

September 2021 News Bulletin

Welcome to an update from Step Change in Safety.



Joined-up
thinking

NEW JOINED-UP THINKING PACK NOW AVAILABLE

Hydrocarbon Release Prevention - Plant Reinstatement

The story described in the film follows a scenario where a member of the work party exercises their personal responsibility for safety and stops the job - and, in turn, prevents a potentially significant hydrocarbon release.

Resources included in this pack:

- ▲ Hydrocarbon Release Prevention - Plant Reinstatement (animated film)
- ▲ Hydrocarbon Release Prevention Guidance
- ▲ Mechanical Joint Integrity Competence Guidance
- ▲ Guidance on Hydrocarbon Release Reduction Plans
- ▲ The Offshore Management of Human Factors Inspection Guide
- ▲ The Safe Isolation of Plant and Equipment
- ▲ Safety Moment – Small Bore Tubing Failure
- ▲ High Value Learning – Hydrocarbon release and spill to sea from newly installed control valve

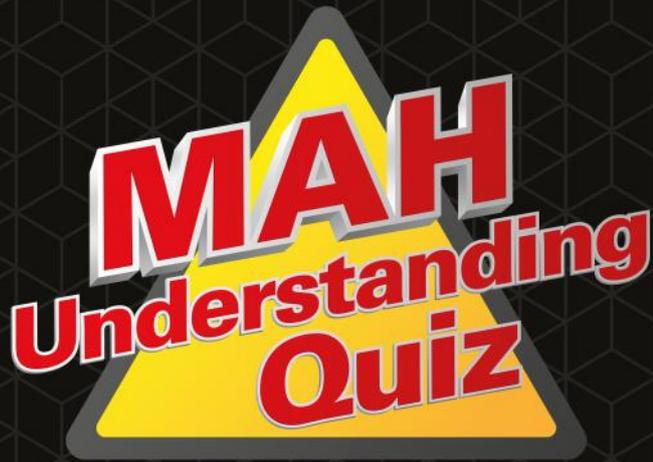
DOWNLOAD THE PACK BY CLICKING ON THE IMAGE BELOW





Enter your team and
test your knowledge!

Winners receive share of £1500
for their chosen charities



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MAJOR ACCIDENT HAZARD (MAH) UNDERSTANDING QUIZ

- ▲ Get a team together to battle for the title of Major Accident Hazard Understanding champions
- ▲ Test your knowledge about Major Accident Hazards

The quiz has three rounds:

▲ Major Accidents

▲ MAH Management

▲ Pot Luck

- Each team must have a maximum of **four** members. *Think about a **team name** which should include a reference to the asset you're working on.*
- The team must be from the same worksite but can be comprised of different employers.
- The **team captain must be employed by a Step Change in Safety member company** and all correspondence will be done via the team captain
- All team members must be in the same physical location when playing the quiz. The event will be hosted on **Zoom** – a link will be sent to the team captain upon registering on Eventbrite.
- The quiz will be run through **Kahoot** -more details on this are to follow. Multiple teams can sit in the same room to join the quiz, but **each team will require an additional device to answer the questions**, i.e. a larger screen (cinema, laptop) to view the quiz hosts and questions on Zoom and another (laptop, table, smartphone) to answer the questions on Kahoot.

The prize money has been donated by our sponsors EnQuest, Total Energies and Stork, a Fluor company and will be awarded to the teams in 1st, 2nd and 3rd places. All prize monies must be donated to the charities of the winning teams' choices so please give this careful consideration in advance of the quiz.



▶ [CLICK HERE TO REGISTER YOUR MAH QUIZ TEAM](#) ◀

Continuing to make our sector the safest place to work by preventing predictable incidents

Q1			Q2			Q3			Q4		
Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
											

2021 QUARTERLY SAFETY THEMES: Quarterly safety themes to make our sector the safest place to work by preventing predictable incidents

Q3 Major Accident Hazard Understanding. In July, August and September, attention is being centred on Major Accident Hazard Understanding building on previous campaigns in order to reduce the likelihood of such events.

