

# Health and Safety Matters



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## Dealing with violence shouldn't be "just part of the job"

Violence is one of the leading causes of injury for long-term care and home care workers in BC. From direct physical assault to verbal abuse, violence in the workplace can take many forms. Yet no matter its form, it's important to remember you should never feel like dealing with violence is "just part of the job."

Dealing with violence in healthcare is a complex issue that requires multiple responses. Investing in training, resources, and strategies can make your workplace safer and improve the quality of care for residents and clients.

We've created resources, tools, and courses to help you get started.

Learn more at [safecarebc.ca/violence-prevention](https://safecarebc.ca/violence-prevention)

## Upcoming events

March 10 | WEBINAR  
Emergency planning for hazardous substances: What's changing and why it matters

March 12 | WEBINAR  
Building Inclusive Workplaces:  
Mental Health Through an EDI Lens

March 27 | WORKSHOP  
The Working Mind for Employees

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## New safety regulations are here—are you prepared?

Did you know new occupational health and safety regulations went into effect last month? Join us on March 10 for a free webinar to learn what these changes mean for you.

During this session, WorkSafeBC's Industry and Program Specialist Daryl Davidson will review how the new requirements apply to your workplace, the leading practices for consulting workers on emergency preparedness, and more.

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