

**Agreement Establishing an Alliance
Between
Michigan Occupational Safety & Health Administration (MIOSHA) &**

Name of Organization: Manufacturing Technology Mutual Insurance Company (MTMIC)
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Purpose and Scope of Alliance:

Purpose: The intent of this alliance is to offer assistance to policyholders of the Manufacturing Technology Mutual Insurance Company (MTMIC); through increased health and safety awareness, by providing training, on site consultation, and promotional and educational materials.

Target Audience: MTMIC policyholders are the target audience. These include but are not limited to tooling shops, design and engineering facilities, metal fabrication shops, mold and pattern design and builders, and foundries along with operations associated to their normal business such as finishing, transit, and storage operations.

Major Alliance Activity: Promote services available through MIOSHA's Consultation Education and Training (CET) Division. These services include, but are not limited to, safety and health hazard surveys, employee and management level training, and MIOSHA Training Institute (MTI) certificate programs.

Alliance Benefit: Provide information and training to employers, assist them in their hazard recognition and control efforts, and reduce potential and actual workplace hazards. Many MTMIC policyholders represent industries included in MIOSHA's Strategic Plan. Through this alliance, we are also able to offer MIOSHA CET assistance in development, implementation, and monitoring of health and safety programs, policies, and procedures.

Alliance Positive Impact: MTMIC's policyholders and their staff through their participation and support of the alliance will help provide a "workplace free of recognizable hazards" while improving knowledge and understanding of the fundamental requirements established by the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Administration and working in conjunction and a spirit of cooperation with MIOSHA's CET Division.

Goals and Objectives of Alliance:

- To promote and improve workplace health and safety through the use of MIOSHA CET services (e.g. hazard surveys, air and noise monitoring, and health and safety training).
- MTMIC will solicit policyholders who meet the criteria in the target audience to voluntarily participate in the alliance.
- MTMIC will post a link promoting the alliance on their website and announce any related initiatives in their newsletter.

Outreach and Communication:

- MTMIC will host and/or promote health and safety related seminars throughout Michigan.
- MTMIC will notify policyholders of applicable MTI seminars and encourage participation in the MTI certificate programs.
- MTMIC's loss control department will participate and promote alliance programs.

Training and Education:

- MTMIC Alliance liaison obtained his MTI Level 1 Certificate. He would like to attend a MTI level two "boot camp" class if it is offered. Obtaining these certificates will better enable the liaison to promote MTI.
- Distribute information to MTMIC policyholders related to MTI course offerings and certificate requirements. This information can be found on MIOSHA's website at http://www.michigan.gov/lara/0,4601,7-154-11407_15317_47430---,00.html

Promoting Dialogue:

- MTMIC will act as the facilitator with the policyholders to schedule on-site MIOSHA CET services, such as hazard surveys, air and noise monitoring, and/or training. Acting as the facilitator, MTMIC will schedule and arrange seminars designed to promote safety and employee well-being throughout the state.
- Promote the MIOSHA Training Institute (MTI) and MIOSHA cooperative programs to members via email blasts, sharing of email lists, sharing of mailing lists, and possibly sponsoring one or more MTI classes for policyholders.
- MIOSHA will provide on-site inspections and training services to MTMIC policyholders.
- MIOSHA will promote the alliance on the MIOSHA website.
- MIOSHA will maintain communication to keep MTMIC up-to-date on MIOSHA activities.

Outcomes of Alliance Activities:

- The goal of this alliance is to reduce injury and illness through management and employee awareness and assistance. This will be accomplished by promoting the alliance and working with MIOSHA to develop and implement a working relationship with the tooling industry statewide.

Initiation and Cancellation of Agreement:

The alliance agreement is effective on the date of signing and will be in effect for three years. Prior to the expiration of the agreement, the parties will confer and evaluate whether the agreement should be extended. Without regard to the term of the agreement, any of the parties can terminate the agreement with 30 days written notification.

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