

Community & Healthcare Training Calendar

We provide training courses across the province in regional sessions. The following is a list of sessions that are currently scheduled for April-June 2012.

To register for a training session, visit our [estore](#) and browse the Training menu or enter a training title in the search box to find a specific session. If you are interested in a session that is not currently scheduled, contact your regional consultant to or send us an email at info@pshsa.ca.

While we make every effort to keep these calendars up to date there are sometimes cancellations or scheduling changes, for the most up to date list of our training sessions please visit our e-store or contact your consultant.

PART 1 – BASIC CERTIFICATION

Appropriate for all sectors, this three day program is the first part of the training process for individuals to be certified under guidelines established by the Workplace Safety and Insurance Board and enforced by the Ministry of Labour. Workplaces that regularly have 20 or more employees must have at least two personnel that have completed the certification training. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$375.

Date	Location
April 10-12, 2012	Windsor
April 17-19, 2012	Toronto
April 17-19, 2012	Owen Sound
April 17-19, 2012	North Bay
April 23-25, 2012	Oakville
April 25-27, 2012	Shelburne
May 1-3, 2012	Sudbury
May 8-10, 2012	Sault Ste Marie
May 8-10, 2012	Toronto
May 15-17, 2012	Burlington
May 23-25, 2012	Ottawa
June 5-7, 2012	Toronto
June 11-13, 2012	Hamilton
June 12-14, 2012	London
June 19-21, 2012	Sarnia
June 19-21, 2012	Peterborough

PART 2 – SECTOR SPECIFIC CERTIFICATION

As the second part of the JHSC certification process, Sector Specific Certification assists JHSC members with issues particular to their work environment. Each sector specific training includes information on hazards pertaining to their particular work environment including the following: Infection Prevention and Control; Safe Client Handling; Indoor Air Quality; Workplace Violence Prevention; Musculoskeletal Disorders; Slip & Fall Prevention; Emergency Management and Fire Safety; Contractor Safety; Chemical Hazards and more. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$295.

Date	Type	Location
April 24, 2012	Acute Care Certification	Sudbury
April 24, 2012	Acute Care Certification	Toronto
April 25, 2012	Acute Care Certification	London
April 16, 2012	Community Care Sector Specific	Peterborough
April 18, 2012	Community Care Sector Specific	London
May 1, 2012	Community Care Sector Specific	Vaughan
May 8, 2012	Community Care Sector Specific	Hamilton
May 9, 2012	Community Care Sector Specific	Kingston
May 16, 2012	Community Care Sector Specific	Cambridge
June 19, 2012	Community Care Sector Specific	Toronto
April 24, 2012	Group Home Sector Specific	Hamilton
April 25, 2012	Group Home Sector Specific	Ottawa
June 26, 2012	Group Home Sector Specific	Kitchener/Waterloo
June 21, 2012	Laboratory Sector Specific	Kitchener/Waterloo
May 7-8, 2012	Long Term Care Sector Specific	Peterborough
June 5-6, 2012	Long Term Care Sector Specific	Mississauga
June 13-14, 2012	Long Term Care Sector Specific	Ottawa

EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP TRAINING BOOKS:

EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP BOOK 1: LEGISLATION, STANDARDS, AND CODES

Book 1 outlines the requirements of the Occupational Health and Safety Act (OHSA), the Ontario health care regulations and other related legislation, codes and standards. Knowledge of applicable legislation, standards and codes contributes to effective management process. Part of a five education session series that prepares a leader to be competent supervisor, as defined in the OHSA. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$70, half day course.

Date	Location
May 30, 2012	Barrie

EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP BOOK 2: INTERNAL RESPONSIBILITY SYSTEM AND DUE DILIGENCE

Book 2 describes the Internal Responsibility System (IRS) and associated responsibilities of workplace parties. Defines the concepts of an IRS and due diligence, and identifies behaviours that promotes an effective IRS, and ways in which workplace parties can demonstrate due diligence. Participants will understand the roles and responsibilities of workplace parties within an IRS. Part of a five education session series that prepares a leader to be a competent supervisor, as defined in the OHS Act. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$100.

