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Do you know all the rules and regulations relating to electrical and arc flash safety and how to apply them in real-world situations? Moreover, did you know that working on or above 600V to 72.5kV industrial high voltage distribution systems requires qualification?

Sign up for both the e-Hazard <u>Low Voltage Qualified</u> (<u>LV) AND High Voltage Qualified</u> (<u>HV)</u> Electrical Safety

Training Classes sponsored by **Voltgard** (a division of **Saf-T-Gard International, Inc.**) to learn all of this and more, including how to stay compliant with OSHA regulations, updates from the 2021 NFPA 70E to the 2024 version, what it means to be HV qualified and what electrical tasks may only be performed by a qualified person.



Who Should Attend:

Safety Directors, Electrical Contractors, Maintenance Electricians, Lineman, Owners, Managers, Safety Engineers, Supervisors, Electricians and Electrical Engineers

What:

e-Hazard <u>Low Voltage Qualified (LV) AND High</u> <u>Voltage Qualified (HV)</u> Electrical Safety Training Classes

Dates:

• Low Voltage Qualified (LV) - Tuesday, March 26, 2024, from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. CST

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Did you know Saf-T-Gard has a blog on our website, which we post new articles to every three weeks? Authored by subject matter experts, including Richard A. Rivkin, Saf-T-Gard CEO and Chairman of the Board, and the world's leading safety manufacturers, the blog topics range from hazard identification, regulatory standards, and the latest technologies and innovations in safety to help safety managers, workers and business owners across all industries stay informed, make better decisions and work more efficiently. Whatever safety challenge you face, count on Saf-T-Gard to deliver trusted advice backed by more than 85 years of service.

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Do you have a topic that you would like to see explored in a blog article? Please e-mail LSeminara@saftgard.com.

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Where:

Courtyard by Marriott Chicago Deerfield

800 Lake Cook Rd Deerfield, IL 60015 847-940-8222

Cost:

- One-day seminar tuition for <u>Low Voltage Qualified</u> (<u>LV</u>) <u>Electrical Safety Training</u> is \$750.00 per person
- Two-day seminar tuition for <u>Low Voltage Qualified</u> (<u>LV) AND High Voltage Qualified</u> (<u>HV) Electrical</u> <u>Safety Training</u> is \$1,400.00 per person

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Five Safety Tips



1. ANTI-NOISE -

Disposable, expandable foam earplugs offer convenient, low-cost ear protection.

2. ANTI-NOISE - Premolded, reusable earplugs are washable and are often available in different sizes for a better fit.

3. ANTI-NOISE - Canal caps on a headband or neckband offer the lightweight convenience of being able to easily and quickly remove the ear



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Promotion Dates: March 1st to June 30th, 2024

Details:

- Double your rebate when you trade up to select 3M Fall Protection Products!*
- Get a rebate on other complementary 3M personal safety products*:
 - o 3M Head and Face Protection
 - o 3M Hearing Protection
 - o 3M Protective Eyewear
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There's never been a better time to standardize to 3M personal safety products!

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protection when not needed.

4. ANTI-NOISE -

Earmuffs come in many different styles, sizes, weights, and profiles.

5. ANTI-NOISE -

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QUESTIONS &A



Question - "Do inspection tags have to be on the Safety Eyewash/Shower stations or can they be on the door outside of the room? We have wash down areas and the tags get wet and can become unreadable."

Answer - The OSHA standard makes no reference to test tags. Vendors supply them as a convenience for end users with which to monitor and record their weekly testing requirements. It is a way of showing officials that the equipment is being tested as required (for which there is a requirement). As long as they maintain the test records up to date there appears to be nothing in the standard that specifies where they should be kept.

Saf-T-Gard Spotlight



John Lynch is Saf-T-Gard's Senior Director of Business Development,



- 1. **Identify** Find the fall protection products you want to trade-in or trade-up.
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Respond with Confidence When Using the First Aid Only® 91-170 Emergency Response Bag



Accidents happen on the job. When every second matters, respond to emergencies faster using this emergency response bag that holds a variety of treatment packs organized by injury type and lists each item's intended use to help keep you focused. Just grab the treatment pack you need or carry the complete bag by handle or shoulder strap.

Additional features and benefits include the following:

 Red Bag, 15" x 9.5" x 5", Includes Wound Care Pack, CPR & Sprains Pack, Bleeding Control Pack, Burn Care and he joined the company on February 28, 2022.

What John likes about Saf-T-Gard:

"The people/team are extremely nice, good at what they do and there's a strong culture of customer service and taking care of the customer at all costs. Everyone says this, however it's evident that Saf-T-Gard views service as a differentiator and they do everything possible to truly make the customer happy. And that aligns with my personal values and what I strive to do as well."

What makes John's day:

"The sun shining and the ability to help someone out. Whether personally or professionally, I enjoy the feel good that comes from truly helping someone and being of assistance to them - be it small or large. And making a large sale of course!"

John's outside interests:

"Spending time with family, being active/exercising, being outside in nature, playing or watching any type of sports (big SEC Football fan!!), boating and hanging out with good friends."



With regard to lockout/tagout training and requirements, can general awareness training of affected employees and other workers be satisfied and documented with a biennial article in a safety newsletter addressed to each individual employee?

