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THE DISASTER HANDBOOK
Contains information on disaster preparedness, during or after the disaster, home/farm recovery, floods, hurricanes and other related subjects.
http://disaster.ifas.ufl.edu

EXTENSION DISASTER EDUCATION NETWORK (EDEN)
Provides a variety of information on preparing for and responding to disasters of all types including those impacting agriculture.
https://extensiondisaster.net/

FEDERAL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY (FEMA)
Helping people before, during, and after disasters, FEMA is an agency of the United States Department of Homeland Security. FEMA offers a wide variety of online courses to enhance the preparedness and response skills of first-responders.
https://www.fema.gov/

INDIANA-PURDUE RURAL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS (INPREPARED)
Educational materials and resources, training opportunities, and current topics concerning rural emergency preparedness issues affecting Indiana farms, rural residents, and first responders.
www.INPREPared.org
TELLING THE STORY PROJECT
Personal stories from farm accident victims or surviving family members and friends, and links to safety resources.
https://tellingthestoryproject.org/

Federal Government Departments, Agencies, or Supported Programs

AGRABILITY PROJECT - NATIONAL PROJECT
USDA AgrAbility Project provides technical assistance to farmers, ranchers, farm workers and their families impacted by disabilities. Site provides access to resources, webinars, upcoming events and a catalogue of adaptive aids. Provides contact information for each of the State and Regional AgrAbility Project.
http://www.agrability.org/

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION (CDC)
Publications, resources, statistics, funding and training opportunities, and links to other federal and international agencies.
www.cdc.gov

CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION – AGRICULTURAL SAFETY
CDC and NIOSH initiatives, programs, and educational resources relating to agricultural safety and health.
https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/topics/aginjury/default.html

CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION
CPSC, an independent Federal regulatory agency, helps keep American families safe by reducing the risk of injury or death from consumer products. Site contains product recall information, statistics, and more.
www.cpsc.gov

COOPERATIVE EXTENSION SYSTEM
The Cooperative Extension Service provides non-formal education and learning activities to people throughout the country. This site provides links to each state's land-grant universities which coordinate Extension programs, including agricultural safety.

E-XTENSION AG SAFETY AND HEALTH
Online resource that provides access and links to educational materials and programs related to agricultural safety and health from throughout the national Cooperative Extension system.
ag-safety.extension.org
MEDLINEPLUS – FARM HEALTH AND SAFETY
U.S. National Library of Medicine site with links to agricultural safety and health resources and searchable database of journal articles relating to farm safety issues.
https://medlineplus.gov/farmhealthandsafety.html

NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL SAFETY DATABASE (NASD)
The database was developed with funding from the National Institute of Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). The information contained in NASD was contributed by safety professionals and organizations from across the nation. NASD has numerous archived and current documents on agricultural safety and health available in both English and Spanish.
http://www.nasdonline.org

NATIONAL HIGHWAY AND TRAFFIC SAFETY ADMINISTRATION (NHTSA)
Events, "What's New?" feature, and links to other transportation sites. Data on highway-related incidents and vehicle safety issues available.
www.nhtsa.dot.gov

NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (NIOSH)
Information, services, and links to other occupational web sites. Special alerts on agricultural workplace hazards available.
www.cdc.gov/niosh

NIOSH CENTERS FOR AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH
Eleven research, outreach, and educational centers distributed throughout the nation established by NIOSH to be responsive to agricultural safety and health issues unique to the different regions.
https://www.cdc.gov/niosh/oep/agctrhom.html
  • NORTHEAST CENTER FOR OCCUPATIONAL HEALTH AND SAFETY
    http://www.necenter.org/
  • UPPER MIDWEST AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH CENTER
    http://umash.umn.edu/
  • HIGH PLAINS INTERMOUNTAIN CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL HEALTH & SAFETY
    http://csu-cvmbs.colostate.edu/academics/erhs/agricultural-health-and-safety/Pages/default.aspx
  • NATIONAL CHILDREN’S CENTER FOR RURAL AND AGRICULTURAL HEALTH AND SAFETY
    http://www.marshfieldresearch.org/nccrahs
  • WESTERN CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL HEALTH AND SAFETY
    https://aghealth.ucdavis.edu/
  • SOUTHEASTERN COASTAL CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL HEALTH AND SAFETY
    http://www.sccahs.org
  • GREAT PLAINS CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL HEALTH
    https://www.public-health.uiowa.edu/gpcah/
• SOUTHEAST CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL HEALTH AND INJURY PREVENTION
  https://www.uky.edu/scahip/

