

National Advisory Committee on Occupational Safety and Health

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Charge to the Committee

OSHA has been working to encourage every business to make safety a core value and take a step in the right direction to improve safety and health management. These activities include: guidance on safety and health programs, guidance on leading indicators, the Safe + Sound Campaign, revisions to the OSHA 7500 class, revisions to the Safety Pays website, as well as ongoing development of new informational resources on safety management and safety culture. Areas of particular emphasis are reaching small- and medium-size employers and building relationships with a broader range of stakeholders.

OSHA seeks NACOSH's input to recommend best practices and identify informational gaps and needs related to:

- How can OSHA best encourage every business to make safety a core value?
- How can OSHA better engage with businesses and stakeholders to promote adoption of safety and health programs (particularly small- and medium-size business)? What information / resources are needed?
- What sort of information / evidence is most persuasive to business owners / leaders when making decisions about workplace safety and health (e.g., financial, risk, moral, legal, etc.)?
- What are best practices for engaging business owners / CEOs and corporate boards in the practice of safety and health management?
- How should OSHA begin to address the concept of safety culture within the overall topic of safety management?
- How can the OSH community better work with non-traditional stakeholders or stakeholders that we have not yet effectively engaged to promote workplace safety and health (e.g. the insurance industry, communities of faith, etc.)?