Virtual Workplace Health & Employee Wellbeing for Government

Creating Healthy Workplace Models in Today's Challenging Environment Online | Tuesday, May 25, 2021 | Start: 12:00pm ET / 9:00am PT



Agenda Overview

It would be an understatement to say that 2020 dramatically changed the way we work. Many more of us are working from home, technology is playing an increasing role in our lives, and balancing work, life and wellbeing has become a significant challenge.

Where working from home wasn't an option, safety became the number one priority, creating an urgent need to guickly reassess, build resilience and introduce new compliance metrics to ensure health and wellbeing.

As we adjust to the new normal, there has emerged a need to redesign Workplace Health and Safety (WHS) systems to ensure the boundaries of the 'workplace' extend to support changing ways of working and to focus on more than compliance and risk, with experience and health key.

As a driver of productivity and efficiency many organizations are pivoting their focus towards employee experience to encourage best scenario outcomes for their department and their citizens. Public Sector Network's Workplace Health & Employee Wellbeing for **Government** virtual event, which brings together WHS and employee experience leaders to share strategies for building a healthy workplace in today's environment.

Who Should Attend

Workplace Safety Health & Wellbeing **Employee Wellbeing** Occupational Health & Safety

People & Property WHS Compliance People and Property

Employee Engagement

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Speakers



JODY YOUNG Assistant Deputy Minister Ontario Ministry of Labour, Training and **Skills Development**



HEATHER DIPENTA Director Integrity and Well-Being **Canada Revenue Agency**



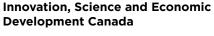
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ROB HALLSWORTH Chief Operating Officer Rillea Technologies Inc.



JANET MANNELLA Vice President of Operations **Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and** Safety

Reasons to Attend

Explore best practice approaches to WHS and employee wellbeing that will help your department drive productivity and efficiency



Delve into the trends, tools and priorities shaping next generation workplaces and modern wavs of working



Discuss the drivers of employee experience and strategies to encourage this in the 'new normal'



Learn how to redesign safety management to best support vour workforce in 2021 and bevond



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12.00pm ET 9.00am PT	Welcome from PSN
12.05pm ET	Chair Opening
9.05am PT	Rob Hallsworth, Chief Operating Officer, Rillea Technologies Inc.
12.20pm ET 9.20am PT	 Government Keynote: Building Resiliency to Ensure Employee Safety and Wellbeing Technologies, trends and priorities transforming next gen workplaces The remote workforce revolution and how to balance safety with experience Keeping essential employees safe and building future resiliency Jody Young, Assistant Deputy Minister, Ontario Ministry of Labour, Training and Skills Development
12.35pm ET 9.35am PT	 Government Case Study: Key Considerations for Hybrid Workplace Models Exploring opportunities and challenges unique to hybrid workplaces Creating a holistic employee engagement strategy that aligns with a hybrid model Tapping into lessons from 2020 when designing adaptive workplaces for 2021 and beyond Heather DiPenta, Director Integrity and Well-being, Canada Revenue Agency
12.50pm ET 9.50am PT	Government Case Study: Wellness - An Indigenous Perspective Alexis Ford-Ellis, Director, Workplace Wellbeing & Mental Health - Knowledge Circle for Indigenous Inclusion, Canadian Heritage
1:05pm ET <i>10:05am PT</i>	 Government Case Study: What Can Leaders Do to Best Support Employee Health & Well-Being? Fostering employee well-being and engagement - keys to building a resilient and high performing workforce Best practices in reducing workplace burnout Janet Ashfield, Manager Human Resources, Labour Relations and Health and Safety, City of Markham

1.20pm ET 10.20am PT	Refreshment Break
1.25pm ET 10.25am PT	 Panel Session: Top Tips for Managing Employee Health and Wellbeing in Decentralized, Distributed or Work-from-Home Environments Encouraging wellbeing to drive efficiencies and employee experience Working with unions and other key stakeholders to ensure you are meeting requirements Top tips and lessons learned from workplace health leaders Meghan Provost, Executive Director, Corporate Services, Polar Knowledge Canada Mario Baril, Ombudsman, Mental Health and Employee Well-Being, Innovation, Science and Economic Development Canada Katherine Wishart, Manager Employee Health and Safety, The Regional Municipality of York Janet Mannella, Vice President of Operations, Canadian Centre for Occupational Health and Safety
2.10pm ET <i>11.10am PT</i>	Closing Remarks from the Chair and Virtual Event Adjourns

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