• CENTRAL STATES CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH
  https://www.unmc.edu/publichealth/cscash/

• SOUTHWEST CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL HEALTH, INJURY PREVENTION, AND EDUCATION
  https://www.uthct.edu/swagc-overview

• PACIFIC NORTHWEST AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEATH CENTER
  http://deohs.washington.edu/pnash/

OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION AGRICULTURAL OPERATIONS
Overview of agricultural safety issues and related statistics. Links to OSHA agricultural safety standards and various educational resources, including numerous publications and fact sheets.
https://www.osha.gov/dsg/topics/agriculturaloperations/index.html

RURAL INFORMATION CENTER (RIC)
Upcoming conferences, funding sources, publications, and policy and research issues.
www.nal.usda.gov/ric

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE (USDA)
Reports, data, program information, and links to other related sites.
www.usda.gov

Safety Associations & Organizations

AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH COUNCIL OF AMERICA (ASHCA)
Non-profit coalition established in 2007 to address safety and health issues in U.S. agriculture. Site includes educational materials, news, and links to safety programming.
http://ashca.org/

AG HEALTH AND SAFETY ALLIANCE
Non-profit organization that focuses on safety and health for the next generation of agriculture. Provides educational programs and resources.
https://aghealthandsafety.com/
AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PEDIATRICS
Resources, late-breaking news, and links to other sites for parents, pediatricians, health professionals, and others interested in child and adolescent development.
www.aap.org

FARM EQUIPMENT MANUFACTURERS ASSOCIATION – SAFETY SECTION
An organization comprised of manufacturers of agricultural equipment. Make available safety resources and links, with emphasis on equipment safety.
https://www.farmequip.org/member-resoources/safety

INTERNATIONAL SOCIETY FOR AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (ISASH)
Professional organization for those working in the field of agricultural safety and health.
www.isash.org

NATIONAL CHILD SAFETY COUNCIL – FARM SAFETY
Non-profit organization dedicated to safety of children. Downloadable safety resources and activities for kids.
https://www.nationalchildsafetycouncil.org/materials/materials-by-type/farm-safety

NATIONAL SAFETY COUNCIL
News, events, membership, publications, fact sheets, and activities. Search within site for agriculture-specific materials and information, including details about National Agriculture Safety and Health Week, typically held the third week of September.
www.nsc.org

National or Regional Centers and Programs Relating to Agricultural Safety

AGRISAFE NETWORK
AgriSafe was formed in 2003 by rural nurses who believed that together they could improve the health and safety of farmers and ranchers. Today, AgriSafe builds the competency of health and safety professionals to deliver exceptional occupational agricultural health care.
https://www.agrisafe.org

CARLE CENTER FOR RURAL HEALTH AND FARM SAFETY
Educational materials, resources, and programming designed for farm and rural audiences.
https://carle.org/services/rural-health-farm-safety
CHILDREN'S SAFETY NETWORK (CSN) - EDUCATION DEVELOPMENT CENTER
Project highlights, CSN site descriptions, and links to other injury prevention sites.
www.edc.org/HHD/csn

CULTIVATE SAFETY
This site provides easy access to safety and health information for farmers, ranchers, supervisors, and media.
https://www.cultivatesafety.org/

FARM ANSWERS – FARM SAFETY LIBRARY
Links to over 200 agricultural safety and health publications from sources throughout the country.
https://farmanswers.org/LibraryList/farm_safety

HARBORVIEW INJURY PREVENTION AND RESEARCH CENTER
Overview of prevention activities, research, projects, resources and links to national and international sites.
https://depts.washington.edu/hiprc