No. The standard, at §1910.147(c)(7)(i)(B) requires that each affected employee be instructed in the purpose and the use of the energy control procedure. Furthermore, §1910.147(c)(7)(i)(C) requires that all other employees, whose work operations are or may be in an area where energy control procedures may be

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Vendor Product Spotlight: Mechanix Wear[®] SpeedKnit[™] S2EC-06 Coated Cut-Resistant Gloves

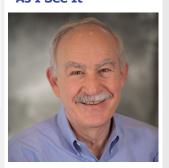


The <u>SpeedKnit™ S2EC-06 Coated Cut-Resistant</u>
<u>Gloves</u> are in a category of their own, offering the highest level of dexterity and cut resistance to protect working

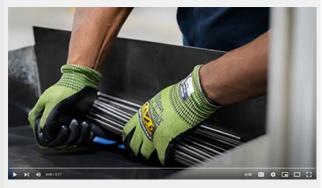
utilized, shall be instructed about the procedure and about attempts to restart or energize machines or equipment which are locked out or tagged out. An article in a newsletter does not provide the specificity required to train the affected and other employees on the use of the energy control procedures particular to their work area. Additionally, if there is a change in their job assignment or there is a change in their equipment or processes that present a new hazard or there is a change in the energy control procedures, the affected employees must receive retraining. See 29 CFR §1910.147(c)(7)(iii) (A). A biennial newsletter would be inadequate in providing this retraining.

Additionally, relying solely on a biennial article in a newsletter for training is problematic in several other ways. First, there is no way to ensure that each affected employee has read and understood the material. Second, this mode of training does not afford employees the opportunity to ask questions when the material is unfamiliar to them or may be ambiguous in certain areas. Industrial operations, and in particular hazardous energy control operations, can involve many complex and potentially hazardous tasks. It is imperative that employees be able to perform such tasks safely. On the other hand, OSHA believes that periodic articles in a newsletter can be used as part of an effective safety and health training program to help satisfy OSHA training requirements, if its content provides employees with appropriate information and knowledge.

As I See It



hands with ANSI/ISEA 105-2016 Level A4 Cut Resistance and ANSI/ISEA 105-2016 Level A4 Abrasion Resistance. Made using a machine-knit blend of HPPE and tungsten steel to create a high dexterity 18-gauge glove that maintains feel. The working side features environmentally friendly touchscreen capable water-based urethane coating to maintain grip in dry or wet conditions.



Additional features and benefits include the following:

- High dexterity 18-gauge HPPE + Tungsten steel knit construction protects against skin abrasions and lacerations
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Watch the FREE Radians Hearing and Eye Protection Solutions for Industrial Manufacturing Webinar ON DEMAND



Join us for a focused webinar tailored to the needs of EHS professionals, operational staff, and anyone invested in the safety of industrial manufacturing environments. This session is dedicated to addressing the critical aspects of hearing and eye protection in the workplace. Presented by experts with extensive experience in safety equipment and PPE, the webinar will delve into practical solutions, compliance standards, and effective strategies to prevent injuries.

Key Takeaways:

• The Significance of Protection: Understand the importance of eye and hearing protection, supported by

It is March 2024, and it's time for my annual baseball spring training analogy. Apologies if you are not a baseball fan, but there may be some good tidbits here anyway.

Spring training is an annual event, and that reminds us that any training program cannot be "one-and-done." It's the opportunity for rookies to get some highlevel coaching and for veterans to get refresher training. When was the last time your team had training for rookies and veterans? You probably have some specialists (like pitchers) who need specialized training, but what about generalized training (like hitting and fielding) for everyone? Of course, we're focusing on safety training which should never be that proverbial "one-and-done." Products change, technology changes, applications change, and personnel change, so regular training should be on your calendar.

Here's where we can help. Workers need training on all aspects of PPE and facility safety in addition to generalized safety awareness. Consider head protection – what to look for in a safety cap or helmet and how to inspect it to ensure that it is still safe and effective. Consider respiratory protection - respirator selection is as critical as the required medical evaluation and fit-testing. The list goes on – fall protection, electrical safety, hearing protection, etc. Here's a suggestion - a monthly training calendar with a different topic each month, so in the span of 1 year you have reduced an overwhelming task of safety training to manageable bits.

So, to complete the analogy, look around and identify your team. Who are the coaches, who are the superstars (i.e., "trainthe-trainer"), and who are the team players? While the superstars can and do contribute to the team's success, solo acts by themselves rarely results in success and, in terms of safety, someone operating outside of the team

industry statistics that highlight the prevalence of workplace injuries and the potential for prevention.

- Choosing the Right PPE: Learn how to select appropriate personal protective equipment based on the unique hazards present in your manufacturing environment.
- Hierarchy of Safety Controls: Explore the most effective safety measures, from the elimination of hazards to the implementation of PPE, ensuring a comprehensive approach to workplace safety.
- Compliance and Standards: Get an overview of the critical testing and performance standards, including ANSI and OSHA requirements, that govern PPE to ensure your safety measures are compliant and effective.
- Innovations in Safety Equipment: Discover the latest advancements in hearing and eye protection, with practical examples of gear designed for various industrial scenarios.

Who Should Attend:

- Safety Managers and EHS Professionals in the Industrial Manufacturing Sector
- Operational Staff Focused on Workplace Safety
- Individuals Looking to Enhance Hearing and Eye Safety Measures at Work

This webinar is an essential resource for anyone looking to improve safety protocols, understand the latest in safety equipment innovations, or ensure their workforce is adequately protected against industrial hazards. Register now to gain valuable insights into making your workplace safer with effective hearing and eye protection strategies.

concept can pose a danger to the team in terms of safety and performance.

So, as you assemble your safety team, consider including us on the team as a professional safety resource. That's who we are and what we do – because we're Saf-T-Gard International – *Bringing Workers Home Safely Since 1936.*

Sincerely, Richard A. Rivkin, Saf-T-Gard CEO and Chairman of the Board

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