



National Day of Mourning April, 28th 2023



According to the Association of Workers' Compensation Boards of Canada (AWCBC), in 2021, there were 1,081 workplace fatalities recorded in Canada, 1,009 of which were male workers, and 72 were female workers. Among these deaths were 18 young workers aged 15-24. The National Day of Mourning is a day to remember those who have lost their lives or been injured due to a workplace tragedy. It is also an opportunity to renew our commitment to improving health and safety in the workplace and continue to prevent illness, injury and death. The CCOHS has a number of podcasts, social media tools, and other tools to commemorate this day. [Click Here.](#)

Safety and Health Week May 1st-6th, 2023

Safety and Health Week, which takes place this year from May 1-6, is an ideal time for employers, employees, partners, and the public to focus on the importance of preventing injury and illness in the workplace, at home, and in the community.

Starting on May 1, you're invited to join our virtual activities to celebrate Safety and Health Week. Sign up for free, live, online sessions kicking off with our National Launch. For ideas on how you can celebrate and to access tools and resources to help you plan and promote your events, visit the [National Safety and Health Week website](#).

If you'd like to watch the recordings of the 2022 sessions, [check out their playlist](#).





New Record Keeping System for Students

Over the upcoming months, we will transition from mailing certificates and passbooks in favour of plastic trainee cards (see picture below) that feature a “QR code”. This card easily allows trainees to view their valid training records simply by scanning the image in the corner with their phone camera. The page accessed will also show the trainee’s upcoming classroom enrollment and in-progress eLearning. If physical records are required by an employer, an easy-to-use print button will be present on the trainee’s certificate table. Sharing training with an employer is as easy as allowing them to scan the card.



← Scan here to see an example.

We are excited to allow users to preview the system now by simply scanning the QR code above. Use your phone’s camera and focus on the symbol. A link should appear on the screen that will give you access to an example of a trainee’s data.

Safety Services New Brunswick Podcast

New Podcast - Roy Silliker CSC is considered the ‘founding father’ of the New Brunswick Construction Safety Association as he has been General Manager/CEO since its inception and continues to make health and safety a priority in the construction industry.

[Click here to listen!](#)

A promotional graphic for the 'Health & Safety Podcast for New Brunswick'. It features a portrait of Roy Silliker CSC on the left. To the right, his title is listed: 'Roy Silliker CSC, General Manager / CEO, New Brunswick Construction Safety Association (NBCSA)'. Below this are logos for 'Listen on Apple Podcasts' and 'Listen on Spotify'. On the far right is a logo for 'Safety Services NEW BRUNSWICK Podcast' featuring a green triangle with a white exclamation mark and a downward arrow, all within a black headphones icon.



COR® Audit Review Timeline

Spring has Sprung! The snow is melting, birds are singing, the grass is turning green, the flowers are blooming, and the summer season tenders are in abundance. Companies are preparing their bids to line up their season's work.

Certificate of Recognition (COR®) Letters of Good Standing are becoming more popular and are being requested by a growing number of tender holders. For those who are active members of the NBCSA COR® Program, we would like to remind you that this is not just a busy time of year for seasonal trades but is also a busy time of year for the COR® Department. Please keep in mind our typical review period of 21 days may be extended due to the number of incoming audits.

We typically review audits on a first in first out basis but try to take 'valid to' dates into consideration when needed. To keep our COR® certified companies with a valid Letter of Good Standing, we ask for your audit submission 28 days prior to your 'valid to' date if possible, during the spring rush.

We thank you for your cooperation and patience in advance!

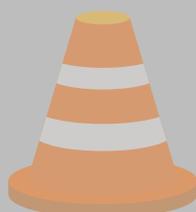
Professional Engineers Ontario Lay Multiple Charges- Buyer Beware

Professional Engineers Ontario (the licensing and regulating body for professional engineering in Ontario) has laid 352 charges against an individual under the Professional Engineers Act and the Provincial Offences Act for falsely representing himself as a professional engineer. [Read Full Press Release Here.](#)

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.





Companies New to COR[®] or have Renewed COR[®]!

