASE members were award winners. The award winners from New Mexico represent 8 million hours worked in 2008 with a lost work day rate 60% below the national average.

Current participants in the AGC CHASE program include:

Company	Level
American National Insulation & Sealants	Blue
AUI	Blue
B&D Electric Company Inc.	White
Beaty Construction	Blue
Big J Enterprises, LLC.	Blue
Bradbury Stamm Construction	Red
Crane Services Inc.	White
DKD Electric, LLC.	Blue
Ferreri Concrete Structures Inc	Red
Formwork Specialists Inc.	Red
Four Suns Builders Inc.	White
Franken Construction Company	Red
Gerald Martin General Contractor	Blue
J.B. Henderson Construction., Inc.	Blue
Jaynes Corporation	Blue

Jaynes Structures, Inc.	Blue
Lockwood Construction Co.	Blue
Miller-Bonded Inc.	White
Noel Company	White
Precision Masonry, Inc.	White
Richardson & Richardson Inc	White
Star Construction	White
Territorial Scaffold, Inc.	Blue
Western States Fire Protection	Blue
Yearout Mechanical, Inc.	Blue

3. Associated Builders and Contractors Construction Leaders Agreement for Safety (CLAS)

The Construction Leaders Agreement for Safety program is a workplace health and safety partnership between OHSB and Associated Builders and Contractors that started in 2001. Three new members were added in 2009, bringing the total number of members to 23.

Current participants in the ABC CLAS program include:

Company	Level
AllSteel, Inc.	Platinum
Anchorbuilt Inc	Silver
Andy Lee General Contractor, LLC	Platinum
Ashcraft Mechanical	Silver
AUI, Inc.	Platinum
Beaty Construction	Platinum
Big J Enterprises, LLC	Platinum
Brycon Construction	Platinum
Construction Contracting and Management	Gold
D.R.B. Electric, Inc.	Platinum
DKD Electric LLC	Silver
Enterprise Builders Corporation	Platinum
Facilitybuild, Inc.	Platinum
Flintco, Inc.	Platinum
Heads Up Landscape Contractors	Gold
Klinger Constructors, LLC	Platinum
Mechanical Concepts Ltd. Co.	Platinum
Michael S. Rich Contractors, Inc.	Platinum
Platinum Builders Corporation	Platinum
RMCI, Inc.	Platinum
Service Electrical Corporation	Gold
SVD Construction	Platinum
TLC Plumbing & Utility	Platinum

4. Associated Contractors of New Mexico

In September of 2009, OHSB created a partnership with the Associated Contractors of New Mexico for the purpose of encouraging, acknowledging, and assisting New Mexico’s heavy highway construction industry in their efforts to ensure a safe and healthful workplace for employees engaged in construction of our highways. This new partnership has eight active members as shown below:

Company	Level
A.S. Horner	White
Bixby Electric, Inc.	White
Fisher Sand and Gravel New Mexico, Inc.	Red
FNF Construction	Blue
Hasse Contracting Company, Inc.	Red
Kiewit New Mexico	White
Mountain States Constructors	Red
Kimo Construction	Red



5. American Subcontractors Association Partnership

New Mexico OHSB has created a Safety and Health Initiative Partners Agreement with the American Subcontractors Association dedicated to improving safety in the commercial construction industry. All members of the partnership agree to seek better methods and technologies for reducing injuries, occupational illnesses, diseases and fatalities in New Mexico’s commercial construction workplaces. Special focus will be directed on the common job site hazards related to falls, electrocution, and accidental impact injuries.

6. National Utility Contractors Association, Rio Grande Chapter (NUCA)

The NUCA alliance with OHSB focuses on training and education, outreach and communication, as well as promotion of workplace safety and health. The Alliance between OHSB and NUCA of New Mexico continued during FY09, with a total of 21 contractors.

Current participants in the NUCA Alliance program include:

Company	Location
Albuquerque Asphalt, Inc.	Albuquerque
AUI, Inc.	Albuquerque
Cone Construction Corp.	Albuquerque
Construction Contracting and Management	Albuquerque
DH Underground, Inc.	Albuquerque
ERS Constructors Pipeline Division	Albuquerque
Franklins Earthmoving, Inc.	Albuquerque
Hydro-Systems, Inc.	Albuquerque
J&D Excavating, Inc.	Albuquerque
New Concepts, Inc.	Albuquerque
New Mexico Underground Contractors, Inc.	Albuquerque
PCL Construction of New Mexico, Inc.	Albuquerque
Python Construction Company	Albuquerque
RMCI, Inc.	Albuquerque
Smith & Aguirre	Las Cruces
Sundance Mechanical & Utility Corp.	Albuquerque
TLC Plumbing & Utility, Inc.	Albuquerque
Triad Builders of New Mexico, Inc.	Albuquerque
Triman Construction Industries, Inc.	Belen
Vis-Com, Inc.	Albuquerque
Western Summit of New Mexico	Albuquerque

7. San Juan College Alliance

This alliance with San Juan College has proven to be useful and productive in the delivery of health and safety training and education in the Four Corners region. The college facilities were extensively used during the October conference of oil well service employees. Training was provided for hydrogen sulfide and Basin Environmental and Safety Training

8. American Society of Safety Engineers – New Mexico Chapter Alliance

The highlight of this alliance is the annual conference held each spring in Albuquerque where health and safety training sessions are attended by scores of employees. During this meeting, several OHSB personnel presented information to the large gathering. This conference has also an excellent forum for OHSB to discuss the latest changes within OSHA and to reinforce our cooperative programs.

