

"Prevention is
our Intention"

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Updates:

**UPCOMING
MEETINGS
& EVENTS**

Dec 5 th	IEC General Meeting at the Best Western Guildwood Inn from 12:00 to 4:00
Dec 6 th	SMA Information Session at the Best Western Guildwood Inn from 1:00 to 4:00
Dec 11 th	CSAO Labour Management at the Village Inn from 12:00 to 2:30
Dec 12 th	Sarnia-Lambton Industrial Safety Council Hosted by Shell Canada
Dec 13 th	SP Thermal Stress Working Group
Jan 22 nd	SP Annual Planning Session at the Village Inn from 12:00 to 4:00
Feb 12 th	Safety Partnership February Forum

Safety Management Assessment Information Session Dec 6th

The IEC Safety Management Assessment staff will be hosting an information session on Thursday December 6th from 1:00 until 4:00 at the Best Western Guildwood Inn on Venetian Blvd in Point Edward. This will be an opportunity for contractors and owner/ clients representatives to get a better understanding of the SMA program.

This information session will discuss the following topics:

- 1) The revised questionnaire
- 2) The field audit
- 3) 2008 plans for integration of Field and Office audit
- 4) The 1, 2 and 3 year expectations following the initial review
- 5) Q&A session

For more information and to reserve your place:

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SAFETY at HOME Topic: "ICE" Your Cell Phone

This campaign encourages people to put an entry in their cell phones and other portable address devices under the name of "ICE" (In Case of Emergency).

It was started in April, 2005 by Bob Brotchie, a paramedic based in Cambridge in England. He said he got tired of trying to figure out who to contact when dealing with shocked or injured patients who can't give the information themselves.

Emergency personnel can quickly check the cell phone for the ICE entry and reach whoever's name and contact information is there. It also gives the cell phone owner the opportunity to choose who will be contacted during an emergency when that person may not want Mom, Dad, or some other same-named relative to be called.

The announcement of the campaign in April was made by Brotchie, a British war hero named Simon Weston, and the Vodafone Life Saver Awards.

Vodafone, a cell provider in the UK, says that its research has shown that more than 75 percent of the people it surveyed don't carry any information about who they would want contacted on their behalf in case of an emergency.



Confined Space Entry

The new Confined Space Entry course is almost ready! To make this class more interactive we will be using Confined Space scenarios for small group discussion in the class. We really need these scenarios and would ask plant safety people or contractors to submit them to Peter by December 12th!

