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# Safety Daily Advisor

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Today's Safety Daily Advisor Tip:

## Breaking the Chain of Repeat Accidents

Topic: [Safety Attitude](#)

[Yesterday's Advisor](#) conducted something of a forensic examination into the causes of repeat accidents. Today we turn to strategies for breaking that expensive and demoralizing chain.

Armed with [yesterday's](#) information about the people and places most likely to be involved in repeat accidents, as well as some contributing factors, we're ready to move on to strategies for stopping them. Here are some suggestions from the *OSHA Required Training for Supervisors* monthly newsletter:

- Make safety a top priority. Talk about safety, conduct safety audits, and encourage suggestions from employees for improving safety.
- Set a goal to eliminate repeat accidents. Make sure all of your employees—not just those involved in an accident—understand the causes of prior accidents and the steps they need to take to avoid a repeat.
- Train as if their lives depended on it—because they do! Your employees' safety on the job depends on their skills, knowledge, awareness, and judgment. Training strengthens and develops all these safety essentials.
- Reinforce safe behavior. Get out there among your employees every day and praise those who are working safely. Talk to those who are taking risks and redirect them into following safe procedures. Consider retraining those whose performance indicates a lack of requisite safety skills or knowledge.

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- Don't use discipline without also offering help. You may need to resort to discipline when coaching and counseling fail to correct unsafe behavior. But don't discipline without also providing support and feedback about safe performance.
- Emphasize hazard detection and reporting. Just because something was OK yesterday doesn't mean it hasn't become a hazard today. Keep alert and make sure your employees keep their eyes open, too.
- Investigate every incident. Whether it was a near miss or an accident that caused injuries and damage, investigate until you find the cause and correct it.

We've said it before and we'll say it again: Safety attitude is the key to a safe workplace. But it doesn't happen overnight, and the message needs to be repeatedly reinforced—preferably in a variety of ways and formats.

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- Accidents Don't "Just Happen"
- Be a Safety Booster
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- Don't Take Anything for Granted
- Employee Safety Responsibilities
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- Forget About Luck
- Golden Rule for Safety
- Hurry-Up Can Hurt
- Instilling Safety Awareness
- It Can't Happen to You?
- Looking Back, Thinking Ahead
- Make Hazard Recognition Second Nature
- Making Zero Accidents Our Goal
- Our Safety Mission Needs Your Ideas
- Right Habit, Safe Habit
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- Take Safety Personally
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