9. Central New Mexico Community College Alliance

This alliance provides a forum to increase the visibility of OHSB within the community college and assists in providing safety and health training to employers and employees in central New Mexico.

10. Four Corners American Society of Safety Engineers Alliance

Members of the Alliance develop, schedule, and deliver training and education programs addressing a wide variety of general industry and construction hazards. The primary focus is to provide expertise in communicating this training to employees and employers within New Mexico with a concentration on industries located in the Four Corners area. This

group was instrumental in the highly attended October conference of oil well service employees.

11. Four Corners Safety Network Alliance

The Four Corners Safety Network was formed with safety minded professionals who are committed to providing members and others with information, guidance, and access to training resources. The goal of the alliance is to protect employees' health and safety, particularly in reducing and preventing exposure in oil and gas exploration, production, and product transmission.

12. New Mexico Junior College Alliance

This alliance serves the role of providing members and others with information and training, particularly to protect employees' health and safety in the construction and general industry segments.

III. Administrative Section

Federal OSHA recognized New Mexico OHSB for its outstanding performance in the 2007 OSHA Log Data Collection program. New Mexico was one of only four states to achieve maximum performance in the four rated categories: timeliness; data collection response rates; meeting milestones for data collection "clean rates"; and data quality.

Again in FY09 the Bureau was able to utilize all federal grant funds. This accomplishment was made possible by the use of appropriated state general funds to overmatch available federal fund and by the diligent efforts of the Bureau's financial staff to effectively budget, encumber, and expend available funding in a timely manner.

IV. Conclusion

In conclusion, the OHSB effectively utilized available resources to accomplish planned activities in the compliance, consultation, compliance assistance, and administrative sections of the Bureau. Primary outcome data indicates that the strategies and activities undertaken were effective in accomplishing the goals and objectives as outlined in the FY09 Performance Plan. Another sign that OHSB efforts are assisting in decreasing work-related accidents across the state is the Bureau of Labor Statistics fatal occupational injury data for New Mexico. We have enjoyed a decline in our fatality rate from 5.2 (per 100,000 workers) in 2007 to 3.8 in 2008. The number of work-related fatalities dropped from 34 to 31 in the same period.

In late 2009 the Bureau of Labor Statistics released injury incidence rates for 2008. The total recordable cases for all industries in New Mexico (including state and local government) dropped from 5.0 cases (per 100 employees) in 2007 to 4.4 in 2008. In construction, the rate dropped from 5.2 in 2007 to 4.3 in 2008, indicating the success of partnership programs between OHSB and construction industry businesses and associations. The oil and gas industry experienced an even more dramatic drop from 3.0 in 2007 to 2.2 in 2008. The Bureau expects to continue having a positive impact on the reduction of workplace injuries, illnesses, and fatalities in FY10.

Appendix A Review of FY2009 Performance Plan

This appendix is a summary of the annual performance plan results for Compliance and Cooperative Programs of the New Mexico OHSB for fiscal year 2009. The following goals were established prior to the start of the fiscal year:

Performance Goal 1.1 – Influence the reduction of silica exposure to employees by conducting ten (10) health enforcement inspections and ten (10) health consultation visits during FY09.

Performance Goal 1.2 – Reduce hazards, injuries, and illnesses by 3% in three high-hazard industries by conducting (200) inspections and fifteen (15) consultation visits in Construction (NAICS 236-238), fifteen (15) inspections and ten (10) consultation visits in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339), and ten (10) inspections and five (5) consultation visits in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).

Performance Goal 1.3 – Influence the reduction of employee exposure to workplace violence in the Convenience Store industry by conducting ten (10) safety enforcement inspections and four (4) safety consultation visits in FY09.

Performance Goal 2.1 – Reduce exposure to the causes of fatalities in the industries where most fatalities occur: (Construction – NAICS 236-238; Oil/Gas Well Drilling and Servicing – NAICS 211 and 213).

Performance Goal 2.2 – Reduce the number of fatalities in the industries where most fatalities occur.

Performance Goal 2.3 – To timely respond to notices of fatalities by initiating 90% of inspections within 1 working day.

The charts below provide detail regarding each of the above goals.

5 Year Performance Goal 1.1: Influence and monitor improvements in workplace safety and health designed to reduce the incidence of injury and illness for all New Mexico employees by FY 2009.			
FY 2009 Performance Goal 1.1: Influence the reduction of silica exposure to employees by conducting ten (10) health enforcement inspections and (10) health consultation visits during FY09.			
Performance Indicator Type	Indicator	Results	Comments
Activity Measures	Number of enforcement health inspections with LEP code SILICA	Conducted 9 enforcement inspections related to Silica.	
	Number of initial consultation health visits with LEP code SILICA	Conducted 37 initial consultative visit related to Silica.	
	Number of enforcement interventions with LEP code SILICA	Conducted 5 enforcement interventions related to Silica.	
	Number of consultation interventions with LEP code SILICA	Conducted 3 consultation interventions related to Silica.	
Intermediate Outcome Measures	Number of inspections with identified Silica exposures	There were 3 enforcement inspections with Identified Silica exposures.	
	Number of those inspections with identified Silica exposure with abatement of citations	There were 3 enforcement inspections with Silica exposure abated.	
	Number of initial visits with identified Silica exposures	There were 0 consultation initial visits with Identified Silica exposure.	
	Number of those initial visits with identified Silica exposure with correction of hazards	Not applicable.	
Primary Outcome Measures	Percent reduction in Silica exposure		