NATIONAL CENTER FOR FARMWORKER HEALTH (NCFH)
Information resources and special projects of NCFH with migrant and seasonal farmworkers.
www.ncfh.org

NATIONAL EDUCATION CENTER FOR AG SAFETY (NECAS)
Agricultural safety and health resources including information on National Agricultural Safety and Health week and National Grain Safety Awareness Week.
http://www.necasag.org/

NATIONAL FARM MEDICINE CENTER
Resources dedicated to improving the quality of life on farms and ranches, and links to National Children's Center for Rural and Agricultural Health and Safety.
http://www.marshfieldresearch.org/nfmc

NATIONAL SAFE KIDS CAMPAIGN
Fact sheets available on a variety of child injury topics.
www.safekids.org
RURAL HEALTH INFORMATION HUB – AGRICULTURAL HEALTH AND SAFETY
Links to agricultural safety and health organizations and resources across the U.S. Focus on rural health issues in addition to safety.
https://www.ruralhealthinfo.org/topics/agricultural-health-and-safety

SAFE STATES ALLIANCE
Injury prevention, information, database searches, updates and links to nationwide and international sites.
https://www.safestates.org/default.aspx

State University Programs and Extension Sites

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH
Research-based information and resources to assist in the understanding and prevention of injury and illness while working in agriculture.
https://extension.illinois.edu/agsafety/index.cfm

IOWA’S CENTER FOR AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH (I-CASH)
Collaboration between University of Iowa, Iowa State University, and state government to provide safety awareness programming and resources.
https://www.public-health.uiowa.edu/icash/

IOWA STATE UNIVERSITY ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH AND SAFETY
Agricultural and environment, farm management, farm safety.
https://www.ehs.iastate.edu/

MINNESOTA FARM SAFETY AND HEALTH
Resources and publications concerning a variety of agricultural safety issues.
https://extension.umn.edu/safety/farm-safety

MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY FARM SAFETY
Programs, publications, and public service announcements relating to rural safety and health topics.
http://extension.msstate.edu/agriculture/farming/farm-safety

NORTH CAROLINA STATE UNIVERSITY FARM SAFETY
Resources, programming, and links to agricultural safety and health resources.
https://farmsafety.wordpress.ncsu.edu/
OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY EXTENSION AGRICULTURAL SAFETY AND HEALTH PROGRAM
Listing of publications, services, and products available from the Ohio State University Extension.
https://agsafety.osu.edu/

Pennsylvania State University, Agricultural Safety and Health Resources
Listing of publications, services, products, and events related to agricultural safety and health in Pennsylvania.
www.agsafety.psu.edu

Purdue Agricultural Safety and Health Program
Available resources on health and safety for rural and farm families. Summary of annual Indiana farm fatalities. Additional links to other injury prevention sites. Useful educational pages can be downloaded. Also information on agricultural confined spaces www.agconfinedspaces.org.
www.farmsafety.org

University of Wisconsin-Extension/UW Center for Agricultural Safety & Health
Safety and health educational resources, programming, and outreach.
https://fyi.uwex.edu/agsafety/

University of Vermont Youth Farm Safety
Safety resources for children and teens, and the adults who work with and care for them.
https://www.uvm.edu/extension/youth/youth-farm-safety

State Government Sponsored Agricultural Safety Initiatives

Kentucky Farm and Home Safety Program
Kentucky Department of Agriculture program teaching variety of safety topics. Includes information about unique Rollover Tractor Simulator program.
http://www.kyagr.com/marketing/farm-safety.html

Show Me Farm Safety
Missouri program with resources, fact sheets, and links to farm equipment, grain handling, and livestock safety, and youth agricultural safety.
https://farmsafety.mo.gov/
AGRICULTURE AND AGRI-FOOD CANADA
Programs and services, pesticide risk reduction.
www.agr.gc.ca

ALBERTA AGRICULTURE AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT
Programs and services, Alberta Farm Safety Program. Farm safety newsletter, farm safety articles including: Farm Safety Plan, Canadian Agricultural Safety Week, Develop a Safety Strategy for Working Alone.
www.agric.gov.ab.ca

