



December 19, 2024

Secretary-Treasurers

Dear Union Family:

Subject: Intro to OH&S (two-day workshop)

HEU invites all members and alternates representing HEU on Joint Occupational Health and Safety (JOHS) Committees to our Introductory Occupational Health and Safety (OH&S) workshops.

Participants will have the opportunity to:

- discuss their experiences and to examine patterns of OH&S concerns
- understand the *Workers' Compensation Act* (The Act) and OH&S Regulation (OHSR) requirements
- understand the structure, roles, and functions of the JOHS Committee
- learn how to take action and to apply the Act and Regulation to resolve OH&S concerns

Please select the workshop closest to the region where you live. The workshop schedule is listed by region with further dates to follow:

WORKSHOP DATE	LOCATION	DEADLINE
March 25-26	Nanaimo	Feb. 10
April 23-24	Kamloops	March 5
May 14-15	Kelowna	March 26
June 3-4	Cranbrook	April 8
June 25-26	Victoria	May 7
Sept. 9-10	Terrace	July 22
Sept. 23-24	Dawson Creek	August 5
Oct. 29-30	Provincial Office	Sept. 10

Please fill out the attached application form by the indicated deadline for your location and return to the provincial office attention: Kim Turton, Education and Human Rights Department. Please return one copy of the application – either by mail, email to education@heu.org or fax at 604-456-7068. Alternatively, an online form is available on our website at www.heu.org.

We will contact successful applicants by email to confirm further details. Please ensure the email address on your application is current and is your primary email contact where we will send information regarding the workshop. Please do not use your employer's email address. Once applicants have been notified, they will be required to apply for a leave of absence for union business, where applicable.

If you have any questions regarding this workshop, please contact Kim Turton by phone at 604-456-7068 or by email at education@heu.org.

In solidarity,



Lynn Bueckert
Secretary-Business Manager

Attachment

cc: Chairpersons
Reps and Directors
Provincial Executive