

## **OMA SAFETY WEBINARS: 2025 Calendar**

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We email webinar announcements each month. To receive webinar announcements, subscribe to the Safety & Workers' Compensation committee under the My Communities tab in your My OMA profile.

These 60-minute webinars begin at 10 a.m. on the scheduled dates. (Click the dates below to register.)

Thursday, March 6	<b>Top OSHA Violations and Citations in Manufacturing</b> – OSHA publishes their top 10 violations each year. During this webinar, we'll review the top violations that are applicable to manufacturing and offer solutions to prevent citations.
Thursday, April 3	Heat Stress Programs: OSHA NEP and Standard Update – OSHA has had a National Emphasis Program on heat stress for several years. They have also published a draft standard. This webinar will update participants on the status of both and review key elements to an effective heat stress program.
Thursday, May 1	Hazard Assessments: How to Accomplish and Document – The OSHA PPE standard requires documented hazard assessments. This webinar will talk about what's required as well as what's best practice.
Thursday, June 5	Machine Guarding & Power Press Operation Training – Machine safeguarding is always a topic of confusion. This webinar will cover the OSHA requirements for machine safety guarding and training.
Thursday, July 10	The Ins and Outs of Lock, Tag, Try (LOTO) – The control of hazardous energy continues to be one of the top 10 OSHA violations every year. This webinar will explain what is required, including annual inspections and what limited exceptions are permissible.
Thursday, August 7	Engage in Safety Committee, Training, Inspections – An effective safety culture depends upon employee engagement. In this webinar, we'll explore ways to engage all team members in safety.
Thursday, September 4	<b>Emergency Plans: Shelter in Place, Evacuations</b> – Emergency action plans are the foundation for ensuring safe response to emergencies. In this webinar, we'll talk about planning elements for both sheltering in place and for evacuating.
Thursday, October 2	Protecting Employees from Inhalation and Noise – Assessing potential inhalation and noise exposures is key to protecting workers from chronic illness. This webinar will explain qualitative and quantitative exposure assessments as well as common air contaminants.
Thursday, November 13	<b>Training: Beyond Videos and Classroom Presentations</b> – OSHA requires safety training to address many hazards. If investing the resources in training, make sure it's effective and appropriate. This webinar will talk about means of delivering effective training.
Thursday, December 18	Bloodborne Pathogens – Exposure to bloodborne pathogens is not limited to medical facilities. This webinar will address the potential exposures in manufacturing and what program elements are required by OSHA.

Note: The Bureau of Workers' Compensation (BWC) requires employers that participate in a group experience rating or group retrospective rating plan – and that sustain a claim in the "green period" – to complete two hours of safety training or complete BWC's online accident analysis form and associated accident analysis course. Each of these webinars qualifies for one hour of BWC-mandated training.

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