

Your Call!



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Backyard Challenges Workshop

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- **Welcome!! We're glad you are here!**
- Coffee
- Rest Rooms
- Emergency Procedures
- Cell Phones/Pagers
- Smoking Area
- Lunch

Backyard Challenges Workshop

- Goal
 - Develop a check list for the C&D crews that:
 - Prevents disease spread
 - Removes contaminated materials
 - Provides a safe work environment for crew

Background information

- An 8 block area was depopulated 24 hours ago - one positive sample HPAI -
 - 38 homes
 - 24 with birds
 - 5 vacant lots
 - lots of rubbish, rodents and used as a bird roost
 - Removed 1540 birds
 - over 300 dead upon arrival
 - game birds, chickens and pet birds
 - 75-80 birds still running free

Background information

- 35 head of swine
 - 5 dead prior to depopulation
- Cats and dogs free roaming



Background information

- 22 chicken coops/houses
- 840 outside cages
- Hatchery ½ mile away



Background information

- As you drive into the subdivision Jr. is leaving to cross the street into the next subdivision on his bike with his pet roster!

Next Steps

- Develop a check list for:
- Bio security
- Crew safety:
 - Biological
 - Bloodborne pathogens
 - Environmental job site
 - Chemical hazards

Waste disposal

- Onsite Burial
- Landfill Disposal
- Incinerators



Identify Possible Roadblocks

- Language
- Weather
- High crime area
- State and Local regulations
 - Permitted cleaning agents
 - Environmental
 - Public health

What is OSHA?

- Occupational Safety and Health Administration
- Responsible for worker safety and health protection

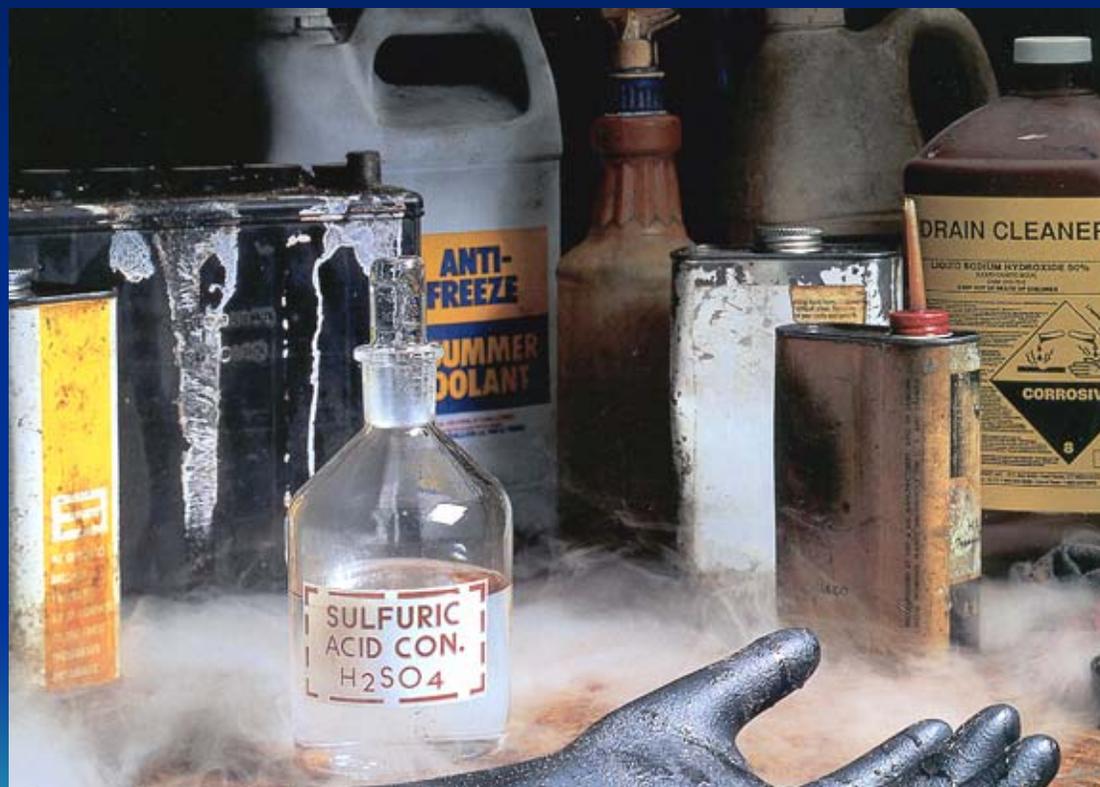
What we ask our crews to do!



What does OSHA do?

- Encourages employers and employees to reduce workplace hazards and implement new or improve existing safety and health programs
- Develops and enforces mandatory job safety and health standards
- Maintains a reporting and recordkeeping system to monitor job-related injuries and illnesses

Hazardous Waste





OSHA Regulations (Summary)

- In brief; OSHA standards are all about identifying hazards and how to reduce /eliminate the hazards and their effects on life and health.
- Training and awareness of management and employees is crucial.
- Management and good supervision is essential.



Find 25 violations





Take an Active Role in Your Safety and Your Crews

- Look at the world with a new set of eyes
- Don't be hesitant to point out unsafe acts
- Know the rules and regulations
- If not sure, ask someone
- Look for the small problems, the big ones will take care of themselves