March COR[®]

- Dowd Roofing Inc
- Arthur Sivret & Fils Ltee
- Godins Electric Ltd
- Atlantic Alliance Elevators

April COR[®]

- Grey Rock Materials
- Eastern Fence
- Harbour Development
- Guildfords Inc.
- Acadian Construction
- Springhill Infrastructure Limited

Professional Development Day 2023

**SAVE THE
DATE**

**PROFESSIONAL
DEVELOPMENT DAY 2023**

**Fredericton, NB
November 2nd
DELTA HOTELS BY
MARRIOTT**

In-Person meeting

SCHEDULE SOON TO FOLLOW

Contact Us :
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Download the conference app on your mobile device. Scan by using your phone's camera!

WorkSafeNB is dedicated to ensuring that workplaces in New Brunswick are safe and healthy for both workers and employers. To ensure this, they organize an Annual Health and Safety Conference this year featuring 29 workshops focused on addressing the latest health and safety concerns and trends. The conference is designed to cater to a wide range of participants and provide valuable information to all those interested in creating and maintaining safe work environments.

OPENING PLENARY

Spencer Beach *Burn Survivor, Safety Culture and Workplace Safety Expert.*

Culture of Care: Spencer Beach will share his compelling and emotional story that brings home why workplace health and safety must be priority #1, and why workplace behaviours must change. Spencer Beach overcame severe hardship, including addiction and depression, after being severely burned in a workplace accident that left him with a 5% chance of survival.



CLOSING PLENARY

Hayley Wickenheiser *Four-time Olympic Gold Medalist Member of the Hockey Hall of Fame (S.I.)*

Buck it!: Dr. Hayley Wickenheiser is considered one of the best female hockey players in the world. Seven world championships, six Olympic appearances, five Olympic medals – she is a titan of sport and a leader both on and off the ice. Today, Wickenheiser is the assistant general manager of player development for the Toronto Maple Leafs as well as a community leader, medical doctor, and businesswoman who inspires audiences to give their best in everything they do.





Steps for Life 2023 - New Brunswick Online Event

When you're walking for families of workplace tragedy, every step counts!

Steps for Life - Walking for Families of Workplace Tragedy is a fun 5 km fundraising walk to help support families affected by life-altering workplace injuries, illnesses and deaths. It's a unique way to educate your community about the devastating ripple effects of a workplace tragedy and how we can work together to prevent others from being injured or killed on the job. You can make a difference too.

This year, Steps for Life 2023 - New Brunswick Online Event will be an online event. What's really exciting about an online Steps for Life 2023 - New Brunswick Online Event is the versatility! Plan your own walk with your household, or in any manner that respects local public health guidelines. Safety is always first with Steps for Life.

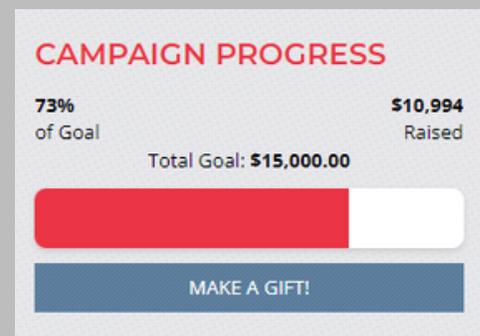
Event: Steps for Life 2023 - New Brunswick Online Event

Event Date: *Walk any day in May*

Event Location: Online Event

Event City/Province: New Brunswick

How can you join? Click one of the red buttons! Register to walk, or make a donation to support Steps for Life 2023 - New Brunswick Online Event as we walk for families affected by workplace tragedy.



How Can Your Dollars Help Families of Workplace Tragedy?

- Train family members to become injury prevention champions in our National Speakers Bureau.
- Send family members to a Regional Family Forum to help them learn healthy coping skills.
- Allow family members to receive peer support from a Volunteer Family Guide.

Regional Development Coordinator: Sarah de Lange

Phone: 1-888-567-9490 ext. 108

Email: sdelange@threadsoflife.ca





Job Posting!

Manager of Training and Development

NBCSA is a leading provider of construction safety training and safety program auditing. We are currently seeking applicants for the position “Manager of Training and Development”.

Job Description:

Reporting to the General Manager, this position requires the review, revision, development, and delivery of construction specific training courses for the New Brunswick Construction Safety Association. The successful candidate will be responsible for the curriculum for eLearning, virtual and in person training platforms.

Area of Responsibility:

Maintain high-level of quality, programs, and training solutions. Identify the right learning strategy and solutions to meet NBCSA’s objectives. Provide direction and coordinate the activities of NBCSA’s Training Department team.

