

Safety Culture

Self-assessment Survey

You can't have a safety culture by accident. It takes planning. Before you can work on creating a safer environment for your organization, you need to understand where you are now. Take this quick quiz to determine if your organization has a safety culture.

1 to 5 - 1 = Not really to 5 being Absolutely

Does your leadership actively promote safety culture?

1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐

Are there policies and procedures in place and communicated that address safety in the workplace?

1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐

Do you provide adequate safety equipment for your employees?

1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐

Do you require your suppliers to follow your safety policies when onsite?

1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐

Do you track and analyze trends in safety incidents?

1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐

How often do you perform job hazard analysis?¹ to 5 - 1 = Annually to 5 Monthly

1 ☐ 2 ☐ 3 ☐ 4 ☐ 5 ☐

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Does your organization have safety champions?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Do you have disaster recovery plans and a designated team tasked with its implementation?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Did you have an increase in recordable safety incidents last year?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Is your most recent year's summary of work-related injuries and illness posted so employees can easily review it?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Did you pay more in workers' compensation last year than in previous years?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>
Are your records of illnesses and injuries easily assessable for inspection?	Yes <input type="radio"/>	No <input type="radio"/>

Total your score to see how your organization regards safety - for Yes and No questions, use 5 for Yes and 1 for No.
Total possible: 60

50 to 60	You have a solid understanding of the importance of safety in your organization.
40 to 50	You are well on your way to creating a safety culture in your organization.
30 to 40	Your employees and your organization are at somewhat of a risk.
0 to 30	Your organization is at risk.

ISO 45001 was created to address the global need to improve the health and safety of workers – over two million of whom die each year from work-related incidents and an even higher number from occupational health issues.

ISO 45001 specifies requirements for creating an occupational health and safety (OH&S) management system, with interpretation guidance to enable an organization to improve OH&S performance in the workplace. The requirements in the standard are applicable to all organizations, irrespective of their size or activities.

BSI can help you standardize your policies and procedures for Occupation Health & Safety with the new international standard, ISO 45001.

