

# Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division, Newport Safety & Health Policy



The Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division, Newport's ability to conduct its mission requires daily operation in the land, sea, and air environments. Risk assessment and management must be a factor in all operations to ensure that a safe and healthful work environment is maintained. All military and civilian employees and support contractors must perform their duties in a manner that ensures a safe and healthful work environment.

The Naval Undersea Warfare Center Division, Newport is committed to the safety and health of its employees. We promote practices that will foster a safe and healthful work environment for all military and civilian employees, and support contractors.

## Guiding Principles

*We are committed to:*

- Conducting all operations in a safe and responsible manner by the active participation of all supervisors, managers and employees in our safety program.
- Preventing and eliminating unsafe conditions and actions through adequate funding, quality training, timely planning and risk assessments.
- Promoting worker health and injury/illness prevention.
- Adhering to all Safety and Health regulations and policies, supported by regularly scheduled internal assessments.
- Evaluating the effectiveness of our safety and health policies, using process review and measurement, to ensure that occupational safety and health performance standards are maintained.
- Establishing procedures for personnel to report suspected hazards without fear of reprisal.

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