Whether you are employed by a private company, a business owner, or work for a public agency, you and your co-workers can benefit greatly from attending this safety conference. The purpose of this event is to enhance workplace hazard recognition and strengthen a culture of workplace safety, thereby reducing employee injuries and illnesses.

While these virtual conferences are intended for hourly employees, we encourage all companies to also send members of their safety committees, supervisors or managers with safety responsibilities, and any others who might benefit from basic safety training. Nursing home administrators and nurses may also use this training for continuing education purposes.

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Up to 25 People are allowed to attend in House.
Masks will be required.
CDC Guide lines will be enforced at all times.
8:30 am: Opening Statements - Local Little Rock Conference Representative and Ralph T. Hudson, Director, Division of Labor, ADLL

8:45 am: OSHA Updates - John Wolfe, Compliance Assistant, OSHA Little Rock Area

This presentation will cover the top 10 violations, Arkansas fatalities and amputations, and the national, regional, and area office changes.

9:30 am: Break

9:40 am: Rebuilding a Safety Program Starting with the A.B.C.’s – Michael Marrs, Safety Director, JA Riggs Tractor Co.

Presentation will cover basic responsibilities of employer and employees as relates to policies and procedures of wearing PPE, speaking up for safety of co-workers, and creating high levels of accountability and responsibility.

10:30 am: Break

10:40 am: Determining Mental Health Problems in the Workplace and How to Correct Those Problems – Mike Clowers, Corporate Chaplains of America

This presentation will include what employers need to do to engage with the workforce to determine if an employee has been impacted by a critical incident and how to communicate and assist effected employees.

11:30 am: Lunch

12:00 pm: How to Create a Pro-Active Safety Environment Instead of a Reactive Environment - Keneasha Scott, K Scott Consults

This presentation will provide information on how employers and employees should correct potential and obvious hazards before an incident or accident happens while making sure policy and procedures are current.

5 Minute Break

12:50 pm: Health and Safety Hazard Recognition - Tonia Cooper and Janelta Pickett, ADLL

This presentation will include how to identify safety and health hazards and how to correct and improve on them.

1:30 pm: Closing