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Workers need protection from their employees and standards developed to safeguard their working conditions. As a result, the OSH Act was passed by the Legislature in 1970. The Occupation ¹ Safety and Health Administration (OSHA) is regarded as the biggest monitoring intervention in the United States labor department with authority to examine and evaluate the work environment. This is to guarantee that individuals have a safe working environment through implementing standards at the same time outreach, training and edification help. This paper will review the OSHA website and answer several questions based on the website.

Raleigh is the capital of North Carolina State. The address of Raleigh state plan office is one hundred and eleven at Hillsborough Street in Raleigh, North Carolina state 27601-1092 (United States Department of Labor, n.d). The state program uses authority across all secluded and community divisions, managers and workers. However, the plan excludes workers from federal jurisdiction such as military bases and private sector maritime activities.

The United States has provided an opportunity for the states to have responsibilities of implementing occupation safety and health standards in their state, however, they must be approved by the federal through having a state plan. North Carolina is one of the states federally approved and has a state plan, hence is accountable for enhancing the health, safety and general well-being of a majority of their employees. Furthermore, the North Carolina labor department falls into three parts namely work-related protection and well-being, management and values and inspections. Martial stations and railroads are not under North Carolina government plan because of the difference in its jurisdiction (United States Department of Labor, n.d). The NC labor department utilizes its jurisdiction across all private and public division workers in the state.

However, the military bases, Indian reservation, federal workers, American postal service and railroad workers are under federal jurisdiction.

OSHA offers free consultation services provided by the proficient staff of the state government. From the OSHA factsheet, the information provided in the agency title is the utilization of unrestricted consultation provision that is financially supported by OSHA; hence workers can easily recognize the probable threats in their work environment, enhance their professional protection and health administration schemes. Also, through consultation workers can meet the requirements for one-year exclusion from frequent evaluation by OSHA (Osha.gov, n.d). This information is essential for all state workers because it informs them of their safety conditions at work and hence the need to improve them before it gets worse.

The interesting thing I have found out on the website is about the economic benefits of on-site consultation programs. According to OSHA.gov (n.d), the immediate consultation plans produce a countrywide financial payback of nearly 1.3 billion dollars annually. All individuals in the minor enterprises in fifty states, some United States territories and the Columbia district. Also, it is interesting how OSHA agency addresses compliance values at the same time enhances well-being plans.

In summation, the regulation agency provides an essential job in inspecting and evaluating workplaces. Therefore, every state can be provided with OSHA responsibility after receiving federal approval of the state plan. The Raleigh state plan office address is presented as well as the OSHA requirements for states to operate. The NC state plans do not cover military bases and railroad workers because they are under federal jurisdiction. The interesting thing is the economic benefits obtained from on-site consultation that is almost 1.3 billion dollars annually.

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