- ▲ Reinforcing MAH understanding
- ▲ Increasing awareness of individuals' responsibility for MAH prevention
- ▲ Identifying site-specific MAH risks

 ► View and download all Q3 MAH Understanding resources here: [Major Accident Hazard Understanding](#)

Q4: Personal Responsibility for Safety begins this October.



STEP CHANGE IN SAFETY EVENTS

Due to the ongoing Covid-19 pandemic, Step Change in Safety's forums, network events and mental health for energy workers' courses are continuing to take place online. Nearly all our events and webinars are **FREE** to attend for employees of our [member companies](#). Visit our [membership directory](#) to find out if your employer is a member of Step Change in Safety.

Non-members are welcome to attend some of our events, for which a delegate fee may require to be paid. Please check the event listings to find out if an event is open to non-members.

If you have any queries about any aspect of our events, please get in touch with us: info@stepchangeinsafety.net



THE RIGHT FIT

MAKING OFFSHORE PPE INCLUSIVE



An Energy Voice and Red Wing virtual event
September 21, 2021

"THE RIGHT FIT" LIVE VIRTUAL EVENT by ENERGY VOICE

Bob Fennell - Step Change in Safety co-Chair and EVP Operations at Harbour Energy - will join our former Board member **Craig Shanaghey** on this fantastic panel to discuss inclusive working practises within the oil, gas and energy sectors. Also joining the panel is **Sarah Clark** of [AXIS Network](#) with whom we had the pleasure of collaborating with on the recent guidance for operators and the supply chain on inclusive offshore working practises.

▶ Register to listen: www.dctevents.com/event/the-right-fit/

▶ Read more about the guidance here: [Inclusive Offshore Working Practices](#)



COMPETENCE FORUM

Thursday 9th
December 2021
Digital Solutions for Competence
09:00 - 11:00 GMT
Online



ESR FORUM

Thursday 2nd
December 2021
Q4 ESR Forum
16:00 - 17:30 GMT
Online



FOCAL POINT ENGAGEMENT SESSIONS

Wednesday 13th	Thursday 21st
October 2021	October 2021
Q4 Focal Point Session (option 1)	Q4 Focal Point Session (option 2)
09:30 - 11:00 GMT	13:30 - 15:00 GMT
Online (sign-up details in direct FP e-mail)	Online (sign-up details in direct FP e-mail)



LIFTING FORUM

Wednesday 24th
November 2021
Q4 Lifting Forum
09:00 - 11:00 GMT
Online



MENTAL HEALTH COURSES

Wednesday 7th
November 2021
Level 1 Awareness of First Aid for Mental Health for Energy Workers
11:00 - 12:00 GMT
Online

Our Step Change in Safety workgroups host our forums and decide on content, topics and speakers. For more information about our workgroups, please take a look at the workgroup pages on our website.

 ► [Step Change in Safety workgroups](#)



FIRST AID FOR MENTAL HEALTH TRAINING COURSES

Step Change in Safety is pleased to offer an **accredited (FAA) remote learning Level 1 Awareness of First Aid for Mental Health for Energy Workers**. Our exclusive training course is conducted by, and in association with Brett Townsley, the award-winning Innovations Director at Omniscient Safety.

Being able to spot the signs and symptoms associated with deteriorating mental health, and having the knowledge and confidence to provide the opportunity for those affected to talk openly about their feelings, is crucial in supporting positive mental health and, consequently, safety.

This bespoke course has been specifically adapted to retain the complete syllabus of mental health first aid training but with the added advantage of being industry-specific for the energy worker, and includes discussion, case studies and energy-industry specific data.

Each training course consists of **two, one-hour Zoom sessions** (i.e. both dates) supporting materials, handbook and a one-to-one knowledge-check session.

[Click here to read more about these courses and find out about Brett Townsley of Omniscient Safety.](#)



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