	<p>Baseline for Silica Exposures: In establishments with inspections and visits, the average of all employee Silica respirable and/or total dust levels at the time of inspection or visit. (1mg/m³ respirable). Baseline includes levels for silica overexposure cases only. Nine samples were tested with an average of 3.1 mg/m³. The average over-exposure limit was 14.5.</p>	<p>Monitoring inspections have not been performed because some cases are being contested. In one case, the abatement was to outsource the hazardous activity to another company.</p>	
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<p>5 Year Performance Goal 1.2:</p>			
<p>Reduce injuries and illnesses by 15%, using DART rates, in three industries characterized by high-hazard workplaces by FY 2009.</p>			
<p>FY 2009 Performance Goal 1.2:</p>			
<p>Reduce hazards, injuries, and illnesses by 3% in three high-hazard industries by conducting (200) inspections and fifteen (15) consultation visits in Construction (NAICS 236-238), ten (10) inspections and ten (10) consultation visits in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339), and ten (10) inspections and five (5) consultation visits in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).</p>			
Performance Indicator Type	Indicator	Results	Comments
Activity Measures	Number of enforcement inspections in Construction (NAICS 236-238)	There were 183 enforcement inspections in Construction (NAICS 236-238).	
	Number of enforcement inspections in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339)	There were 91 enforcement inspections in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339).	
	Number of enforcement inspections in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327)	There were 30 enforcement inspections in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).	
	Number of initial consultation visits in Construction (NAICS 236-238)	There were 48 initial consultation visits in Construction (NAICS 236-238).	8 training, 6 follow-up
	Number of initial consultation visits in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339)	There were 16 initial consultation visits in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339).	6 training, 1 follow-up
	Number of initial consultation visits in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327)	There were 3 initial consultation visits in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).	1 training, 1 follow-up
	Number of OSHA 55 interventions in	There were 114 enforcement OSHA 55	

	Construction (NAICS 236-238)	interventions in Construction (NAICS 236-238)	
	Number of OSHA 55 interventions in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339)	There were 2 OSHA 55 interventions in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339).	
	Number of OSHA 55 interventions in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327)	There were 0 OSHA 55 interventions in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).	
	Number of OSHA 66 interventions in Construction (NAICS 236-238)	There were 17 OSHA 66 interventions in Construction (NAICS 236-238).	
	Number of OSHA 66 interventions in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339)	There was 1 OSHA 66 intervention in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339).	
	Number of OSHA 66 interventions in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327)	There were 3 OSHA 66 interventions in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).	
Intermediate Outcome Measures	Number of inspections with identified violations in Construction (NAICS 236-238)	There were 70 inspections with identified violations in Construction (NAICS 236-238).	152 violations issued
	Number of inspections with identified violations in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339)	There were 58 inspections with identified violations in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339).	190 violations issued
	Number of inspections with identified violations in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327)	There were 19 inspections with identified violations in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).	66 violations issued
	Number of those inspections with abatement of violations in Construction (NAICS 236-238)	There were 65 inspections with violations abated in Construction (NAICS 236-238).	The remaining five cases are being contested.
	Number of those inspections with abatement of violations in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339)	There were 57 inspections with violations abated in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339).	1 case has Dec. 12 th abatement date not yet verified.
	Number of those inspections with abatement of violations in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327)	There were 19 inspections with violations abated in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).	
	Number of visits with identified hazards in Construction (NAICS 236-238)	There were 48 visits with identified hazards in Construction (NAICS 236-238).	450 hazards identified
	Number of visits with identified hazards in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339)	There were 12 visits with identified hazards in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339).	88 hazards identified

	Number of visits with identified hazards in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327)	There were 5 visits with identified hazards in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).	48 hazards identified
	Number of those visits with abatement of hazards in Construction (NAICS 236-238)	There were 48 visits with hazards abated in construction (NAICS 236-238).	
	Number of those visits with abatement of hazards in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339)	There were 12 visits with hazards abated in Fabricated Metal Products (NAICS 332-337, 339).	
	Number of those visits with abatement of hazards in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327)	There were 5 visits with hazards abated in Stone, Clay & Glass Products (NAICS 327).	
Primary Outcome Measures	Percent reduction in the injury/illness rate of the three industries		
	Baseline for All Construction (Div. C) BLS DART Rates		
	<u>CY03</u>	<u>FY08 BLS Survey</u>	<u>DART Rate</u> <u>% Change</u>
	NAICS 236 = 3.1	NAICS 236 = 1.0	68% Decrease
	NAICS 237 = 3.1	NAICS 237 = 1.8	42% Decrease
NAICS 238 = 3.3	NAICS 238 = 2.1	36% Decrease	
Baseline for Fabricated Metal Products BLS DART Rates			
<u>CY03</u>	<u>FY08 BLS Survey</u>	<u>DART Rate</u> <u>% Change</u>	
NAICS 332 = 5.4	NAICS 332 = 5.5	2% Increase	
NAICS 333 = 3.6	NAICS 333 = 1.6	56% Decrease	
NAICS 334 = 1.2	NAICS 334 = .7	42% Decrease	
NAICS 335 = ND	NAICS 335 = ND	Cannot Calculate	
NAICS 336 = 2.9	NAICS 336 = 2.8	3% Decrease	
NAICS 337 = ND	NAICS 337 = ND	Cannot Calculate	
NAICS 339 = 3.8	NAICS 339 = 3.0	21% Decrease	
Baseline for Stone, Glass, and Clay Products BLS DART Rates			
<u>CY03</u>	<u>FY08 BLS Survey</u>	<u>DART Rate</u> <u>% Change</u>	
NAICS 327 = 2.8	NAICS 327 = 3.1	11% Increase	The national rate for NAICS 327 is 3.5. Our 2003 baseline appears to be very low. The rate in NM has decreased during the last two years.

