

Note from the Director

The Division of Occupational Health and Safety (DOHS) works with NIH employees to ensure a safe and healthy workplace. Through surveillance, consultation, training and education, DOHS develops and implements NIH-wide safety and health programs. DOHS assesses worksites and procedures then initiates the appropriate preventive measures to help NIH employees avoid work-related injuries and illnesses. Workplace reviews are conducted to evaluate compliance with NIH occupational safety and health policies and procedures. Publications, training opportunities and additional information regarding DOHS branches and programs are available on our website. Additional information can be provided by your safety and health specialist. I encourage you to visit the DOHS website and use it as an information resource for your safety and health needs.

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DOHS Services at a Glance

CHB

Community Health Branch

- Blood Pressure Monitor Stations
 - Automated External Defibrillators
 - Integrated Pest Management
 - Safety Training
 - Food Safety
 - Nursing Mothers Program
- (301) 496-2960

OMS

Occupational Medical Service

- Employee Assistance Program
 - Medical Services Related to Employment
 - Medical Surveillance Programs
 - Health Promotion Programs
 - Worker's Compensation Program
- (301) 496-4411

SOSB

Safety Operations & Support Branch

- Provides Administrative and Technical Support to NIH laboratories
 - Surveys NIH Laboratories to Identify Potential Health and Safety Hazards
 - Provides Your Front-line Safety Specialist
- (301) 496-2346

TAB

Technical Assistance Branch

- Chemical, Physical, Microbiological Issues
 - Indoor Air Quality Assessments
 - Ergonomics
 - Chemical and Biological Containment
 - Selection and Use of Personal Protective Equipment
 - Toxicology Assessments
- (301) 496-3353



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