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WHAT'S HAPPENING

Michigan Safety Conference

The 2018 Michigan Safety Conference will be at the Lansing Center on April 17 and 18, 2018. MIOSHA will have a booth (#615 and 617). Come and talk to a representative and sign up for [Take a Stand Day](#) – a one-on-one consultation with no CITATIONS or FINES for participating workplaces. You can also find out about upcoming Coffee with MIOSHA events or talk to a representative about something relevant to your particular workplace.

The MIOSHA CET Division classroom has moved to Ballroom 6 on the River Concourse of the Lansing Center. Classes include annual favorites and some new additions:

- MIOSHA Update and MTI Graduation
- Electrical Hazards, Concerns and Consequences
- Top 10 – Health, General Industry and Construction
- Culture on the Ropes: The Great SHMS Comeback
- Silica in Construction: Overview of Occupational Health Part 690
- Recordkeeping: Past, Present & Electronic Tracking – What Have We Learned?
- Runway: The PPE Edition
- Walking-Working Surfaces
- 2016 MIOSHA Construction Fatalities




For more information on the conference, check it out at www.michsafetyconference.org. Questions? Call the MIOSHA CET Division at 517-284-7720. We look forward to seeing you there!

National Work Zone Awareness Week (NWZAW)

The week of April 9 – 13, 2018, the US Department of Transportation Federal Highway Administration will have its annual [National Work Zone Awareness Week](#). This year's theme is, "Work Zone Safety, Everybody's Responsibility." The state of Illinois is hosting the 2018 National Work Zone Awareness Week with a national kick-off event scheduled for Tuesday, April 10, 2018.

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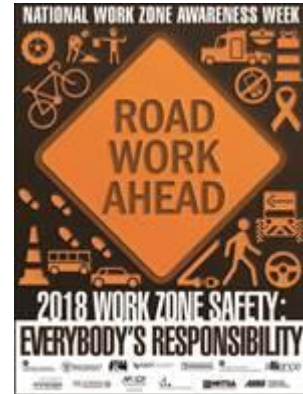
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The kick-off in Michigan will be April 9, 2018, at 11:00 a.m., at the PK Contracting facility, located at 1965 Barrett, Troy MI 48084. The speakers will include the following agencies/organizations: Michigan Department of Transportation (MDOT), Michigan State Police (MSP), Michigan Infrastructure and Transportation Association (MITA), Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration (MIOSHA), American Traffic Safety Services Association (ATSSA), Consumers Energy, Service Employees International Union (SEIU), and Surveying Solutions, Inc. (SSI). Click [HERE](#) for more information.



National Small Business Week is April 29 – May 5, 2018

Every year since 1963, the President of the United States has issued a proclamation announcing National Small Business Week, which recognizes the critical contributions of America's entrepreneurs and small business owners.

More than half of Americans either own or work for a small business, and they create about two out of every three new jobs in the U.S. each year.

As part of National Small Business Week, the U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) takes the opportunity to highlight the impact of outstanding entrepreneurs, small business owners, and others from all 50 states and U.S. territories. Every day, they're working to grow small businesses, create 21st century jobs, drive innovation, and increase America's global competitiveness. Visit the SBA's [website](#) for more information.

Coffee With MIOSHA

[Coffee with MIOSHA](#) events provide an informal opportunity for employers and employees to meet with MIOSHA representatives (consultative, enforcement, and radiation safety) to ask questions, obtain information on program services and resources, learn about MIOSHA Training Institute (MTI) opportunities, and establish rapport.

- April 24, 2018 - Troy
[American Society of Safety Professionals \(ASSE\)](#)
Click [HERE](#) to register.
- May 1, 2018 – Ann Arbor
[American Society of Safety Professionals \(ASSE\)](#)
Click [HERE](#) to register.
- June 13, 2018 - Lansing
[Michigan Safety Conference](#)
Click [HERE](#) to RSVP.



AGENCY INSTRUCTIONS ISSUED

March 13, 2018 – [Indian Country Inspections/Investigations and Interventions](#)



March 13, 2018 – [Respiratory Protection Standard, Part 451, Enforcement Policies](#)

March 15, 2018 – [Process Safety Management \(PSM\) National Emphasis Program \(NEP\)](#)

March 21, 2018 – [Inspections of Employers Performing Blight Work – State Emphasis Program \(SEP\)](#)

MEDIA

March 29, 2018 – [RSB Construction Services, LLC in Flint Fined \\$154,000 by MIOsha for Lack of Fall Protection and Training Resulting in Workers' Injuries and Fatality](#)

VARIANCES

Variations from MIOsha standards must be made available to the public in accordance with Part 12, Variations (R408.22201 to 408.22251). MIOsha variations are published on the MIOsha [website](#).

QUICK LINKS

[Agency/Division Instructions/Memorandums](#)

[Air Contaminants Initiative](#)

[Asbestos Program](#)

[Ask MIOsha](#)

[CET Request for Consultative Assistance Services \(RCA\)](#)

[CET Training Calendar](#)

[Consultation Education and Training \(CET\) Grants](#)

[Construction Safety and Health Division \(CSHD\)](#)

[DVD/Video Library Service](#)

[Employee Safety, Health, and Discrimination Complaint Forms](#)

[Fall Prevention Campaign \(STOP FALLS. SAVE LIVES.\)](#)

[General Industry Safety and Health Division \(GISHD\)](#)

[Hazard Communication/GHS](#)

[Laboratory and Equipment Services](#)

[Michigan Alliances](#)

[Michigan Safety and Health Achievement Recognition Program \(MSHARP\)](#)

[Michigan Voluntary Protection Program \(MVPP\)](#)

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