

# OSHA Violations Highlights

Only a fraction of known incidents  
Violation Type: Environmental Health & Safety

## Chemical Training

Hazard Communication: Failure to provide employee information and training on chemicals.

- Number of Exposed Employees: 10
- Penalty: None

1987

## Ergonomic Trama Disorders

Ergonomic-related cumulative trauma disorders (e.g., repetitive motion injuries).

- Number of Exposed Employees: 556
- Penalty: \$800

1991

## Chemical Exposure

Employers must monitor employee exposure to Vinyl Chloride if there is any possibility of exposure.

- Number of Exposed Employees: 20
- Penalty: None

1991

## Failure to Inform

Employer failed to inform employees of their right to access: Their exposure records (e.g., chemical monitoring, incident logs), Their medical surveillance files (e.g., tests related to solvent exposure, respiratory testing, etc.), and who to contact to obtain that information.

- Number of Exposed Employees: 999
- Penalty: None

1991

## Chemical Training

Hazard Communication: Failure to provide employee information and training on chemicals.

- Number of Exposed Employees: 2
- Penalty: None

1991

## Chemical Exposure

Employer violated the standard which governs exposure to Benzene, a known carcinogen. The violation was originally classified as "Serious" but later reclassified as 'Other' during an informal settlement.

- Number of Exposed Employees: 50
- Penalty: \$1,500

1993

## Safeguards for PPE

A serious electrical safety violation due to lack of required PPE when working near electrical hazards. The high gravity score (10) indicates the hazard was extremely dangerous, potentially fatal.

- Number of Exposed Employees: 92
- Penalty: None

2000

## Exit Routes Blocked

Exit routes were blocked, obstructed, or otherwise unsafe for evacuation during normal operations. Materials were improperly stored, stacked unsafely, or blocking work areas.

- Number of Exposed Employees: 42
- Penalty: \$1,300

2006