SAFETY CULTURE | APRIL SAFETY SEGMENTS

A culture is the shared attitudes, beliefs, and values of a group. In the workplace a culture is the shared attitudes, beliefs, and values an organization commits to that influences their practices in pursuing their organizational goals. When you consider that definition, a safety culture is the shared attitude and belief that safety must be amongst the highest values that guides an organization, meaning, safety should influence every function within an organization while pursuing their main goal of providing services or producing goods.

ORGANIZATIONAL CULTURE

DIRECTIONS

Start out the discussion by setting the expectations for creating a safe space and being respectful of everyone's feedback. Print out or share an electronic copy of "The Basics of a Strong Culture" by a Great Place to Work. After everyone is done, use the guiding questions to facilitate a group discussion.

SAFETY SEGMENT DISCUSSION

Guiding Questions:

- What is the backbone of an organization's culture?
- What are the key 10 elements when it comes to building a strong culture?

Alternative Activity:

You can also watch play the video "The importance of a safety culture – a healthy safety culture!" by the CCSA.

- How can workplaces be safer working places?

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