

**ASSP Region VIII New England Area
Professional Development Conference and EXPO
Crowne Plaza, Providence-Warwick, RI**



November 8th & 9th, 2022 (DRAFT)

AT A GLANCE 2022

Tuesday, November 8th – DAY 1

7:00 AM	REGISTRATION • COFFEE • BREAKFAST • NETWORK		
Room	Grand Ballroom		
8:00 AM – 8:15 AM	Opening Remarks & Area VP & Director's Welcome		
8:15 AM – 9:15 AM General Session I	KEYNOTE TBD		
9:15 AM – 9:45 AM	GRAND FOYER: EXHIBITION GRAND OPENING		
Rooms	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
9:45 AM – 10:45 AM Breakout Sessions I	TBD	Cleaning & Sanitizing Chemical Reactivity – Mistakes/Consequences Adam Henson	Truck Safety-Are You in Compliance? Christopher Eastly, CSP
10:45 AM – 11:00 AM	GRAND FOYER: EXHIBITION / BREAK / NETWORK		
Rooms	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
11:00 AM – 12:00 AM Breakout Session II	Organizational Barriers & Solutions for Safety Practitioners Peter Susca, MS and Susan McFarland	Rise of Cannabis Legalization: Occ Health & IAQ Dan Bracey, CSP, CHMM & Brian Nemetz	In Your Post Virus Workplace: Crisis Communications: Always Acknowledged, Never Planned or Trained Bo Mitchell, CEM, CPP, CHS-V
12:00 PM – 1:00 PM	ROTUNDA: LUNCH / DOOR PRIZES		
Rooms	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
1:00 PM – 2:00 PM Breakout Session III	The True Numbers of Safety Don Olesen, PE, CSP, MBA	Flash Fire & Explosion Hazards Vahid Ebadat	Are YOU all in for Safety? Shawna Fraser Nagle, MS, CSP, CHST
2:00 PM – 2:30 PM	GRAND FOYER: EXHIBITION / BREAK / NETWORK		
Rooms	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
2:30 PM – 3:30 PM Breakout Session IV	The Value of Understanding Risk Appetite in OSH Fred Straub, PhD, CSP, ARM	Post-Virus World-Emergency Response & Training Bo Mitchell, CEM, CPP, CHS-V	Lone Workers Michael T. Coon, CSP
3:30 PM – 4:00 PM	GRAND FOYER: EXHIBITION / BREAK / NETWORK		
Room	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
4:00 PM – 5:00 PM Breakout Session V	Contractors & Temps: Controlling Risk Exposure Chip Darius, OHST, CIT, CSHO	Leading with Trust Kanwer Khan, CSP, CRSP, QEP	Evaluating Workplace Violence Prevention Programs Pamela A. Hunter, PhD, MS, CSP
5:30 PM	ROTUNDA: SOCIAL EVENT		

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Wednesday, November 9th – DAY 2

7:00 AM	REGISTRATION • COFFEE • BREAKFAST • NETWORK		
Room	Grand Ballroom		
8:00 AM – 9:00 AM General Session II	Historic & Cultural Importance of the Hawks Nest, WVA Tunnel Project Howard W. Spencer, CSP, CHCM		
9:00 AM – 9:10 AM	BREAK		
Rooms	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
9:10 AM – 10:10 AM Breakout Session VI	5 Essential Communication Skills Linda Tapp, ALCM, CSP, CPTD	Playground Safety Joann M. Robertson, CSP, ARM CPSI	What Most Organizations are Not Learning from their Incidents Peter Susca
10:10 AM - 10:50 AM	GRAND FOYER: EXHIBITION / BREAK / NETWORK		
Rooms	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
10:50 AM – 11:50 AM Breakout Session VII	How to be a Successful Safety Professional in Construction Industry Matthew Chasse, CSP, SMS, CHST	Cloud Connected Sensor Networks & Building Reopenings Edward Stuber, CIH, ROH, FAIHA	Safety is More than Safety Professional: Developing SMEs Dina LaPoint, CSP, MS
11:50 AM – 12:50 PM	ROTUNDA: LUNCH		
12:50 PM – 1:30 PM	GRAND FOYER: EXHIBITION / NETWORK		
Rooms	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
1:30 PM – 2:30 PM Breakout Session VIII	Mental Health & Suicide in Construction Noell Woolley MD, MHA	Employee Perception: COVID-19 Readiness & Response Dr. Wanda Minnick, Greg Jablunovsky, Dr. Luz Marin	How does EPA's General Duty Clause Change the Game for Chemical Use? Robert Bartlett & Mat Todaro
2:30 PM – 2:40 PM	BREAK		
Rooms	Grand Ballroom	Salon 1	Salon 2
2:40 PM – 3:40 PM Breakout Session IX	Safety from the Heart- Preventing Serious Injuries & Fatalities Dave Crowley, CSP & Samantha Wooten	Training Martha Wik, CSP, CHMM	Safety Incentive Programs- Gamifying Participation Michael Carmody, M.S.
3:40 PM – 3:50 PM	BREAK		
Room	Grand Ballroom		
3:50 – 4:50 PM General Session	TBD		
4:50 PM – 5:00 PM	CLOSING & RAFFLE		