

WHY IS ASSESSING COMPLIANCE SO VITAL?

Assessing your dental practice is the only way to know if you are providing a safe environment for your patients and staff.

The Assessment:

- 1. Verifies if you have effective work practices in place
- 2. Confirms you are properly following the CDC Infection Control Guidelines, OSHA Standards including Bloodborne Pathogens, EPA requirements, and HIPAA privacy requirements
- 3. Discloses your risk position and prevention needs

Sixty-five percent of dental practices inspected by OSHA in 2018 failed to meet the required standards. Dental practices can be reported by an employee to OSHA or by a patient to the dental licensing board. Even the best policies and procedures (protocols) need to be assessed annually to ensure your practice is compliant.

HOW OFTEN DO I NEED TO TRAIN MY STAFF?

Training requirements vary according to federal and state regulations. For instance, the Occupational Safety & Health Administration (OSHA) requires the dental practice to train staff immediately upon hire, when new hazards are introduced, and annually on health & safety.

OSHA Training must include:

- Bloodborne Pathogens / Exposure Control
- Chemical Safety / Hazard Communication
- Personal Protective Equipment requirements
- Radiation Safety | Anesthetic | Medical gases
- Emergency Planning | Workplace Violence
- Equipment & Electrical Safety

CDC Training includes:

- Infection Control Practices
- Sterilization & Waterline Procedures

EPA Training includes:

Hazardous Waste Containment / Disposal

HIPAA Training includes:

Security of patient information



ONSITE SAFETY BUNDLE OFFER

Patient Safety CDC Guidelines OSHA Compliance HIPAA EPA

Dental practices take pride in providing the highest care for their patients and ideal work environment for their staff. Your good standing and accountability are worth protecting. SafeLink Consulting has been assisting businesses like yours with health & safety for over 25 years. Take advantage of this bundle savings offer to get the most comprehensive compliance program available with ongoing support so you can be free to do what you do best. Bundle includes:

ONSITE STAFF COMPLIANCE TRAINING

- Best way to train your staff ensuring knowledge retention, bringing positive results, and creating better acceptance by employees
- 1^{1/2} hour training performed in a fun, interactive format utilizing colorful presentations and rewards; training documentation & CE credit provided
- In-house OSHA coordinator is trained on their responsibilities for handling your safety program

SECURE CLOUD-BASED SAFETY MANUAL

- Best method for maintaining your Safety Manual with automatic federal /state OSHA regulatory updates
- OSHA Compliance manual is CUSTOMIZED for your dental practice's policies and procedures
- Easily view and manage securely online, reducing paper, and eliminating loss of a hardcopy manual
- Provides better document organization, increases efficiency, links policies, procedures and forms

ONSITE PRACTICE ASSESSMENT

- Proven to be the most effective method of determining your risk position regarding patient and staff safety
- An expert conducts a thorough onsite assessment of your facility and work practices
- Provides detailed written report of prevention needs

HIPAA ASSESSMENT

Reviews your current Privacy Practices including review of documentation with a verbal report on status of HIPAA compliance and any suggestions for improvements

CONSULTING + ONLINE TRAINING COURSES

- Get continuing support with compliance including assistance with an OSHA inspection or inquiry
- Get unlimited access to dental-specific online training courses for new hires and current staff. Training certificate and CE provided.

"I have been using SafeLink Consulting's safety and privacy services since I purchased my practice. My major concern initially was about any safety liability I might be inheriting. The initial risk assessment helped me identify the areas where I needed to focus efforts to ensure a safe environment for my patients and my staff. The relationship that I've developed with SafeLink has been invaluable and they are an ongoing part of my staff safety training and program maintenance. They are professional, knowledgeable about dentistry, and provide a quick response to my safety and HIPAA needs." M. Usman Sajid, DDS



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