Changes at our mine that could adversely affect the miner’s health or safety

Sec 46.8 (b)

- Review and discuss all the changes that occurred in the past year that could affect health or safety
- Roadways and Highwall changes
- New equipment and task on equipment brought on the mine site

Hearing Conservation Program Training if Applicable.

62.180 Training. (a) The mine operator must, within 30 days of a miner’s enrollment into a hearing conservation program, provide the miner with training. The mine operator must give training every 12 months thereafter if the miner’s noise exposure continues to equal or exceed the action level.

Training must include:
(1) The effects of noise on hearing;
(2) The purpose and value of wearing hearing protectors;
(3) The advantages and disadvantages of the hearing protectors to be offered;
(4) The various types of hearing protectors offered by the mine operator and the care, fitting, and use of each type;
(5) The general requirements of this part;
(6) The mine operator’s and miner’s respective tasks in maintaining mine noise controls; and
(7) The purpose and value of audiometric testing and a summary of the procedures.

(b) The mine operator must certify the date and type of training given each miner, and maintain the miner’s most recent certification for as long as the miner is enrolled in the hearing conservation program and for at least 6 months thereafter.

Respiratory Program if Applicable including 56.5002 monitoring program.

1. Respirators approved by NIOSH under 42 CFR Part 84 which are applicable and suitable for the purpose intended shall be furnished and miners shall use the protective equipment in accordance with training and instruction.
• **Rules To Live By Standards**
  1. 56.9101 Operating speeds and control of equipment
  2. 56.12017 Work on power circuits
  3. 56.14101(a)* Brake performance
  4. 56.14105 Procedures during repairs or maintenance
  5. 56.14130(g) Seat belts shall be worn by equipment operators
  6. 56.14131(a) Seat belts shall be provided and worn in haul trucks
  7. 56.14205 Machinery, equipment, and tools used beyond design
  8. 56.14207 parking procedures for unattended equipment
  9. 56.15005 Safety belts and lines
  10. 56.16002(c) Bins, hoppers, silos, tanks, and surge piles
  11. 56.16009 Persons shall stay clear of suspended loads
  12. 56.20011 Barricades and warning signs
  13. 57.3360 Ground support use
  14. 46.7(a) New task training
  15. 56.3130 Wall, bank, and slope stability
  16. 56.3200 Correction of hazardous conditions
  17. 56.14100(b) Safety defects; examination, correction and records
  18. 56.15020 Life jackets and belts
  19. 57.14100(b) Safety defects; examination, correction and records

• **What’s New on the [WWW.MSHA.GOV](http://WWW.MSHA.GOV) such as: PIB,PIL,PPM, Fatalgrams,**

• **New Chemicals brought on site HAZCOM Part 47**
  Operators of mines which employ six or more miners must instruct each miner with information about the physical and health hazards of chemicals in the miner’s work area, the protective measures a miner can take against these hazards, and the contents of the mine’s HazCom program by September 23, 2002. Operators of mines that employ five or fewer miners must instruct each miner with information about the physical and health hazards of chemicals in the miner’s work area, the protective measures a miner can take against these hazards, and the contents of the mine’s HazCom program by March 21, 2003.

• **Do You Have Someone Currently trained in First Aid? 56.18010**

You Must Offer First Aid to all individuals interested in taking the course to maintain an individual currently trained at the mine site on all shifts.

• **Attendees:**