5 Year Performance Goal 1.3: Influence the reduction of exposures to injury due to workplace violence in convenience stores by 15% by FY 2009.			
FY 2009 Performance Goal 1.3: Influence the reduction of employee exposure to workplace violence by conducting six (6) safety enforcement inspections and six (6) safety consultation visits in FY09.			
Performance Indicator Type	Indicator	Results	Comments
Activity Measures	Number of violations cited under 11.5.6 NMAC on inspections of convenience stores establishments	There were 20 violations cited under 11.5.6 NMAC on inspections of convenience stores.	
	Number of hazards identified under 11.5.6 NMAC during onsite consultation visits of convenience stores establishments	There were 2 hazards under 11.5.6 NMAC identified during onsite consultation visits of convenience stores.	
	Development of outreach and training materials for convenience store employers and employees	There were 0 outreach and training documents developed for convenience store employers and employees.	
	Outreach efforts to regulated community on convenience stores (OSHA 55 interventions)	There were 0 outreach efforts to regulated community conducted for convenience store (OSHA 55 interventions).	
	Outreach efforts to regulated community on convenience stores (OSHA 66 interventions)	There were 0 outreach efforts for convenience stores (OSHA 66 interventions).	
	Number of enforcement inspections of convenience stores	There were 14 enforcement inspections of convenience stores conducted.	
	Number of consultation visits to convenience stores	There were 2 consultation visits to convenience stores conducted.	
Intermediate Outcome Measures	Number of identified violations under 11.5.6 NMAC cited on inspections of convenience stores, which have been abated	20 identified violations cited under 11.5.6 NMAC on inspections of convenience stores were abated.	
	Number of identified hazards under 11.5.6 NMAC noted on visits of convenience stores, which have been corrected	2 identified hazards noted under 11.5.6 NMAC on visits of convenience stores were corrected.	
Primary	Percent reduction in the number of		The increase in the number

Outcome Measures	violations/hazards cited/identified at convenience store establishments. Baseline: FY 06 data: .48 violations per inspection (27 inspections; 13 violations)	FY09 results: 1.4 violations per inspection (14 inspections; 20 violations)	of violations per inspection is deemed not as significant as the dramatic drop in violent crimes occurring in convenience stores. See Appendix B, section C for an explanation of why this LEP is being discontinued.
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5 Year Performance Goal 2.1: Reduce exposure to the causes of fatalities in the industries where most fatalities occur.			
FY 2009 Performance Goal 2.1: Reduce exposure to the causes of fatalities in the industries where most fatalities occur: (Construction – NAICS 236-238; Oil/Gas Well Drilling and Servicing – NAICS 211 and 213)			
Performance Indicator Type	Indicator	Results	Comments
Activity Measures	Number of violations relating to the top four causes of construction fatalities cited on construction inspections	146 violations related to the top four causes of construction fatalities were cited on construction inspections.	OHSB is using falls, electrical, caught in/between, and struck by as the top four causes of construction fatalities.
	Number of hazards relating to the top four causes of construction fatalities identified during onsite consultation visits	242 hazards related to the top four causes of construction fatalities were identified during onsite consultation visits.	
	Number of serious, willful, and repeat violations cited on oil/gas well drilling and servicing inspections	13 serious, willful, or repeat violations were cited on oil/gas inspections.	
	Number of serious or imminent danger hazards identified during oil/gas well drilling and servicing onsite consultation visits	84 serious or imminent danger hazards were identified on oil/gas onsite consultation visits.	
Intermediate Outcome Measures	Number of identified violations relating to the top four causes of construction fatalities cited on construction inspections, which have been abated	146 identified violations related to the top four causes of construction fatalities cited were abated.	All abatements were verified.
	Number of identified hazards relating to the	242 identified hazards relating to the top four	All hazards were corrected.

	top four causes of construction fatalities identified during onsite consultation visits, which have been corrected	causes of construction fatalities were corrected.	
	Number of serious, willful, and repeat violations cited on oil/gas well drilling and servicing inspections, which have been abated	13 serious, willful, and repeat violations cited on oil/gas well drilling and servicing inspections were abated.	All abatements were verified.
	Number of serious, imminent danger, and repeat hazards identified on oil/gas well drilling and servicing onsite consultation visits, which have been corrected	84 serious, imminent danger, or repeat hazards were identified on oil/gas well drilling and servicing onsite consultation visits were corrected.	All hazards were corrected
Primary Outcome Measures	<p>Percent reduction in identified exposures relating to falls, electrical, caught in/between, and struck by construction fatalities</p> <p>Baseline: For Construction: 5-year average of top four violations cited on inspections and hazards identified during consultation visits. (1999-2003)</p> <p>Enforcement 1179 violations / 5 years = 235.8 violations</p> <p>Cooperative Programs 297 hazards / 5 years = 59.4 hazards</p>	<p>For Construction:</p> <p><u>Enforcement</u> 146 / 235.8 = 38% decrease</p> <p><u>Cooperative Programs</u> 242 / 59.4 = 307% increase</p>	<p>Due to an economic slowdown in NM construction in FY09, competition for construction contract was extremely competitive. Employers were using employees who were new to the industry and not as well trained. Employers were bidding jobs with less profit margin and sometimes sacrificing safety in attempts to recover normal profit margins. Our experienced consultation officer was able to identify many more hazards per visit.</p>
	<p>Percent reduction in exposures relating to fatalities in oil/gas well drilling and servicing</p> <p>For Oil/Gas Well Drilling and Servicing: 5-year average of SRW violations cited on</p>		<p>During our baseline years, we performed an average of 10 inspections and 1 consultation visit per year. In FY09 we performed 23</p>

