

Incident Report Project

By selecting a topic from the list below, students will complete a 5 page research report. The report must include:

1. An explanation of the topic –what is it? What and why is it a concern in the industry?
2. A narrative of an incident or case study that occurred in California (via news article, Cal/OSHA website, etc.) answering the following questions: Answers are to be incorporated in the body of your research paper and not to be sub-headed.

Questions:

- a) What, when, where and why did it happen?
- b) What are/was the hazard(s)/problem(s)?
- c) Was the hazard(s)/problem(s) reported to the employer? If so, how long prior to the incident/accident, how many times was it reported, who reported it, who was it reported to, etc.?
- d) What did the employer do to correct/control/mitigate the hazard(s)/problem(s)? If nothing was done, why not? If no reasoning was found, state your opinion why nothing was done.

3. The applicable/alleged Cal/OSHA regulation(s) that was/were violated.

4. Conclusion—include your recommended corrective actions and explain why and how it will prevent such incidents/accidents from recurring.

Build a report by combining items 1-4. The report should be a minimum of 5 pages

Page 1. Title page

Page 2. Research

Page 3. Research

Page 4: Research

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Topics:

Temperature exposure

- Blood-borne pathogens exposure
- Confined spaces
- Respiratory exposure
- Fall hazard exposure
- Defensive driving
- Chemical exposure