

WELCOME . . .

. . . to a training course of the National Safety Council.



The National Safety Council is a nonprofit organization whose mission is to save lives by preventing injuries and deaths at work, in homes and communities and on the road through leadership, research, education and advocacy. NSC advances this mission by partnering with businesses, government agencies, elected officials and the public to make an impact where the most preventable injuries and deaths occur, in areas such as workplace, distracted driving, teen driving, prescription drug overdoses and Safe Communities.

Founded in 1913 and chartered by Congress, the National Safety Council relies on research to determine optimal solutions to safety issues. Its educational efforts aim to change behaviors by building awareness, providing training and sharing best practices. The Council recognizes organizations that have focused on safety as a critical part of their operational excellence with the Robert W. Campbell Award®, safety's most prestigious honor. The NSC Congress & Expo is the world's largest annual event dedicated to safety, and *Safety+Health*® magazine is a leading source of occupational safety and health information. Offering a variety of learning options, NSC is a world leader in Defensive Driving, First Aid and Workplace Safety training. Each year the Green Cross for Safety® award from NSC celebrates safety excellence, innovation and advocacy. NSC administers the Safe Communities America® program, guiding community stakeholders to reduce injuries and promote safety for the residents of their communities.

The National Safety Council is committed to helping its members and the public prevent unintentional injuries and deaths through a wide variety of resources that advance them on their Journey to Safety Excellence. This Journey outlines a process of continuous improvement in leadership and employee engagement, safety management systems, risk reduction and performance measurement. With local Chapters and global networks, NSC is the leading advocate for safety and promotes June as National Safety Month.

Learn more at nsc.org

How the Council Operates

The National Safety Council is not a governmental agency. We do not have the authority to legislate or regulate. But, we do have the ability to influence public opinions, attitudes, and behavior. We serve as an impartial information broker by bringing together safety and health professionals with government, association, and media representatives to form national coalitions on key safety and health issues.

In its mission of protecting life and promoting health, the Council works with hundreds of allied organizations in industry, labor, government, education, and the community at-large, as well as with 45 independently operated Chapters and Affiliates. Because it is a public service organization, the Council can be impartial in its dealings with all groups and individuals.

The National Safety Council method is to achieve consensus on safety and health topics through its volunteer members and coalitions of organizations. It then disseminates the best possible information through its massive communications network of publications, training programs, audiovisual materials, and news releases and broadcast public service messages.

Each year, the Council sponsors the NSC Congress and Expo, the world's largest annual gathering of safety, health, and environmental professionals where more than 12,000 professionals participate. The Congress features Keynote Speakers, more than 130 Technical Sessions and more than 26 Professional Development Seminars covering the latest developments in safety and health. Plus, more than 800 exhibiting companies are on hand showcasing the latest cutting-edge safety products and services.

TRAINING EFFORTS OF THE NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL

All National Safety Council workplace safety training is offered through our Training and Education Services. This designation is an umbrella that covers, among other offerings, all of our open enrollment courses, on-site training, professional development seminars and packaged training programs.

Certificate Programs The National Safety Council Workplace Safety Certificate programs can help lower risks and costs. Choose from the following programs:

- Certificate in Principles of Safety*
- Advanced Safety Certificate*

Where Workplace Safety Courses Are Offered

NSC offers courses coast to coast, year round. They are all developed by experts in the field and delivered by National Safety Council certified instructors. In short, training through NSC offers the same consistent level of high quality training, regardless of where or when a person takes the course.

Through our Local Chapter network, NSC ensures consistent high quality training on a national level offering open enrollment courses at multiple locations with numerous course date options.

How to Reach Us

Check our website at **nsc.org** or contact us at 800-621-7619 for additional information.

Our Commitment to Customers and Quality

Because of our commitment to quality, NSC core courses reflect a unified safety and health philosophy, and consistent use of instructional design principles and elements. Material is presented in a realistic, case study style. And, participants are actively and consistently engaged in their learning experience through a variety of activities and discussions, receiving immediate personal feedback from facilitators.

The following list highlights special features of our courses.

- A Participant Workbook provides participants with information on safety and health related topics as well references to resources for additional information.
- There is use of discussions, practices, and a variety of group activities in the course. This increases participant retention and recall of concepts that provide a basis for effective incident investigations.
- “Back on the Job” activities or module checklists enable participants to put principles into practice when they return to their jobs.
- A variety of resources are available to participants when they return to the job. These include course materials, references to Council publications, contacts with National or Chapter Safety Council consultants, and peers met in the program.

Highly Qualified Facilitators

To ensure that current information and practical strategies for implementing safety and health efforts are addressed in courses, NSC hires highly qualified full-time and contract facilitators. Facilitators are hands-on practitioners with many years of experience in a wide variety of settings. They come from a nationwide group of professionals, representing various industries, universities, and consulting groups. Many have advanced degrees and are certified in the safety and health fields. NSC facilitators are committed to sharing their valuable knowledge and experience.