	inspections and SRW hazards identified during consultation visits. Enforcement 32 violations / 5 years = 6.4 violations Cooperative Programs 11 hazards / 5 years = 2.2 hazards	For Oil/Gas Well Drilling and Servicing: <u>Enforcement</u> 13 / 6.4 = 103% increase <u>Cooperative Programs</u> 84 / 2.2 = 3718% increase	inspections and 29 consultation visits. Because of the drastic change in the number of inspections and visits, the number of violations and hazards increased.
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5 Year Performance Goal 2.2:			
Reduce the number of fatalities in the industries where most fatalities occur.			
FY 2009 Performance Goal 2.2:			
Reduce the number of fatalities in the industries where most fatalities occur.			
Performance Indicator Type	Indicator	Results	Comments
Activity Measures	Construction		
	Number of workers killed	There were 5 construction workers killed in CY08.	The data in this section is from BLS CFOI for CY08. Three of these were transportation.
	Number of programmed inspections	There were 96 programmed inspections conducted in Construction.	
	Number of un-programmed inspections	There were 87 un-programmed inspections conducted in Construction.	
	Number of onsite consultation visits under the CARES program	There were 29 CARES program onsite consultation visits conducted.	
	Number of non-CARES onsite consultation visits.	There were 34 non-CARES onsite consultation visits conducted.	
	Number of OSHA 55 interventions	There were 114 OSHA 55 construction interventions conducted.	
	Number of OSHA 66 interventions	There were 17 OSHA 66 construction interventions conducted.	
	Number of training sessions	There were 8 construction trainings conducted.	
Number of outreach activities	There was 1 construction outreach activity		

		conducted.	
	Oil & Gas Well Drilling and Servicing		
	Number of workers killed	There was 1 oil/gas well drilling and servicing worker killed.	
	Number of programmed inspections	There were 16 programmed inspections conducted.	
	Number of un-programmed inspections	There were 7 un-programmed inspection conducted.	
	Number of onsite consultation visits	There were 33 onsite consultation visits conducted.	
	Number of OSHA 55 interventions	There were 19 OSHA 55 interventions conducted.	
	Number of OSHA 66 interventions	There were 30 OSHA 66 interventions conducted.	
	Number of training sessions	There was 1 training session conducted.	
	Number of outreach activities	There was 2 outreach activities conducted	
	Work Related Over-the-road Vehicle Accidents		
	Number of workers killed	There were 15 workers killed in over-the- road vehicle accidents.	
	Number of OSHA 55 interventions	There were 0 OSHA 55 interventions conducted.	
	Number of OSHA 66 interventions	There were 97 OSHA 66 interventions conducted.	
	Number of training sessions	There were 0 training sessions conducted.	
	Number of outreach activities	There was 1 outreach activity conducted.	
Intermediate Outcome Measures	None		
Primary Outcome Measures	Percent reduction in number of workers killed in Construction. Baseline: 5 year average of number of workers killed. CY 1999-2003 (24 fatalities / 5 = 4.8 fatalities per year)	5 construction fatalities CY08, Baseline Avg. 4.8 = 4% increase	The number of employees in New Mexico increased from an average of 729,000 during the baseline to 825,000 in 2008 (13% increase). The number of construction workers killed in the three prior years were 7, 3, and 6.
	Percent reduction in number of workers killed in Oil/Gas Well Drilling and Servicing		

Operations. Baseline: 5 year average of number of workers killed. CY 1999-2003 (21 fatalities / 5 = 4.2 fatalities per year)	4 oil/gas fatalities CY08, Baseline Avg. 4.2 = 5% decrease	The number of oil/gas workers killed in the three prior years were 10, 4, and 4.
Percent reduction in number of workers killed in transportation fatal events. Baseline: 5 year average of number of workers killed. CY 1999-2003 (70 fatalities / 5 = 14 fatalities per year)	15 Over-the-road vehicle accidents CY08 Baseline Avg. 14 = 7% increase	The number of employees in New Mexico increased from an average of 729,000 during the baseline to 825,000 in 2008 (13% increase)
Percent reduction in total number of workers killed. Baseline: 5 year average of number of workers killed. CY 1999-2003 (240 fatalities / 5 = 48 fatalities per year) (28 fatalities / 5 = 5.6 per year) Public Sector (212 fatalities / 5 = 42.4 per year) Private Sector	31 Total Fatalities CY08 Baseline average 48 = 35% decrease	

5 Year Performance Goal 2.3: Respond to notices of fatalities in a timely manner.			
FY 2009 Performance Goal 2.3: To timely respond to notices of fatalities by initiating 90% of inspections within 1 working day.			
Performance Indicator Type	Indicator	Results	Comments
Activity Measures	Number of fatality reports received	There were 11 fatality reports received.	The data in this section is based upon FY09 data in IMIS.
	Number of fatality reports received, which are under OHSB jurisdiction.	There were 9 fatality reports received which were under OHSB jurisdiction.	One fatality occurred on tribal land.
	Number of fatality inspections	There were 6 fatality events investigated for which 6 inspections were performed.	Police officer killed in line of duty not investigated because it was obvious homicide. Two

			deaths were natural causes.
Intermediate Outcome Measures	Number of days from fatality notification to inspection.	6 total # working days for all inspections 6 total # inspections = 1 working day average	
Primary Outcome Measures	Percent of fatality notifications under OHSB jurisdiction, where inspection was initiated within 1 working day. Baseline: Current fiscal year data	There were 9 notifications resulted in 6 inspections. Six initial inspections were conducted within one working day = 100%	

Appendix B Review of Five-Year Strategic Plan Fiscal Years 2004-2009

The five-year plan for the fiscal years of 2004 to 2009 contained several performance goals that were established to provide guidance and to measure performance of the New Mexico Occupational Health and Safety Bureau. The following is a review of our performance relating to these goals.

