

Reference Texts

Although information may not be as current as that obtained on-line, authoritative texts represent a convenient first, and often definitive, source of information. A few of the more significant ones are:

Applied Occupational and Environmental Hygiene, Cincinnati, OH ; American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists,

Threshold Limit Values (TLVs®) for Chemical Substances and Physical Agents and Biological Exposure Indices (BEIs®), American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, Cincinnati, OH, 2003;

Emergency Response Planning Guidelines and Workplace Environmental Exposure Level Guidelines Handbook; American Industrial Hygiene Association, AIHA Press, Fairfax, VA, 2000.

Noise and Hearing Conservation Manual, 4th Edition, American Industrial Hygiene Association, Fairfax, VA, 1986

Safety Through Design; National Safety Council, Itasca, IL, 1999.

Patty's Industrial Hygiene and Toxicology, 4th Edition, Part A.; John Wiley and Sons, New York, NY, 1991.

Handbook of Occupational Safety and Health, 2nd Edition, John Wiley and Sons, New York, 1998.

Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know Act of 1986 (EPCRA) Title III of Superfund Amendments and Re-authorization Act, PL 99-499.

Occupational Safety Management and Engineering, 4th Edition, Prentice-Hall, Englewood Cliffs, NJ, 1989.

Handbook of Fire Protection Engineering, 3rd Edition, National Fire Protection Association, Quincy, MA, 2002.

Professional Ethics and Insignia, 2nd Edition, Scarecrow Press, Lanham, MD, 2000.

Total Quality Safety Management and Auditing, Lewis Publishers, Boca Raton, FL, 1997.

The Occupational Environment Its Evaluation and Control; American Industrial Hygiene Association; 1997, 1336 pages.

Fundamentals of Industrial Hygiene; 4th Ed. National Safety Council, Chicago, IL; 1996.

Occupational Medicine, 3rd Edition; Zenz C, Dickerson OB, Horvath EP (Eds). Mosby, 1994. 1336 pages providing information on occupational medicine principles and practice as well as on specific hazards and agents.

Encyclopedia of Occupational Health and Safety, 3rd Edition; International Labor Office/Boyd Printing, 1991. Extensive information on all aspects of OHS, including occupational diseases, hazards, prevention, institutions. Two volume set of over 3,600 pages. 4th edition, with a CD-ROM version, scheduled for printing in late 1997.

Practical Loss Control Leadership, Revised Edition 1990; Frank E Byrd and George L Germain International Loss Control Institute. Focuses on the Conservation of People, Property, Process and Profits

Physical and Biological Hazards in the Workplace; Wald P, Stave G. Van Nostrand Reinhold Co., 1994. Focuses on physical and biological hazard in the workplace and serves as a companion to Proctor and Hughes' Chemical Hazards in the Workplace (see next listing). Available on CD-ROM.

Proctor and Hughes' Chemical Hazards in the Workplace; 4th Ed. Hathaway GJ, Proctor NH, Hughes JP, Fischman ML. Van Nostrand Reinhold Co. 1996. This is the classic text on over 500 chemicals that may produce workplace exposure. Provides definitive information on effects of exposure and on treatment approaches.

Patty's Industrial Hygiene, 5th revised edition; Harris RL, Ed. John Wiley & Sons Inc., 2000. Guide to principles and practice of industrial hygiene and hazard evaluation and control. Four volume set. CD-ROM version available. Previous editions published with title: Patty's Industrial Hygiene and Toxicology.

Patty's Toxicology, 5th edition; Bingham E, Cohrssen, B, Powell, CH, Eds. John Wiley & Sons Inc., 2001. A comprehensive guide to toxicological data for industrial chemicals. Coverage includes other industrial toxicology issues. Eight volume set with cumulative index. CD-ROM version available. Previous editions published with title: Patty's Industrial Hygiene and Toxicology.

Industrial Ventilation: A Manual of Recommended Practice, 25th Edition, [ACGIH](#) (Author) Industrial Ventilation; Practical handbook for Industrial Hygiene Practice

Recognition of Health Hazards in Industries: A Review of Materials and Processes, 2nd Edition; Burgess WA. John Wiley & Sons, Inc. 1995. Contains work-site analyses that facilitate recognition of health problems in design and operation of industrial processes. In addition to identifying health issues, provides information on control measures.

Occupational Health Nursing--Concepts and Practice; Rogers B. W.B. Saunders Co., 1994. Primary reference for occupational health nursing principles and practice. Provides clinical nursing guidelines for common occupational health problems.

On the Practice of Safety; Manuele FA. Von Nostrand Reinhold Co., 1993. Discussion of basic principles and aspects of safety as an evolving discipline.

Basic Guide to Accident Investigation and Loss Control; Vincoll J. Van Nostrand Reinhold Co., 1994. Provides information on safety principles, techniques, including preparation of safety system applications.

The above represent only a small listing of the many textbooks available. OHS groups periodically provide listings of "Core" OHS libraries. One example is that prepared through a peer-review process by the American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine. The list is revised approximately every two years, and the most recent version was printed in the Journal of Occupational and Environmental Medicine in May, 1997. (JOEM 1997;39:469-480)

Journals

Professional journals provide information on research, clinical practice, prevention techniques, new hazards, and similar topics. A few examples include:

American Industrial Hygiene Journal, published by the American Industrial Hygiene Association.

American Journal of Industrial Medicine, published by John Wiley & Sons, Inc.

Annals of Occupational Hygiene, published by Elsevier Science Publishers.

