



# Safety Update

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## AGC SAFETY AWARDS TABULATION FORMS

**AGC of Ohio will accept submissions through Friday**

Some members have called to see if it was too late to submit the [National AGC Safety Award tabulation form](#). All forms must be received by AGC by noon on Monday, February 8.

**It is very important to participate annually if you want to be eligible for recognition**, so if you have not already done so, be sure to submit your form. In addition to giving you the opportunity to compare your safety stats with other firms across the nation of comparable size and type, only those who submit for three consecutive years will be eligible for a Certificate of Commendation if their incidence rate is 25% or less than their division average.

[View the instructions and access the participant form](#). Direct questions to Andrea Ashley at (614) 486-6446 or [andrea@agcoho.com](mailto:andrea@agcoho.com).

## AGC OF OHIO SAFETY MEETING – FEBRUARY 13

**Please RSVP Your Attendance to [andrea@agcoho.com](mailto:andrea@agcoho.com)**

The next AGC of Ohio Safety Meeting will be held on Friday, February 13 from 9:30 a.m. to noon at the AGC office in Columbus. The guest speaker will be Andy Mayer—Associate Professor, Department of Environmental Health at the University of Cincinnati (UC)—who is now overseeing UC's OSHA Training Institute (OTI).

During past safety meetings, there has been some discussion about OTIs, related training requirements, and some concerns related to OTI programs and services. Andy will discuss the future plans for the colleges OTI, plans to improve customer service and streamline programs, as well as answer any questions.

The safety meeting agenda will also include an OSHA regulatory and enforcement update, as well as other pertinent safety news and information.

If you plan to attend, please e-mail Andrea Ashley at AGC of Ohio [andrea@agcoho.com](mailto:andrea@agcoho.com) or (614) 486-6446.

## UPCOMING SAFETY EVENTS

### **ACI OSHA Safety Day: February 24, Sharonville Convention Center, Cincinnati**

Join Allied Construction Industries and OSHA for the 16th Annual Safety Day - a day of dynamic training from industry experts, cutting-edge technologies and vendor products, and priceless networking opportunities with safety professionals and colleagues. Early bird pricing ends this Friday. [Learn more and register](#).

### **Ohio BWC Safety Congress: March 31-April 2, Greater Columbus Convention Center**

The annual event will have 180 educational sessions, 225 exhibitors and free continuing education credit. [Learn more and register](#).

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**AGC of Ohio Safety Meeting & Luncheon: April 10, Brookside Country Club, Worthington**

An AGC of Ohio Safety Meeting will be held from 9:30-11:30 a.m., and will include a guest speaker from OUPS to discuss some of the forthcoming changes related to the enforcement of the underground damage prevention law. Immediately following the meeting (11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.) will be the annual Safety Luncheon. Ohio Construction Safety Excellence Award winners and National AGC Safety Award Certificate of Commendation recipients will be recognized during the Luncheon. Reservation details will be sent out next week.