

ANNUAL ALLIANCE REPORT

**U.S. Department of Labor
Occupational Safety and Health Administration
San Antonio Area Office
And the
San Antonio Masonry Contractors Association**

October 09, 2014

I. Alliance Background

A. Date Signed

10/09/2012

B. Evaluation Period

10/09/2013 – 10/09/2014

C. Overview

To provide workers in the construction industry with safety and health information, guidance, and training that will help them protect themselves in reducing and preventing exposure to occupational safety and health hazards such as heat stress, electrical, falls, struck-by, machine guarding and caught-between hazards in construction. This alliance focuses on the masonry contractors and their workers who work from scaffolds, aerial lifts and scissors lift.

In this alliance we will conduct safety and health training meetings with contractors and their workers and will cover: workers' rights, employer responsibilities, employee responsibilities, heat stress prevention and recognition, preventing falls from scaffolds, other hazards at the construction sites.

D. Implementation Team Members

OSHA

Kelly Knighton, Area Director (AD), San Antonio Area Office

Raul Carrillo, Compliance Assistance Specialist (CAS), San Antonio Area Office

San Antonio Masonry Contractors Association

James Groesbeck, President

II. Implementation Team Meetings

- 10/12/2012
- 04/26/2013
- 06/10/2014

In addition to these formal meetings, the Alliance coordinators from both groups maintained regular contact throughout the reporting period to monitor the Alliance's progress and results.

III. Results

The following table summarizes the Alliance's activities in support of the goals in the Alliance agreement.

Develop training and education programs for youth workers in construction: Goal 1			
Activity Type	Activity Name/Summary	OSHA Initiative Supported	Number Reached
Product	Construction and general industry Quick cards	Falls, electrocutions, Struck-by, PPE, Workers' rights,	60
Training	OSHA 10 hour classes in construction	Falls, electrocutions, Struck-by, trenching	25
Training	OSHA Scaffold Safety Presentation	Construction Training	45
Training	GHS and New Reporting Requirements	GHS/Recordkeeping	35
Work with OSHA to provide information in recognizing hazards to prevent injuries and electronic assistance tools and links from OSHA's websites: Goal 2			
Activity Type	Activity Name/Summary	OSHA Initiative Supported	Number Reached
Product	OSHA regulations and Workers' Rights, Fact Sheets, Scaffold quick cards	Workers' Rights Preventing Falls, electrocutions,	120
TOTAL			285

IV. Upcoming Milestones

This alliance will be closed as of 01June 2015.