

Safety Tips During the Winter

The winter weather hasn't left us yet. With recent storms happening as well as in the upcoming forecast, we would like to take the time to remind everyone that it's important to stay prepared. Having certain items in your vehicle as well as in your home is a smart way to be ready in an emergency. Some of these items are good to keep in your vehicle all year to ensure your safety. As well, having an emergency checklist at your home is good practice ensuring peace of mind if an emergency happens due to the weather.

Car Emergency Kit Checklist

Antifreeze/windshield washer fluid				
Tow rope				
Jumper cables				
Warning light or road flares				
Sand, salt or cat litter (non clumping)				
Roadmaps				
Flashlight (keep batteries up to date)				
Scraper and Snowbrush				
Seatbelt cutter				
Blanket and warm clothing				
First aid kit				

Home Emergency Kit Checklist

Extra blankets
Generator (if one can) **use outside
Candles (matches) and flashlights (batteries)
Battery pack for electronics
Water (2L per person per day)
Food (non-perishable items)
Any required medication
Warm clothing
First aid kit



Management Training

Companies looking for Construction Management training for their staff should look at the courses offered by Moncton Northeast Construction Association. Click HERE for the link.



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Training to obtain COR®

through NBCSA



Training– Have one (minimum) full-time employee complete the 6 COR® courses. The COR® training courses focus on building and maintaining a health and safety program, while also teaching the COR® audit process. NBCSA recommends training the individual who will be primarily responsible for the business' health and safety program. This individual is considered the COR® Prime. Courses are:

-Safety Orientation (eLearning course available)
-Hazard Identification and Control
-WHMIS (eLearning course available)

-Principles of Loss Control (PLC)
-Leadership for Safety Excellence
-Principles of Loss Control Audit (PLCA)

*Please click here to see our course schedule



We have completed our new National COR® Accreditation Standard Harmonized Audit Instrument! For more information, you can view a <u>sample here</u>, send an email to our COR® department cor@nbcsa.ca or give us a call (506) 624-1477.

Protect your employees from communicable disease

As the days get colder and workers and their families are increasingly indoors, WorkSafeNB reminds employers of their ongoing obligation to provide a healthy and safe workplace.

For many employers, this may include preparing and applying a communicable disease prevention plan.

A communicable disease prevention plan considers risks in your particular workplace. It determines appropriate measures to reduce those risks and helps ensure all employees are aware of their responsibilities.

WorkSafeNB has prepared a <u>four-step process</u> for preparing a communicable disease prevention plan.





<u>January</u>

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
			19th: 8:30 am Tracadie Fall Protection I Basics for Workers	20th: 8:30 am Fredericton Fall Protection I Basics for Workers
		25th - 27th: 8:30 am Fredericton Joint Health & Safety Committee 25th - 26th: 8:30 am Moncton Leadership for Safety Excellence		
30th - 31st: 8:30 am Edmundston Principles of Loss Control 30th - 31st: 8:30 am Fredericton Occupational Health & Safety Act 30th - 31st: 8:30 am Saint John Confined Space Awareness Generic			February 2nd - 3rd: 8:30 am Moncton NBCSA Train the Trainer 2nd: 8:30 am Saint John Lockout	3rd: 8:30 am Miramichi Fall Protection I Basics for Workers