A. Goal 1.1 Influence and monitor improvements in workplace safety and health designed to reduce the incidence of injury and illness for all New Mexico employees by 2009.

OHSB selected silica exposure as a cause of illness in heavy construction within the state. The number of compliance inspections and interventions, and the number of consultation visits and interventions were tracked and compared to specific yearly goals as a measure of our efforts towards reducing the incidence of injury and illness. By striving to meet these specific yearly goals, our injury and illness rates as described in Goal 1.2 below were achieved.

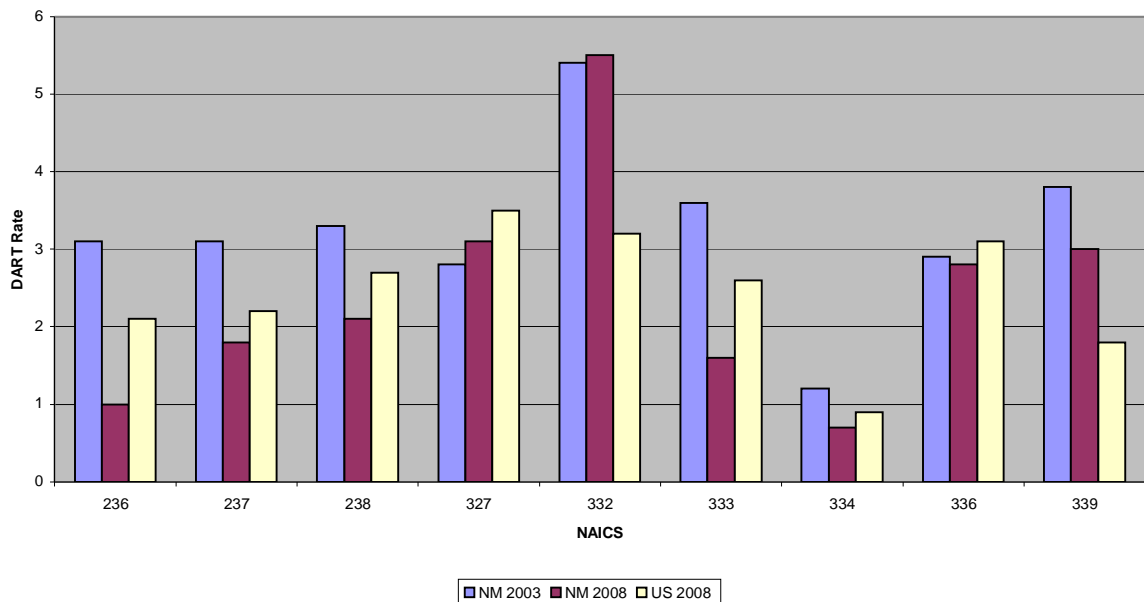
B. Goal 1.2 Reduce injuries and illnesses by 15%, using DART rates, in three industries characterized by high-hazard workplaces by FY 2009.

OHSB selected construction activities (NAICS 236-238), fabricated metal products (NAICS 332-337, and 339), and earth products (NAICS 327) as the three industries upon which to focus its attention during the five-year period.

We were able to compare DART rates for employers described by nine NAICS codes as shown in the chart below. We achieved a decrease in seven of the nine measured areas, and met the goal of a 15% reduction in the DART rates for six of the nine measured areas.

For NAICS 336, Transportation Equipment Manufacturing, we achieved a 3% reduction in the DART rate from 2003 to 2008. It should be noted that the New Mexico rate is nearly 10% below the national rate. See the review of this goal described in Appendix A for more details. The following graph compares the New Mexico 2003 and 2008 DART rates as recorded by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. A comparison is also shown with the national 2008 DART rates.

**Comparison of NM DART Rates 2003-2008
Comparison to US Rates for 2008**



C. Goal 1.3 Influence the reduction of exposure to injury due to workplace violence in the Convenience Stores industry by 15% by FY2009.

OHSB gathered data from police departments in the five largest cities in New Mexico for the years 1998-2002 to establish baseline data for 14 violent crimes reported from convenience store locations. The same data points were measured for the time period of 2005 to 2007. A comparison of the data demonstrated a dramatic decrease in all types of crimes, significantly surpassing our goal of a 15% reduction in workplace violence at convenience stores.