Applied Occupational and Environmental Hygiene, published by the American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists, Inc.

Archives of Environmental Health, published by Heldref Publications.

International Archives of Occupational and Environmental Health, published by Springer Verlag.

Journal of Occupational and Environmental Medicine, published by Williams & Wilkins.

Journal of Toxicology--Clinical Toxicology, published by Marcel Dekker.

Occupational and Environmental Medicine (formerly British Journal of Industrial Medicine), published by BMJ Publishing Group.

Scandinavian Journal of Work, Environment, and Health, published by the Finnish Institute of Occupational Health.

Internet Sites

General

[Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety](#)
[CCOHS Safety Related Internet Resources](#)
[Department of Agriculture](#)
[Department of Energy - Idaho National Engineering Laboratory \(INEL\)](#)
[Department of Health & Human Services](#)
[Department of Labor \(DOL\)](#)
[Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics \(BLS\)](#)
[Environmental Protection Agency \(EPA\)](#)
[Food and Drug Administration \(FDA\)](#)
[Library of Congress](#)
[NASA](#)
[National Academy of Sciences](#)
[NIOSH \(National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health\)](#)
[OSHA National Office in Washington, D.C.](#)
[Rocky Mountain Center for Occupational and Environmental Health](#)
[University of California, Irvine Health Promotion Center](#)
[US Department of Health and Human Services](#)

Ergonomics

[University of London Ergonomics and Human Computer Interaction](#)
[UVA's Ergonomics Program](#)

Hazardous Substances

[Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry](#)
[Chemical Manufacturers Association \(CMA\)](#)
[Chemistry Information on the Internet - Northern Illinois University](#)
[MSU Radiation, Chemical and Biological Safety](#)
[Society for Chemical Hazard Communication](#)

Industrial Hygiene

[American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists](#)
[American Industrial Hygiene Association](#)
[Army IH Program Home Page](#)
[British Occupational Hygiene Society \(BOHS\)](#)

Medical

[American Academy of Physician Assistants in Occupational Medicine](#)
[American Association of Occupational Health Nurses \(AAOHN\)](#)
[American Board for Occupational Health Nurses \(ABOHN\)](#)
[American Board of Industrial Hygiene \(ABIH\)](#)
[American College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine \(ACOEM\)](#)

[American Dental Association](#)
[American Heart Association](#)
[American Lung Association](#)
[American Nurses Association](#)
[American Petroleum Institute \(API\)](#)
[American Public Health Association \(APHA\)](#)
[American Red Cross](#)
[Association of Occupational and Environmental Clinics \(AOEC\)](#)
[Board of Certified Safety Professionals \(BCSP\)](#)
[CDC \(Centers For Disease Control and Prevention\)](#)
[Duke University Occupational and Environmental Medicine](#)
[Emergency Cardiovascular Care](#)
[Medline Plus Health Information](#)
[National Cancer Institute \(NCI\)](#)
[National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute \(NHLBI\)](#)
[National Institutes of Health](#)
[National Library of Medicine \(NLM\)](#)
[Worksafe Australia, National Occupational Health & Safety Commission](#)
[Worksafe Western Australia](#)
[World Health Organization](#)

Safety

[American National Standards Institute \(ANSI\)](#)
[American Society of Safety Engineers \(ASSE\)](#)
[Building and Fire Research Laboratory \(BFRL\)](#)
[Commercial Vehicle Safety Alliance](#)
[European Agency for Safety and Health at Work](#)
[National Electrical Safety Foundation \(NESF\)](#)
[National Safety Council](#)
[National Safety Education Center](#)
[OSHWEB](#)
[University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee Environmental Health and Safety Link Page](#)
[Utah Safety Council](#)
[Workers Health & Safety Centre, Ontario, Canada](#)

The following internet sites and others provide extensive lists of links to additional information available on the internet.

[American Industrial Hygiene Association, Safety Links](#)
[American Society of Mechanical Engineers \(ASME\)](#)
[American Society for Testing and Materials \(ASTM\)](#)
[Army IH Program Home Page](#)
[Asphalt Institute](#)
[Christie Communications \(Business\)](#)
[CTDNews](#)
[Directory of Occupational Health and Environmental Health Links](#), University of Edinburgh
[Ergo Web](#)
[European Committee for Standardization](#)
[Federal Aviation Agency \(FAA\)](#)

[Fedworld](#)
[Finland Institute of Occupational Health](#)
[Healthfinder and Human Services Information, DHHS](#)
[Health Resources and Services Administration \(HRSA\)](#)
[IH Web Sites of Interest, ACGIH](#)
[International Organization for Standards \(ISO\)](#)
[MSHA Silicosis Prevention Homepage](#)
[National Association of Fire Equipment Distributors \(NAFED\)](#)
[National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors](#)
[National Fire Protection Association \(NFPA\)](#)
[National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences \(NIEHS\)](#)
[National Technical Information Service](#)
[Oklahoma State University EHS: Other Links of Interest](#)
[Small Business Administration \(SBA\)](#)
[University of North Carolina - SunSite](#)
[Swedish National Institute of Occupational Health \(NIOH\)](#)
[THOMAS: Legislative Information on the Internet](#)
[Underwriters Laboratories Inc. \(UL\)](#)
[United Nations Environment Programme](#)
[United States Fire Administration \(USFA\)](#)
[Vermont SIRI Web Site,](#)

Links to Other Safety Information on the Internet

[Veteran's Administration \(VA\)](#)