

ANNUAL ALLIANCE REPORT

**U.S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
Baton Rouge Area Office
And
National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter**

May 7, 2015

I. Alliance Background

A. Date Signed

January 7, 2009

B. Evaluation Period

May 7, 2014 through May 7, 2015

C. Overview

OSHA and National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter Alliance provides members and others with information, guidance, and access to training resources that will help them protect employees' health and safety, particularly in reducing exposure to traffic collisions and related worker deaths and injuries, providing first aid, Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and Automated External Defibrillator (AED) training awareness, and deliver and implement safety and health management system programs.

D. Implementation Team Members

OSHA

Dorinda Folse, Area Director (AD), OSHA, Baton Rouge Area Office (BRAO)
Alexander Novas, Compliance Assistance Specialist (CAS), OSHA, BRAO

National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter

Beth Inbau, National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter, President and CEO
Clifton Bray, Jr., Training Director, National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter

II. Implementation Team Meetings

Team meetings made up of representatives of both organizations were held periodically throughout the year to discuss ideas and strategies on disseminating information concerning training and education, outreach and communication and promoting a national dialogue on workplace safety and health.

The team meets at least quarterly during Board of Directors meetings to discuss the progress of the Alliance and topical information covering industry's safety and health concerns. OSHA representation normally provides current information and fields a variety of questions from industry professionals regarding regulatory implementation and compliance.

III. Activities and Products

Training and Education

- Training schedules for member and non-members facilities and organizations were forwarded to the general membership, and local safety organizations.

Outreach and Communication

- BRAO, CAS provided literature, educational brochures, pamphlets and training materials that were made available by the Chapter for distribution to the general public.
- OSHA publications made available by the Baton Rouge Area Office CAS were distributed as applicable for National Safety Council's compliance courses.
- BRAO, CAS provided daily e-mail news updates and information to Chapter Board of Directors.
- BRAO, CAS conducted training presentations for National Safety Council classes and meetings. Compliance Assistance provided a first-hand perspective for "Introduction to OSHA" course segments, along with information and guidance on the development and implementation of effective safety and health management systems.
- BRAO, CAS and Assistant AD provided an information and publications booth at the National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter's 64th Annual Safety Awards Banquet.

Promoting the National Dialogue on Safety and Health

- The National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter annually recognizes Workers' Memorial Day as a day of remembrance for fallen workers and communicates related information to area industry.
- The National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter recognizes and communicates information relating to national initiatives such as, the 2014 and 2015 National Safety Stand-Down to Prevent Fatalities in Construction.
- Throughout the year, the National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter participated in joint meetings with local safety organizations such as, the Delta Safety Society and the New Orleans Chapter of the American Society of Engineers to promote the national safety dialogue.
- National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter attended local and state traffic safety committees promoting driver safety and the reduction of traffic accidents with emphasis on distracted driving.

IV. Results

- National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter has approximately 700 corporate members and customers who have access to a greater amount of educational information and resources as a result of its Alliance with OSHA’s cooperative program.
- The BRAO, CAS continues to provide OSHA update presentations and serves as an additional resource to National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter through participation in the general monthly meetings, training sessions and special events.
- The BRAO, CAS provided literature that included brochures, pamphlets and training materials which the National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter distributed at many of its safety training courses.
- National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter is currently offering OSHA 10 and 30 hour class in both General Industry and Construction throughout the year.
- National Safety Council, South Louisiana Chapter in conjunction with the University of Texas at Arlington, is an OSHA Outreach Training Institute (OTI), offering OTI classes at its Metairie office.

Type of Activity 2014-15 Topics of Training Courses	Number of Individuals Reached or Trained
May: Traffic Presentation, Defensive Driving, Safety Training Methods, First Aid/CPR/AED, Introduction to OSHA, Recordkeeping, Incident Investigation.	122
Joint meeting of American Society of Safety Engineers and Delta Safety Society.	21
June: First Aid/CPR/AED, Defensive Driving, Safety Management Techniques, Incident Investigation, Safety Inspections.	186
July: Defensive Driving, Incident Investigation, Ergonomics, Principles of Occupational Safety & Health, First Aid/CPR/AED.	128
August: Defensive Driving, Introduction to OSHA, Recordkeeping, Job Safety Analysis, Haz Com/GHS, First Aid/CPR/AED, Bloodborne Pathogens, Safety Training Methods.	151
September: First Aid/CPR/AED, Incident	233

September: Accident Investigation, Defensive Driving, Personal Protective Equipment, Confined Spaces, Exit Routes & Emergency Action Planning, Fire Protection, Safety Management Techniques.	
Joint meeting of American Society of Safety Engineers and Delta Safety Society.	18
October: First Aid/CPR/AED, Defensive Driving, OSHA 10-Hour Construction, Powered Industrial Trucks, Principles of Occupational Safety & Health.	126
November: Joint meeting of American Society of Safety Engineers and Delta Safety Society.	21
Defensive Driving, First Aid/CPR/AED, Safety Management Overview, Ergonomics, Safety Inspections, Team Safety, Incident Investigation.	189
Joint meeting of American Society of Safety Engineers and Delta Safety Society.	14
December: First Aid/CPR/AED, Defensive Driving, Safety Management Techniques, Supervisor Safety Development Program, Recordkeeping.	114
Joint meeting of American Society of Safety Engineers and Delta Safety Society.	19
January 2015: Defensive Driving, First Aid/CPR/AED, Safety Management Techniques, Operation Lifesaver.	147
Joint meeting of American Society of Safety Engineers and Delta Safety Society.	15
February: Defensive Driving, First Aid/CPR/AED, Bloodborne Pathogens, Walking/Working Surfaces, Introduction to OSHA, Recordkeeping, Safety Training Methods, Operation Lifesaver.	116
Joint meeting of American Society of Safety Engineers and Delta Safety Society.	7
March: Defensive Driving, First Aid/CPR/AED, Principles of Occupational Safety & Health, Team Safety, Powered Industrial Trucks, Lift Truck Operator Train-	164

the-Trainer, Incident Investigation, Safety Inspections, Operation Lifesaver.	
Joint meeting of American Society of Safety Engineers and Delta Safety Society.	20
April: 64 th Annual Safety Awards Banquet.	110
<i>TOTAL</i>	1,921

V. Upcoming Milestones

This Alliance was concluded July 7, 2015. The OSHA Baton Rouge Area Office looks forward to a continued relationship the NSC, South Louisiana Chapter, providing information and training materials that will serve area interests and employer injury and illness prevention programs.