Date	Location
May 10, 2012	Mississauga
May 31, 2012	Barrie

EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP BOOK 3: HAZARD AWARENESS AND CONTROL

Book 3 outlines the legislative responsibilities in hazard identification and control. Participants will learn to identify potential hazards in the workplace, the role of workplace parties in hazard recognition, assessment, control and evaluation. The steps involved in a hazard analysis will be reviewed, as well as the steps to conducting effective workplace inspections. Part of a five education session series that prepares a leader to be a competent supervisor, as defined in the OHS Act. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$100.

Date	Location
May 30, 2012	Barrie

EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP BOOK 4: INCIDENT CAUSATION AND INVESTIGATION

Book 4 outlines the legal requirements for investigating incidents and required reporting. The various types of incidents are reviewed as well as the factors that can contribute to incidents, and the steps to follow for effective investigations. Part of a five education session series that prepares a leader to be a competent supervisor, as defined in the OHS Act. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$100.

Date	Location
May 10, 2012	Mississauga
May 31, 2012	Barrie

EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP BOOK 5: PRACTICAL APPROACHES TO EFFECTIVE LEADERSHIP

Book 5 takes the leader beyond the basic legislative requirements and introduces the concept of incorporating safety into your organizational culture. The relationship between leadership style and health and safety outcomes are identify, as well as the importance of promoting a healthy and safety culture. Part of a five education session series that prepares a leader to be a competent supervisor, as defined in the OHS Act. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$100.

Date	Location
June 7, 2012	Mississauga

CLIENT HANDLING

PSHSA offers two types of client handling training. The first, **Client Handling Program Enhancement**, is appropriate for all front-line caregivers in an organization, and it allows participants to perform and demonstrate various transfer, mechanical lift and repositioning techniques. The second, **Handle with Care™**, is aimed at Steering Committee Members who oversee the development and implementation of a minimal lift program and a comprehensive lift/transfer education program. Participants will learn the six steps of planning a client-handling program, how to conduct a program needs assessment, how to develop a minimal/safe lifting policy and procedures, as well as comprehensive lift/transfer education program. Click [here](#) to register.

*No Dates this session. Check out the E-Store for other health and safety trainings.

WORKPLACE VIOLENCE PREVENTION PROGRAMS

Preventing Client Aggression/Responsive Behaviours Through Gentle Persuasive Approaches

This PSHSA training program was developed to provide the program infrastructure necessary to support the GPA curriculum, and was designed to complement existing resident care strategies and systems. It supports direct care staff training requirements under the Long Term Care Home act including caring for persons with dementia. Click [here](#) to register, cost \$20.

*No Dates this session. Check out the E-Store for other health and safety trainings.

Enhancing your GPA Program – The Managers Perspective

This half day session is aimed at managers from acute/long term/continuing care and community care who have already introduced GPA in their facility or who are contemplating implementing this approach. Managers, attend this session to increase your understanding of the challenges related to caring for dementia clients in your facility. Click [here](#) to register, cost \$20.

*No Dates this session. Check out the E-Store for other health and safety trainings.

RESPIRATORY FIT TESTING

This half day workshop (approximately 3.5 hours) will train participant on the requirements within a respiratory protection program, including the education, knowledge, and skills required to conduct their own qualitative fit testing (QLFT) as outlined in the CSA Standard Z94.4-02. Cost \$150.

*No Dates this session. Check out the E-Store for other health and safety trainings.

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION TRAIN-THE-FIT-TESTER

This half day workshop (approximately 3.5 hours) will train participant on the requirements within a respiratory protection program, including the education, knowledge, and skills required to conduct their own qualitative fit testing (QLFT) as outlined in the CSA Standard Z94.4-02. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$150.

Date	Location
May 8, 2012	Vaughan
May 29, 2012	Barrie
May 31, 2012	Grimsby

WHMIS TRAIN-THE-TRAINER

Through a combination of theoretical and practical hands-on exercises, this program will provide an overview of adult learning principals, help you recognize WHMIS worker training requirements and provide you with an understanding of Material Safety Data Sheets, supplier labels, workplace labels, and hazardous material classifications. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$700.

