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Product focus

Trends in the training/ software industry

One trend is to have employees actively involved in the recognition, evaluation and control of workplace hazards. By being part of the decision-making process, employees are more likely to buy into the occupational health and safety systems put into place.

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Current trends in the industry include a "hybrid" or "blended" approach to training, which allows for the necessity and effectiveness of an onsite instructor while providing the flexibility and cost savings provided by Web-based learning.

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One trend in safety compliance today is providing a work environment free of hazards — focusing on safety, not on OSHA compliance. A majority of safety managers surveyed viewed workers' comp costs to be more of a motivating factor than OSHA regulations. Therefore, wellness programs are cropping up all over.



HazWoper training

Any employee trained in accordance with the Hazardous Waste Operations and Emergency Response standard must receive annual refresher training of sufficient content and duration to maintain their competencies. 3E provides an 8-hour annual refresher training to satisfy this requirement. Certification of each participant is contingent upon successful completion of training.

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Fire prevention inspection software

Inspection Manager FLX 2.5 features signature capture and onsite report printing. The software is designed to assist fire departments that are finding less time to conduct thousands of fire prevention inspections and decrease space to file paper documentation. The system also can be used to document inspections on fire equipment requiring maintenance checks.

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