



# Course Schedule



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# Online Quiz

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Help

## Unit 1: Unit 1 Wk 1 Background of Occupational Safety and Health Act - Quiz

Save Answers

Submit For Grade

Time Remaining: 00:29:53

1. OSHA covers self-employed persons. (Points: 2)

- True  
 False

2. OSHA covers farms that hire employees outside of the farmer's immediate family. (Points: 2)

- True  
 False

3. NIOSH conducts technical testing and research in order to set criteria that OSHA may use in developing standards. (Points: 2)

- True  
 False

# Discussion Board



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### OSH Act

What are your rights and responsibilities under the OSH Act?

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### Responses

Author

Date & Time



Catherine Cepeda 20 Jan 06 1:06 AM MST

Good morning Ms. Thomas. I came to the rights and responsibilities under OSH Act when I was reading the book reference "All About Osha". My previous work was on a petrochemical company and I was aware of my responsibilities under OSH, but as an employee - I wasn't much informed about my rights. In response to the question, I would like to point the basic rights and responsibilities.

First of all, I would like to mention (in reference to OSH Act of 1970 Sec. 5 Duties) that as employees we should have the right to be provided with a workplace that is free from hazards that has the potential to cause harm, injury, illness or death, and that employers has the right to provide such workplace to his employees.

As employee's rights:

- 1- should have an access on the OSHA standards, rules, regulations - to read and to review;
- 2- informed about the safety and health hazards, precautions and emergency procedures (from the employer);
- 3- receive safety and health trainings;
- 4 - voice any concern to the employer regarding safety and health hazards
- 5 - refuse to work when the job is threatened by dangerous situation that may result in death or illness.

Employee's responsibilities:

- 1 - comply with all applicable OSHA standards;
- 2- Know/read the OSHA's "It's the Law" poster;
- 3- Follow the employer's safety and health rules and regulations;

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