

Ensuring Compliance with the New Health and Safety Regulations 297/13

Training Series for Executive Directors, Owners/Operators and Supervisors of Niagara's Early Learning and Child Care Programs



Presented by the Public Services Health and Safety Association

The Public Services Health and Safety Association (PSHSA) works with Ontario's Public and Broader Public Sector employers and workers, providing training, consulting and resources to reduce workplace risks and prevent occupational injuries and illnesses. It's the belief of PSHSA that all workers and employers should have access to the occupational health and safety information they need, regardless of physical location. More information may be found at www.pshsa.ca.

As of July 1, 2014 all workers and supervisors in Ontario must complete basic occupational health and safety awareness training. Regulation 297/13 is the first of its kind in Canada and it represents a major success in the advancement of health and safety in our province. The following training options are being offered to support Niagara's early learning and child care programs with ensuring compliance.

Health and Safety Training Series Day One

Thursday June 26 • 9:00 am to 4:30 pm

9:00 am to 12:30 pm 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 processes. Part of an education session series that prepares a leader to be a competent supervisor, as defined in the OHSA.

12:30 pm to 1:00 Lunch

1:00 to 4:30 pm Effective Leadership Book 2: The 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 an education session series that prepares a leader to be a competent supervisor, as defined in the OHSA.

ECCDC, 3340 Schmon Parkway, Thorold (Community Boardroom) • \$150 includes a light lunch

Health and Safety Training Series Day Two

Friday June 27 • 9:00 am to 4:30 pm

9:00 am to 12:30 pm 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 an education session series that prepares a leader to be a competent supervisor, as defined in the OHSA.

12:30 to 1:00 pm Lunch

1:00 to 4:30 pm Effective Leadership Book 4: Incident/Event 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 an education session series that prepares a leader to be a competent supervisor, as defined in the OHSA.

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