

STATE OF NEVADA

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Mine Safety & Training

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Mission:

The Mine Safety and Training Section will continue to reduce the frequency and severity of mine accidents. Reduce fatalities, injuries, occupational illnesses and accidents to the greatest extent possible by performing the statutory requirements set forth by the Nevada Revised Statutes, Chapter 512.

Strategic Goals:

1. *Ensure all active mines in Nevada are inspected at least once per year.*
2. *Increase the number of new miners trained.*
3. *Increase the number of current miners trained*
4. *Increase the number of technical assistance and consultation opportunities*

What We Do:

WE ARE HERE TO ENSURE YOU ENJOY A SAFE AND HEALTHY WORKING ENVIRONMENT BY PROVIDING THE FOLLOWING SERVICES:

SAFETY SERVICES

- Provide safety consultations and technical assistance.
- Provide courtesy mine inspections.
- Investigate mine accidents and complaints.
- Provide electrical ground tests.
- Explosives storage evaluations.
- Other services possible upon request.

TRAINING SERVICES

- 24 Hr. New Miner (part 46 & 48) online/in-house
- 8 Hr. Annual Refresher (part 46 & 48) online/in-house
- 24 Hr. Instructor (Blue Card) In-house only

INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE SERVICES

- Provide air sampling (silica, lead, silver, mercury, welding fumes, etc.)
- Provide noise evaluations and surveys.
- Provide ventilation surveys, air velocity and volumetric airflow.
- Provide mine gas surveys and evaluations.
- Advise on hazardous chemical use and storage.
- Provide hazardous material identification and risk assessments.
- Provide respirator training and fit testing.
- Recommend personal protective equipment.
- Provide workplace health evaluations.

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BOILER/PRESSURE VESSEL SERVICES

- Conduct boiler inspections (new and in-service)
- Conduct pressure vessel inspections. (new installation and in-service)
- Consultations on new boiler and existing boiler rooms
- Provide technical assistance of pressure contained equipment.
- Performs NDE testing when requested.