

Hazard Analysis:

Centers on job tasks as a way to identify hazards before they occur, and focuses on the relationship between the worker, the task, the tools, and the work environment. The findings of a job hazard analysis can be used to eliminate and prevent hazards in the workplace. This is likely to result in fewer worker injuries and illnesses; safer, more effective work methods; reduced workers' compensation costs; and increased worker productivity. The analysis also can be a valuable tool for training new employees in the steps required to perform their jobs safely.