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND FEDERATION OF AGRICULTURE FARM SAFETY PROGRAM
Safety articles, farm safety checklist, safety videos, milk house training video, training courses, foreign worker training, hazard and risk assessment tools, progressive agriculture safety day, workers compensation for farm operators and employees.
http://peifa.ca/farm-safety-2/

CANADIAN AGRICULTURAL SAFETY ASSOCIATION
Canadian safety resources.
www.casa-acsa.ca

MANITOBA FARM SAFETY
Customized tools and advisory services, training, and resources.
https://www.manitobafarmsafety.ca/

FARM SAFETY NOVA SCOTIA
Society of Farm Safety Nova Scotia is dedicated to advancing agricultural workplace health and safety. Resources, training, and awareness program are highlighted.
https://www.farmsafetyns.ca/

PAMI: PRAIRIE AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY INSTITUTE
Resource library and safety publications primarily related to agricultural equipment and facilities.
www.pami.ca

SASKATCHEWAN AGRICULTURE AND FOOD
Events calendar, Farm Safety Days: Teaching children to be safe on the farm.
AGRICULTURAL CONFINED SPACES/GRAIN ENTRAPMENT
Managed by Purdue University’s Agricultural Safety and Health Program, the site provides access to resources related to all forms of agricultural confined spaces, including instructional material for first responders and young and beginning workers. Annual summaries of agricultural confined spaces-related incidents are available.
www.agconfinedspaces.org

CENTER FOR DAIRY FARM SAFETY
Resources and training targeted specifically to the dairy farm industry.
https://www.uwrf.edu/CenterForDairyFarmSafety/

GEARING UP FOR SAFETY - PRODUCTION AGRICULTURAL SAFETY TRAINING FOR YOUTH
On-line support services and resources for conducting training that meets the provisions of the federal Agricultural Hazardous Occupations Orders for Youth.
www.agsafety4youth.info

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY ROPS GUIDE
Your guide to available retrofit ROPS for agricultural tractors nationwide.
https://rops.ca.uky.edu

NATIONAL ROPS REBATE PROGRAM
The National ROPS Rebate Program (NRRP) is a voluntary program that provides rebates for approximately 70% of the cost of purchasing and installing a ROPS (Rollover Protective Structure; rollbar) kit. This rebate covers the ROPS kit (rollbar and seatbelt), shipping, and professional installation, if desired. Note: professional installation is required in Wisconsin; it is highly recommended for all others.
https://www.ropsr4u.com/

TRAINING AND SAFETY IN PIG FARMING
Workplace safety and health tools and resources geared toward training pork production workers.
https://www.pork.org/our-people/workplace-safety/
Training Agricultural Workers

AGSAFE FOOD & FARMS
Provider of safety-related training and compliance resources for agriculture and food industries.

http://www.agsafe.org/

CAREERSAFE ONLINE
Online worker safety programs geared toward youth, including OSHA 10-Hour General Industry, Construction, Healthcare, and Agriculture trainings.

https://www.careersafeonline.com/

GOOD DAY’S WORK
Online OSHA safety training and learning management system for farms and agribusinesses.

https://gooodayswork.ag/

Agricultural Organizations & Companies

AMERICAN FARM BUREAU
Site for national Farm Bureau organization. Search the site for safety-related information, or for state/county Farm Bureau affiliate programs.

https://www.fb.org/

FARM JOURNAL MAGAZINE
Articles on agricultural safety and health.

www.agweb.com/farmjournal

NATIONAL FARMERS UNION SAFETY ON THE FARM
Series of 10 videos and supporting information covering agricultural safety and health topics suitable for training and educational programs.

https://nfu.org/farmsafety/

NATIONAL FFA ORGANIZATION
Guide for FFA members, advisors, and others with leadership, growth, and career opportunities in agriculture, links available to other agricultural education resources.

www.ffa.org
PROGRESSIVE AGRICULTURE FOUNDATION

Progressive Agriculture Safety Day Camps, special topics, bulletin board, news/weather reports, and special features.

www.progressiveag.org

SUCCESSFUL FARMING MAGAZINE

Agribusiness news and links to other agricultural organizations.

www.agriculture.com

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