

CDC Occupational Safety And Health Stats



An overview of occupational health and safety statistics compiled by the CDC.



OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH

America can be more competitive and more productive with safer, healthier workplaces. CDC plays a critical role in this by helping prevent illness, injury, disability, and death caused by workplace exposures. Our research and practical tools help keep workers safe from work-related illnesses and injuries. We work with states and industry to improve worker safety and health.



1 MINUTE

A young worker (15-24 years) is injured on the job every minute in the U.S.



1 IN 3

More than 1 in 3 truck drivers who died in 2012 were not wearing seat belts.



CDC research helped improve the design of life vests to better protect fishermen from drowning.