

HealthCare Ergonomics

In Partnership with the 2009 Oregon GOSH Conference

The Oregon Coalition for HealthCare Ergonomics, the University of Washington Northwest Center for Occupational Health and Safety, and the Washington Safe Patient Handling Steering Committee present the

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Health Care

Ergonomics

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Shared Challenges
Real Strategies
Practical Solutions

March 9-12, 2009

Oregon Convention Center ★ Portland, Oregon

The goal of the conference is to provide an educational forum where health care employers, safety, health and ergonomics professionals, and health care employees, can share and gain knowledge about current evidence-based practices in health care ergonomics including safe patient handling.

The conference is held in partnership with the Oregon Governor's Occupational Safety & Health Conference (GOSH) which is the largest safety and health conference in the Northwest and one of the largest in the United States.



HealthCare Ergonomics topics offered at GOSH:

Monday, March 9

902 HCE: Implementing Sustainable Ergonomics and SPH Programs (page 14)

903 HCE: Tips and Tricks to Incorporate Safety and Efficiency into the Design of

Healthcare Facilities (page 14)

Tuesday, March 10

1003 HCE: Making the Business Case for Ergonomics and Safe Patient Handling Programs (page 20)

1004 HCE: Understanding and Managing Ergonomic Risk in Hospital Support Services (page 21)

1067 HCE: How Did They Do That? SPH Success Stories (page 29)

1070 HCE: Therapists, Rehabilitation, and Safe Patient Handling (page 30)

1071 HCE: Pilot Projects: Oregon's SPH Facility of Choice Program (page 30)

Wednesday, March 11

1119 HCE: Keynote: What We Know About Risk to the Low Back Due to Occupational Exposure

and Patient Handling (page 1 & 40)

1121 HCE: Development and Evaluation of a Provincial Ceiling Lift Program in Home

and Community Care (page 41)

1122 HCE: Implementing Washington State's Safe Patient Handling Legislation (page 41)

1151 HCE: Safe Patient Handling — The Patient Perspective Panel Discussion (page 46)

1154 HCE: Ergonomics and SPH for Diagnostic Imaging Services (page 47)

1160 HCE: Choosing and Safely Installing SPH Equipment (page 49)

1162 HCE: Computer Ergonomics and Workstation Design (page 50)

Thursday, March 12

1206 HCE: Caring for the Bariatric Population (page 54)

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