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Job Title:

Safety and Occupational Health Specialist / Consultant

Summary:

Completed a 30-year career in the U.S. Navy as a Hospital Corpsman, collateral duty safety manager, radiation safety, LASER safety and HAZMAT handler. The 16-year safety duties included most aspects of ground and marine safety. Extensive experience in training and as preceptor of new Hospital Corps School graduates. and in safety administration and training non-medical personnel in medical and safety response procedures. Accomplished program manager. Developed highly effective oral and written communication skills while creating and conducted presentations for senior military officer, congressional delegations, and foreign dignitaries. Effective interpersonal skills for various levels audiences. Strong organizational skills and experienced with computer software applications used to create reports and presentations. Top Secret security sensitive compartmented information clearance obtained.

Areas of Experience:

- OSHA Safety Manager
- Radiation Protection Officer
- LASER Safety Program Manager
- Personnel, Training, and Labor Relations Specialist
- Operational Risk Management Manager
- Safety Program Development
- Program Management
- Navy Independent Duty Corpsman
- Medical and Health Service Specialist
- First-Line Supervisor
- Hazardous Materials Handler
- Emergency Medical Technician – Paramedic

Areas of Certification:

Associate Safety Professional (ASP) Certified	ASP-30884	August 2019 - June 2024
Certified Safety Professional (CSP) Certified	CSP-36767	August 2019 - June 2024
Safety Management Specialist (SMS) Certified	SMS-1283	June 2019 – June 2024
DoD Safety and Occupational Health Specialist	CP-12	August 2019
Certified Playground Safety Inspector	CPSI	Nov 2020 – Nov 2023

Work Experience:

- **Safety Specialist**

- General Safety Consulting (Principal and Safety Consultant) January 2019 – Present

- **U. S. Army**

Army Corps of Engineers, Mobile District June 2020 – February 2021

Redstone Arsenal – Garrison Safety Office October 2019 – June 2020

377th Theater Sustainment Command January 2018 – October 2019

- **Suicide Prevention Program Manager**

- U. S. Army Reserve, 377th Theater Sustainment Command December 2013 – June 2014

- A temporary position as subject matter expert to develop and implement a suicide prevention program.

- **United States Navy** November 1985 – January 2014

- **Emergency Medical Technician – Paramedic** May 1980 – January 2013

Programs Developed / Managed:

- Asbestos Control Program
- Radiation Protection Program
- LASER Safety Program
- Bloodborne Pathogen Program
- Operational Risk Management
- Ergonomics
- Health Promotions
- Hazardous Materials Handler
- Cadmium Control Program
- Cold Injury Prevention
- Crane Safety
- General Ground Safety
- Foot Protection
- Sight Conservation
- Hearing Conservation
- Heat Stress
- Mishap Investigations
- Personal Protective Equipment
- Respiratory Protection
- Traffic Safety Traffic Safety

Education:

Progressing Master of Engineering, Advanced Safety Engineering and Management
The University of Alabama at Birmingham, Birmingham, AL

Dec 2016 Bachelor of Arts Interdisciplinary, External Degree Program,
The University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa, AL

August 2007 Independent Duty Corpsman School, Naval School of Health Sciences,
San Diego, CA

May 1993 Associate Degree in Applied Science, Emergency Medical Technician,
Shelton State Community College, Tuscaloosa, AL

April 1986 Hospital Corpsman Basic, Naval Hospital Corps School, Great Lakes, IL

May 1981 Emergency Medical Technician – Paramedic, The University of Alabama,
Tuscaloosa, AL

Training:

February 2011 U.S. Navy: Shipboard Pest Control, Jacksonville, FL

March 2002 United States Department of Justice: WMD Incident Complexity (Homeland
Security-8), Birmingham, AL

November 2001 Defense Intelligence Agency: Chemical and Biological Warfare Intelligence
Course, Washington, DC

May 2001 University of Alabama School of Medicine: Medical Support for WMD /
Counter Terrorism / SWAT Operations. Noble Training Center, Anniston, AL

September 2000 U.S. Marine Corps: Radiation Protection Assistant Course, JRB,
San Antonio, TX

September 2000 U.S. Marine Corps: LASER Safety CAT II Course, JRB, San Antonio, TX

September 2000 U.S. Marine Corps: Ground Safety Managers Course, JRB, San Antonio, TX

December 1998 United States Army: Hazardous Material/Waste Handling Course,
Cherry Point, NC

Mebership:

- ASTM International
- National Fire Protection Association
- American Society of Safety Professional
- Board of Certified Safety Professionals
- National Recreation and Park Association

Committees:

- Board of Certified Safety Professionals
 - Associate Safety Professional Item Writing Panel

- ASTM International
 - Committee F08 on Sports Equipment, Playing Surfaces, and Facilities
 - Committee F30 on Emergency Medical Services
 - Committee E34 on Occupational Health and Safety

Areas of Instruction:

- Annual classes for Navy and Marines:
 - Bloodborne Pathogens
 - Cold Injury
 - Combat Stress
 - Field Sanitation
 - First-aid (Self aid/buddy aid)
 - Ground Safety/Operational Risk Management
 - Heat Injury
 - Hygiene
 - Litter bearing
 - NBC Medical Aspects
 - Suicide Prevention
 - Sexually Transmitted Disease
 - Water Purification

- Annual classes for Hospital Corpsmen:
 - All of the above
 - Intravenous fluid therapy
 - Patient evaluation/treatment for multiple injuries
 - Medical and dental record keeping
 - Medical Intelligence
 - Suturing
 - Terrorism