Date	Location
June 6-7, 2012	Guelph
June 11-12, 2012	Ottawa

A PARTICIPATORY APPROACH TO MSD PREVENTION

Learn about the major risks that lead to MSD and common control strategies; Understand the value of the participatory approach, where workers are involved in the recognition, assess and control of risks; Learn the steps to developing a comprehensive MSD prevention program for your workplace. Click [here](#) to register. Cost \$150.

*No Dates this session. Check out the E-Store for other health and safety trainings.

A PARTICIPATORY APPROACH TO SLIP, TRIP, AND FALL PREVENTION

Attend this full day workshops in order to gear your health care centers with a full understanding of the approached to preventing workplace accidents and disorders. Learn the steps to developing a comprehensive slip, trip, fall prevention program for your workplace. Become familiar with tools to help you develop your program. Click [here](#) to register. Cost \$150.

Date	Location
June 19, 2012	Hamilton

RETURN TO WORK PROGRAMS

Your return-to-work (RTW) program is in place and now you need to put it to work! Each half day session teaches you the principles and provides you with practical tips on managing your return to work program. Click [here](#) to register. Cost \$100.

Date	Program	Location
April 16, 2012	Part 1: Legislation and Program Development AND Part 2: Case Management and Privacy	Ottawa
May 9, 2012	Part 1: Legislation and Program Development AND Part 2: Case Management and Privacy	London
May 17, 2012	Part 1: Legislation and Program Development AND Part 2: Case Management and Privacy	Burlington
May 29, 2012	Part 1: Legislation and Program Development AND Part 2: Case Management and Privacy	Windsor
May 30, 2012	Part 1: Legislation and Program Development AND Part 2: Case Management and Privacy	Barrie
June 21, 2012	Part 1: Legislation and Program Development AND Part 2: Case Management and Privacy	Etobicoke
June 28, 2012	Part 1: Legislation and Program Development AND Part 2: Case Management and Privacy	Kingston

WORKPLACE INSPECTION WORKSHOP

This program is designed for all Joint Health and Safety Committee (JHSC) members, health and safety representatives, and supervisors. Upon completion of this course, participants will be able to describe how to conduct a workplace inspection, including the necessary tools involved, and identify the legal requirements for conducting a workplace inspection. Click [here](#) to view scheduled courses and to register. Cost \$100.

Date	Location
May 28, 2012	Hamilton
June 6, 2012	Hamilton
June 7, 2012	London
June 18, 2012	Ottawa
June 20, 2012	Kingston

RISK ASSESSMENT/JOB HAZARD ANALYSIS

Identifying hazards and assessing the level of risk associated with those hazards is the most important activity you perform every day, at work and away from work. Effective health and safety management is based on a universal understanding of risks and how to control them through good planning. Objectives of the Program are To describe the Risk Assessment process and how it relates to Job Hazard Analysis; To describe the process of Job Hazard Analysis; To enhance skills by completing a Job Hazard Analysis. Click [here](#) to register. Cost \$70.

Date	Location
May 15, 2012	Hamilton
May 17, 2012	London
June 6, 2012	Thorold

PSHSA is establishing *Communities of Practice*, where clients with similar interests and needs can meet and work together to improve one component of their health and safety program. This Risk Assessment and Job Hazard Analysis Community of Practice is a series of four meetings and will be of interest to organizations that have identified gaps in hazard identification and risk management for workplace injuries and illness. It will provide the skills necessary to conduct a risk assessment and job hazard analysis of your activities. Complete Price of 4 sessions: \$125.00, 2 hours per meeting.

Date	Meeting	Location
April 12, 2012	1	Kerwood
May 3, 2012	2	Kerwood
May 24, 2012	3	Kerwood
June 14, 2012	4	Kerwood

WEBINARS

To make it as easy as possible for our clients across Ontario to access information and training, PSHSA regularly schedules webinars on a variety of topics. Click [here](#) to view scheduled webinars and to register.

*No Dates this session. Check out the E-Store for other health and safety trainings.