

# OHSAS 18001

## Promote a Safe Workplace Environment Through Occupational Health and Safety



OHSAS 18001 is an international occupational health and safety (OHS) management system standard. OHSAS 18001 is designed to enable organizations to demonstrate their commitment to providing a safe and efficient working environment by identifying and understanding their OHS risks and by improving upon their performance by actively managing these opportunities.

Organizations that adopt the OHSAS 18001 standard see immediate benefits, such as improvement in worker safety consciousness and morale, reductions in accidents, claims and lost work days, and better preparedness for regulatory inspections.

OHSAS 18001 is compatible with existing standards like ISO 9001 and ISO 14001. Many of the requirements for OHSAS 18001, such as management review, document control, internal audits, and corrective and preventive action, are common requirements allowing for easy integration with an organization's existing quality management system (QMS) and environmental management system (EMS).

NQA USA uses qualified professional assessment teams to ensure conformance to the latest OHSAS 18001 standard. In addition, audits can be scheduled to coincide with other management system audits, depending on the organization's requirements.

### Benefits of OHSAS 18001 Registration

- ▶ Results in better planned and ongoing management of health and safety risks
- ▶ Reduces work-related accidents and illness
- ▶ Reduces costs associated with accidents and illness
- ▶ Improves operational performance through policies and procedures
- ▶ Increases control of regulatory issues
- ▶ Reduces risk of citations and penalties
- ▶ Increases access to new customers and business partners through an improved corporate image
- ▶ Potentially reduces insurance costs

### Why Choose NQA?

- ▶ We tailor our programs to fit your organization's specific needs
- ▶ We provide strong back office support with a Client Support Representative dedicated to your account
- ▶ You will be assisted by accredited professional auditors who are competent and personable
- ▶ We have a straightforward partnership approach with no hidden fees or requirements

### Requirements

- ▶ Occupational Health and Safety Policy
- ▶ Planning: review of risks, hazards, and objectives for your OHS management system
- ▶ Implementation and Operations: actual day-to-day use of your OHS management system
- ▶ Checking and Monitoring: manage and correct, when necessary, the operation of the OHS management system

**Let us help you become  
OHSAS 18001 certified!**

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