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Cal/OSHA Advisory Meeting
Workplace Violence Prevention in Health Care
Wednesday, September 10, 2014, 10 AM-3:00 PM
Elihu Harris State Building, Room 1 (Second Floor)
1515 Clay St.
Oakland CA

Agenda

Welcome, introductions Rulemaking process and background of project Presentation by Jane Lipscomb, PhD, RN, FAAN

Discussion Items

Definition of Workplace Violence

Scope of standard (healthcare facilities, services and operations)

- 1. Hospitals, general acute care, psychiatric hospitals, psychiatric units
- 2. Licensed facilities (e.g. Skilled Nursing, Independent Care Facilities)
- 3. Field operations, e.g. emergency medical services, mobile health vans
- 4. Ambulatory and outpatient care, e.g.
 - a. Community clinics and outpatient specialty
 - b. Individual medical or dental practices
 - c. Special environments such as school-based clinics, school nurses, homeless shelters
- 5. Home health/home-based
- 6. Correctional health care

What are key components of a workplace violence prevention program

- 1. Responsibilities and written program
- 2. Hazard identification and evaluation
- 3. Appropriate control measures
- 4. Training
- 5. Incident response/after incident follow-up
- 6. Recordkeeping

Adjourn

Note: There will be a lunch break at approximately noon

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