

Oklahoma Safety Council's 2012 Safety & Health Awards Application

The Oklahoma Safety Council's Annual Safety & Health Awards program is designed to promote accident prevention by honoring exemplary safety performance. This program is available to all members of the Oklahoma Safety Council.

1. **Instructions:** Review the award nomination criteria for each award. Compile the nomination criteria for each award and submit using the provided fill-able form(s). The award will cover the calendar year from January 1, 2011 to December 31, 2011. All award nominations must be submitted on the appropriate 2012 Safety & Health Awards Application (company or individual). All award winners will receive notification 2-3 weeks prior to event. All winners will be honored at the Oklahoma Safety Council's Awards Luncheon during the 2012 Oklahoma Safety & Health Conference on Friday, June 15, 2012 at Noon at the Hard Rock Hotel & Casino in Tulsa, OK. **All applications are due by April 6, 2012.**
2. **Eligibility:** Must be a member of the Oklahoma Safety Council to be eligible to apply, except the Lifesaver Award.
3. **Review Committee:** All awards will be reviewed by OSC's Awards Sub-Committee, which is comprised of experienced safety and health professionals. The decision of the committee will be in accordance with the OSC's award criteria. The Awards Sub-Committee will have the right to classify entrants into proper groups and all decisions of the committee will be final. The Awards Sub-Committee may add or eliminate award categories based on award submissions.
4. **Sharing Success:** The Awards Sub-Committee will assemble a top-ten ideas list from the award entries to distribute during the awards luncheon. Please let us know if there is proprietary information you do not want shared in this manner.

2012 Awards

Use the appropriate interactive [.pdf](#) form to provide information for the evaluation of your award application. All applications must be submitted electronically by email to kelliw@oksafety.org by April 6, 2012 on the provided form(s).

Special call to Health Care, Fleet, Consultants or other non-manufacturing companies and individuals: the Awards Sub-Committee would like to add new categories to recognize safety leaders in fields that haven't been recognized with awards before. Please use the last page of your application to tell us about your company so that we can classify and compare your nomination to others in your field.

If your **COMPANY** has an exemplary safety and health program, you are encouraged to apply for:

- **Excellence in Safety Company Awards** (small, medium and large categories)
Earned by an employer in each category that has developed a superb safety and health program and culture.
- **Voluntary Protection Program (VPP) Award**
Earned by a Voluntary Protection Program (VPP) company that has surpassed even the requirements of the VPP program with a superb safety and health program and culture.
- **Most Improved Award**
Earned by a company that has shown great improvement in their safety and health program over the last two-three years.

INDIVIDUALS may apply and/or be nominated for:

- **Champion for Safety**
A new award for 2012 that will be earned by an individual who *does not* have primary responsibility for safety and health in their organization, but has made a remarkable and extensive contribution to workplace safety...an "Average Joe" who has become a super hero for safety.
- **Outstanding Safety Professional**
Earned by an individual with primary responsibilities in safety & health who has been instrumental in the development and implementation of safety programs that increase the safety of an organization and/or the community.
- **Lifesaver Award**
Earned by an individual who has made a valiant effort to save or attempt to save another individual's life in the state of Oklahoma. This award is open to anyone...need not be a member of the Oklahoma Safety Council.

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EXCELLENCE IN SAFETY COMPANY AWARDS: (small, medium and large categories) Earned by an employer in each category that has developed a superb safety and health program and culture.

VOLUNTARY PROTECTION PROGRAM (VPP) AWARD: Earned by a Voluntary Protection Program (VPP) company that has surpassed even the requirements of the VPP program with a superb safety and health program and culture.

MOST IMPROVED AWARD: Earned by a company that has shown great improvement within their safety and health program over the last two-three years.

Eligibility: The company must be an Oklahoma Safety Council member.

Company Name	
Address	
City, State Zip code	
Telephone	
Name of person submitting application	
Cell Phone	
Email	

Business Profile: Please describe the type of business, principle products, and other relevant business information to introduce the organization to reviewers. Also explain the organization's unique opportunities and challenges that have affected how you developed your safety and health program.

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Performance Measurements (20%): Describe how your organization uses leading and lagging indicators and data analysis to shape your safety and health program. Provide data from your OSHA 300A logs in the chart below, being sure to fill in all non-shaded blocks. Include a description of all types of data analyzed and how this data demonstrates effectiveness of your safety and health programs and/or how it has led you to make improvements. We especially want to know about any leading (predictive) data your organization uses to guide your safety & health program.

OSHA 300A Data:	<i>Don't forget →</i>	NAICS:	To find your NAICS, visit www.census.gov/naics/ . If you know your SIC, you can click on the Concordances link, then "1987 SIC to 2002 NAICS"
Year	2009	2010	2011
Column H Days away from work cases			
Column I Restricted Duty cases			
Column J Other Recordable Cases			
Column K Total days away from work			
Column L Total days job transfer or restriction			
Annual average number of employees			
Total hours worked by all employees			
DART Rate <small>(Calculate by adding blocks H & I, multiply by 200,000 then divide by total hours worked)</small>			
TRC Rate <small>(Calculate by adding blocks H, I & J, multiply by 200,000, divide by total hrs worked)</small>			
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BLS TRC Rate <small>(see above)</small>			N/A

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Management Commitment and Employee Involvement (20%): Describe how your organization's culture is influenced by management commitment to your safety and health program and how you empower and involve employees in the development and administration of your program.

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Worksite Analysis, Hazard Prevention and Control (20%): Describe how your organization has recognized and reduced risks in the workplace. Include descriptions of design and engineering controls and/or administrative controls that have removed or protected employees from hazards. Also include how all levels of your organization are involved in the ongoing detection and control of hazards or potential hazards.

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Safety and Health Training (20%): Describe how your organization uses training and how you ensure employees adequately understand the hazards in your workplace and how to prevent harm to themselves and others from exposure to these hazards. Include a description of how you involve employees at all levels of your organization to develop an effective safety and health training program.

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Beyond the Programs (20%): Describe how your organization goes beyond the basic program requirements to create a workplace with an award winning safety and health program. Explain how your program is integrated into your organization's culture and/or core values and how it is communicated to your employees so that they develop individual ownership of your safety and health program.

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Industry Specific Information (if applicable): Please describe how your company's Safety and Health Program stands out as a leader in your specific industry. The Awards Subcommittee is looking for the opportunity to recognize safety leaders in industries other than manufacturing with separate award categories this year. This information will be used to develop award categories and compare companies within the same category.

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OUTSTANDING SAFETY PROFESSIONAL: Earned by an individual who has been instrumental in the development and implementation of safety programs that increase the safety of an organization and/or the community.

LIFESAVER AWARD: Earned by an individual who has made a valiant effort to save or attempt to save another individual's life in the state of Oklahoma.

Eligibility: Must be a member of the Oklahoma Safety Council, except Lifesaver Award is open to everyone.

Nominated Individual	
Company Name (if applicable)	
Address	
City, State Zip code	
Telephone	
Name of person submitting application	
Cell Phone	
Email	

Business/Personal Profile: Please describe the business and/or job function of the nominated individual.

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WHY THE NOMINATION? Please explain here what about the nominated individual's achievements prompted the nomination...For Champion of Safety, please let us know how the individual has gone above and beyond to improve their own and/or their coworkers' safety...For Safety Professional of the Year, please tell us about the achievements the individual has accomplished over the past five years. Include safety programs, awards, publications, involvement in improving safety wherever the individual has made an impact...For Lifesaver Award, please tell us about the valiant effort to save or attempt to save another individual's life—include personal impact as much as possible in your explanation.

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