

# HAZARD ASSESSMENT & REPORTING

## JULY SAFETY SEGMENTS



The Alberta legislation states that a hazard is a "situation, condition, or, thing that may be dangerous to the health and safety of workers." With the help of hazard assessments, we are able to build a healthier and much safer workplace. This process provides the workplace an opportunity to prevent injuries and illnesses by identifying any hazards and implementing appropriate controls.

## TYPES OF HAZARD ASSESSMENTS

### DIRECTIONS

Start the discussion by setting the expectations for creating a safe space and respecting everyone's feedback. Print out or show an electronic copy of the [Types of Hazard Assessments](#) infographic by the CCSA. After everyone is done, use the guiding questions below to facilitate a group discussion.

### SAFETY SEGMENT DISCUSSION

Guiding Questions:

- What is the difference between Informal and Formal Hazard Assessments?
- When should a Site-Specific Hazard Assessment be done?
- When is a High Risk/Complex Task Hazard Assessment needed?

Notes to the Team Leader:

- Facilitate an atmosphere of support and openness to feedback by encouraging the staff to share experiences or opinions without fear of reprisal.



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