Key Responsibilities:

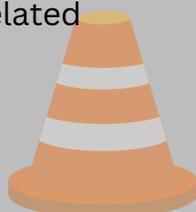
- Evaluate training and development needs in an ongoing basis and provide regular follow-up.
- Develop, create, and revise training programs/content on identified learning needs to address the competency/skills gap of the industry.
- Create training materials such as student manuals and PowerPoint presentations.
- Keep up to date with training trends, developments, and best practices in the industry.
- Track effectiveness of training programs and provide regular follow-up.
- Liaise with the construction industry and industry partners such as WorkSafeNB.
- Prepare and present public presentations for conferences and for industry partners.
- Participate in National and local committees.

Communication Skills:

The successful candidate will be proficient in written and spoken English. Proficiency in French is considered a definite asset.

Education:

Post secondary education in Occupational Health and Safety or Adult Education, or related discipline. NCSO®, GSC, CRSP, CRST or similar safety certification preferred.





Job Posting!

Manager of Training and Development (continued)

Experience/Qualification:

- At minimum five years of Construction Safety Experience.
- Experience as an adult educator and in course development, design, training, and facilitation.
- Proficiency with Microsoft 365 (MS Word, Excel, PowerPoint), Teams & data-entry skills.
- Comprehensive knowledge of Provincial Occupational Health and Safety Regulations and NBCSA's COR® Program.
- Experience as team leader.
- Ability and means to travel within the province.
- Must have strong organizational and time management skills.
- Demonstrated ability to work independently and as part of a team.

NBCSA offers an excellent benefit package after the completion of a 90-day probationary period. Compensation will be evaluated based on experience.

Job Type:

Full Time – 40 Hour Week, Monday to Friday.

Applications will be received until June 2nd, 2023.

No phone calls, please. Only select candidates will be contacted for the interview process.

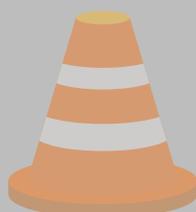
Schedule:

- Monday to Friday

Work Location:

- Hybrid remote in Miramichi, NB

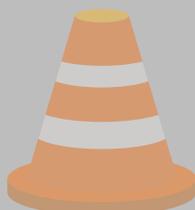
[Click here to apply](#)





May

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>1st - 3rd: 8:30 am Saint John Joint Health & Safety Committee</p> <p>1st-2nd: 8:30 am Miramichi Confined Space Awareness Generic</p>				
<p>8th -9th: 8:30 am Fredericton Confined Space Awareness Generic</p> <p>8th-9th: 8:30 am Miramichi Occupational Health & Safety Act</p>		<p>10th: 8:30 am Fredericton Incident Investigation</p>	<p>11th: 8:30 am Edmundston Fall Protection I Basics for Workers</p> <p>11th: 8:30 am Moncton Lockout</p>	<p>12th: 8:30 am Saint John JHSC Blended</p>
<p>15th-16th: 8:30 am Edmundston Confined Space Awareness Generic</p> <p>15th-16th: 8:30 am Fredericton Principles of Loss Control</p>		<p>17th-19th: 8:30 am Fredericton Joint Health & Safety Committee</p>	<p>18th: 8:30 am Tracadie Fall Protection I Basics for Workers</p>	<p>19th: 8:30 am Saint John Fall Protection I Basics for Workers</p>





May

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	<p>23rd-24th: 8:30 am Saint John Confined Space Awareness Generic</p> <p>23rd-24th: 8:30 am Tracadie Confined Space Awareness Generic</p> <p>23rd: 8:30 am Fredericton Rigging Awareness</p>		<p>25th: 8:30 am Edmundston Hazard Identification & Control</p> <p>25th: 8:30 am Fredericton PLC Audit</p>	<p>26th: 8:30 am Miramichi Fall Protection I Basics for Workers</p>
<p>29th-30th: 8:30 am Miramichi Confined Space Awareness Generic</p> <p>29th: 8:30 am Moncton Manlift Safety Awareness</p> <p>29th: 8:30 am Moncton Traffic Control Person/WATCM Awareness</p>	<p>30th: 8:30 am Moncton DTI WATCM 2021</p>	<p>31st: 8:30 am Saint John Hazard Identification & Control</p>		