Type of crime	1998-2002 Annual Average	2005-2007 Annual Average	% Decrease
Aggravated assault	93.4	15.3	84%
Assault	290.2	21.7	93%
Battery	78.4	39.0	50%
Disturbance	865	29.0	97%
Domestic violence	170	16.3	90%
Drive-by shootings	1.4	1.0	29%
Harassment	141.4	8.3	94%
Kidnapping	6.4	0.3	95%
Murder	1.8	1.0	44%
Rape	2.8	0.3	89%
Robbery	446	35.3	92%
Sexual Offenses	6.2	1.7	73%
Suicide	14	2.0	86%
Theft or larceny	4686.4	580.3	88%
Yearly Average	6803.4	751.7	89%

D. Goal 2.1 Reduce exposure to the causes of fatalities in the industries where most fatalities occur.

In each year of the five-year period, OHSB established specific goals for performing compliance inspections and consultation visits in the construction and oil and gas industries. The number of violations and hazards related to the top four causes of fatalities were tracked and compared to specific yearly goals as a measure of our efforts towards reducing the incidence of injury and illness. By striving to meet these specific yearly goals, OHSB was able to raise awareness within these industries of the need for improvement of employer safety and health programs. By identifying hazards related to the top four causes of fatalities and requiring employers to abate these hazards, workers in the construction and oil and gas industries were removed from harms way. The following chart demonstrates the number of hazards identified and corrected during the time period covered by our five-year plan.

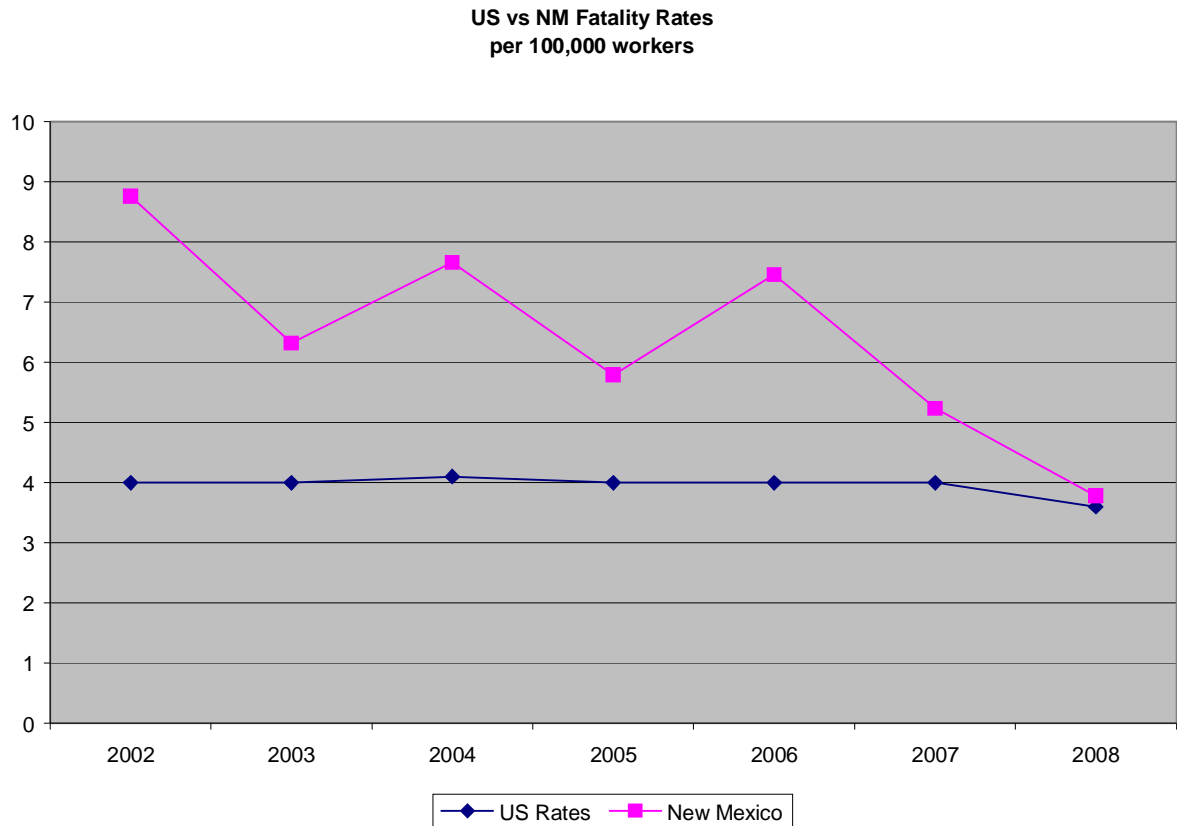
Summary of Top-Four Fatality Causing Hazards and Violations Corrected					
Year	Construction		Oil and Gas		Total
	Violations Abated	Hazards Corrected	Violations Abated	Hazards Corrected	
2009	146	242	13	84	485
2008	263	139	42	113	557
2007	231	183	36	85	535
2006	268	152	19	20	459
2005	84	3	25	4	116
Total	992	719	135	306	2152

E. Goal 2.2 Reduce the number of fatalities in the industries where most fatalities occur.

The construction and oil and gas well drilling and servicing industries were chosen as specific targets for measuring fatalities. The number of workers killed in over-the-road accidents was also measured on an annual basis. An emphasis was placed on conducting compliance inspections, consultation visits, training, and outreach activities for employers and employees within these industries.

For the last five years the average yearly number of fatalities in the construction industry in New Mexico was 6.4 and the average for the oil and gas industry was 5.4. Both of these averages were above the baseline numbers in our five year plan of 4.8 and 4.2 respectively. These basic numbers do not factor in the growing number of employees now engaged in these industries. OHSB will continue to focus on these high risk industries in order to reduce worker fatality rates.

Overall fatality rate in New Mexico, when factoring in the number of employees, has shown a downward trend as exhibited by the following chart.



