

VPP Power Generation Call

Meeting Minutes

November 19, 2020

- 1. Welcome by Alex Miller
 - a. Reviewed Mission Statement, Purpose and Goals of Group

2. Safety Moment

- a. Dave Smith, Wheelabrator Technologies
 - i. Covid 19 concerns
 - ii. Thanksgiving—offer thanks for some good things
 - 1. VPP Workgroup
 - 2. OSHA Partners
 - 3. Participants on call
 - a. Essential workers
 - Safety has life changing effects even more so in 2020, we are safety professionals and are often looked to for guidance in the face of adversity
 - 5. Working for the greater good
- 3. Main topic: Annual Self Evaluation

- a. Kelli Heflin
- b. For additional presentation content, reach out to Kelli
- 4. Group Discussion
 - a. Health Questionnaires:
 - i. What is working?
 - ii. Paper vs. app
 - iii. Electronic format works well
 - Nick from OSHA to provide guidance about if a medical professional does not record temperature, it is not a medical document – *See attached excerpt
 - b. App Developer information
 - i. 1st Reporting
 - ii. Bruce Seidel <u>Bruce.Seidel@1stincidentreporting.com</u>
 - iii. Tell Bruce that Kelli from Southwest Gen provided contact information in order understand the needed format
- 5. Change meeting from 60 minutes to 90 minutes
- 6. Logo complete—everyone is welcome to use it
- 7. Need volunteers for the following committees:
 - a. Newsletter
 - b. Planning
 - c. VPPPA Conference Presentation
- 8. Link to message board
 - a. <u>https://powergenerationvpp.freeforums.net/</u>
 - b. It's a private board and you do have to register—Kelli will approve as soon as she gets notice
- 9. Next call FEBRUARY 18, 2021

*Excerpt to assist in clarifying what qualifies as a medical document.

<u>1910.1020(c)(6)</u>

1910.1020(c)(6)(i)

"Employee medical record" means a record concerning the health status of an employee which is made or maintained by a physician, nurse, or other health care personnel, or technician, including:

1910.1020(c)(6)(i)(A)

Medical and employment questionnaires or histories (including job description and occupational exposures),

1910.1020(c)(6)(i)(B)

The results of medical examinations (pre-employment, pre-assignment, periodic, or episodic) and laboratory tests (including chest and other X-ray examinations taken for the purpose of establishing a base-line or detecting occupational illnesses and all biological monitoring not defined as an "employee exposure record"),

1910.1020(c)(6)(i)(C)

Medical opinions, diagnoses, progress notes, and recommendations,

1910.1020(c)(6)(i)(D)

First aid records,

1910.1020(c)(6)(i)(E)

Descriptions of treatments and prescriptions, and

1910.1020(c)(6)(i)(F)

Employee medical complaints.

Here is the Letter of interpretation further defining what are not Medical Records - <u>https://www.osha.gov/laws-regs/standardinterpretations/1999-06-07-0</u>