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WHY OFFER WORKPLACE SAFETY TRAINING?

The YMCA of Springfield cares about our community and local businesses. The more people who are trained in CPR, the more good our community can do to help one another. This is one of the reasons that we are offering CPR training through American Safety & Health Institute’s (ASHI) Basic Life Support Class. We also offer their Basic First Aid and Basic Oxygen classes. With our qualified trainers, updated equipment, and scheduling flexibility we hope to team up with your team to help provide create a better trained community! The life that may be saved could be yours!

From compliance obligations to preventing injuries and saving lives, there are a lot of good reasons to offer safety training at your business. Whether your company is a multi-location global conglomerate or a one-room start-up, there are compelling reasons to ensure your employees have the knowledge and skills to keep themselves and their coworkers safe, and help your management avoid costly fines.

Some benefits of providing safety training may not be as obvious as others. An article at the Huffington Post reminds employers that a robust safety culture can help a business build staff loyalty, provide positive press for an organization and reduce hidden costs by lowering insurance premiums.

Above all other reasons is the one that may be the most obvious. Workplace safety training, together with staying in regulatory compliance, works. According to OSHA:

"In the four decades since the Occupational Safety and Health Act (OSH Act) was signed into law, workplace deaths and reported occupational injuries have dropped by more than 60 percent."


When you put together your employee training schedule, please consider adding the Springfield YMCA to your list of providers. We offer BLS (CPR/AED), Basic First Aid, and Oxygen training at our location or yours. Classroom or Blended (online/classroom) classes available. Some training costs may be tax deductible. Please consult your accountant for details related to safety training costs in your business.

Please visit our website at SpringfieldYMCA.org and visit ‘Classes & Schedules’ and ‘Safety’ for more information and contact info.