

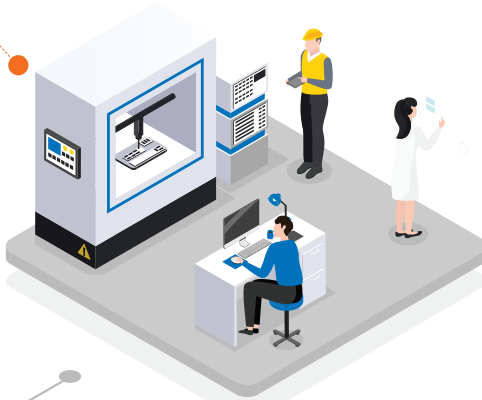
# The Importance of Safety In The Workplace



Organizations today are met with a variety of operational challenges. With statistics for health and safety incidents being reported daily around the globe, it became clear that there was a need to harmonize health and safety management systems using an international standard. ISO 45001 is the world's first international standard for occupational health and safety (OH&S). It promotes a safe and healthy working environment by providing a framework that allows organizations to identify and reduce their OH&S risks, reduce potential for workplace accidents and illnesses and improve legislative compliance.

**12%**

12 occupational fatalities occur every day



**40%**

Transportation incidents are the leading cause of work-related death



**28%**

of workplace injuries involve contact with objects/equipment



**2.8M**

nonfatal workplace injuries and illnesses annually



## SOLUTIONS

Having an implementation process is essential for any business looking to improve safety. SGS offers certification and training courses for ISO 45001 to aid businesses in their process to identify safety gaps and improve performance.

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