F. Goal 2.3 Respond to notices of fatalities in a timely manner.

OHSB established a goal of responding to reports of fatalities within one working day in 90% of the cases where inspections are warranted. For the five-year period from FY2005 to FY2009 we responded to fatality reports within one working day 91.5% of the time.

The following chart shows the number of fatality inspection performed each year and the total number of inspections which were started within one day of the initial report.

Year	Investigation	Initiated within one day	Percent within one day
2005	11	8	72.7%
2006	18	17	94.4%
2007	18	18	100%
2008	14	13	92.9%
2009	10	9	90.0%
Total	71	65	91.5%

Appendix C Training, Outreach, and Program Development Fiscal Year 2009

A. Internal Training

OHSB's ability to conduct extensive internal training was limited in FY09 by our budget constraints. We were able to make extensive use of free training through the Texas Engineering Extension Service and the Associated Contractors of New Mexico. We also extensively participated in webinars offered by the OSHA Training Institute. In addition, OHSB personnel received training from instructors within the New Mexico Environment Department.

OHSB did not attend all of the class offered by the OSHA Training Institute that we projected in our training population survey due to budgeting constraints and due to the fact that some classes were overbooked.

The following table summarizes the training taken by OHSB personnel during the 2009 fiscal year.

Class	Administration	Compliance	Consultation	Total
2 Hour Fall Protection Competent Inspector			1	1
Authorized Instructor in Lay Responder			1	1
CPR,AED,First Aid	1		1	2
Defensive Driving	1	2	2	5
Discrimination Investigation	4	5	1	10
Electric Power Generation, Transmission and Distribution Course			1	1
Excavation & Trenching		1		1
First Aid and CPR			1	1
FOM Chapter 15 Review	4	1		5
Fundamentals of Rigging to Land Based Energy Operations			1	1
H2S Training			1	1
Hazardous Materials			1	1
Inspection Techniques and Legal Aspects (OTI)		2		2
Interest Based Bargaining	1			1
Introduction to Onsite Consultation	1		1	2
Land Based Rigging Trainer Development			1	1
Living in a Union Environment	1			1
New Mexico Rules of Evidence		11		11
Office Ergonomics Assessor Training	1			1
Osha 30 Construction	1			1
Permit-Required Confined Space Entry	1	2		3
Powered Industrial Vehicles		3		3
PSM of Ammonia Refrigeration	2	8	1	11
Safety and Health Issues in the Aging Workforce			1	1
Safety Leadership Training for First Line Supervisors			1	1
San Juan Contractor Orientation			1	1
Standards for the Construction Industry (OTI)			1	1
Trainer Course in OSH Standards for General Industry (OTI)			1	1
Trainer Course in OSH Standards for the Construction Industry (OTI)			1	1
Webinar CPPM (OTI)	1		2	3
Webinar Field Operations Manual (OTI)	3	11		14
Webinar NCR Backup (OTI)	3			3
Webinar on Tree Trimming (OTI)	1	4	2	7
Webinar PSM of Chlorine Hazards (OTI)	2	10	3	15
Webinar Recordkeeping NEP (OTI)	3	10	4	17
Work Zone Traffic Control			1	1
Total	31	70	32	133

B. External Training and Outreach

OHSB provided a presentation on health and safety issues to the Recycling Operators Certification Training course in Ruidoso. Thirty-three operators representing local governments, private companies, a federal installation, two universities, and four tribal governments attended.

An OHSB compliance assistance specialist gave a presentation to the Risk Manager Affiliate at the New Mexico Association of Counties annual meeting. The presentation covered municipal government inspections conducted by OHSB in the past few years and discussed the possibility of creating a partnership or alliance between OHSB and the group.

Several members of the OHSB staff participated as presenters in the annual professional development conference sponsored by the New Mexico Chapter of the American Society of Safety Engineers in Albuquerque.

An Occupational Health and Safety Bureau consultant provided portions of an 8-hour HAZWOPER refresher training to more than 40 staff members of the Environmental Health Division and the Radiation Control Bureau. The training was provided as part of OHSB's public sector outreach efforts.

The OHSB Chief presented "The State of New Mexico OSHA" to approximately twenty members and guests of the Zia Section of the American Society of Safety Engineers in Las Cruces on April 14.

Two Occupational Health and Safety Bureau staff members and four Construction Industries Division personnel attended a meeting with several Associated General Contractors members to discuss improving fall protection during installation of drywall in commercial building construction.

Several members of OHSB management and cooperative programs staff traveled to the San Juan Basin to participate in a variety of activities, including: a 6:00 a.m. safety stand-down held by Aztec Well Servicing; consultation visits to a well servicing site, a well drilling site, a "plug and abandon" operation, and roustabout operations; and participation in hydrogen sulfide training and Basin Environmental and Safety Training at the San Juan College School of Energy. The OHSB staff members were accompanied by two consultants and the Commissioner of Labor from Oklahoma, who came to learn how New Mexico has expanded efforts to improve safety in the oil and gas industry.

The OHSB Bureau Chief provided a presentation on workplace safety to approximately 45 participants in the Landfill Operators Certification Course in Moriarty.

An OHSB compliance assistance specialist addressed the annual meeting of the New Mexico chapter of the Solid Waste Association of North America regarding safety issues in the solid waste industry.

An OHSB consultant provided 8 hours of health and safety training in Farmington to approximately 60 management personnel from the Navajo Engineering and Housing Administration.

The OHSB consultation manager and department safety officer visited field offices in Alamogordo, Ruidoso, and Roswell to address potential health and safety hazards encountered by field staff.