POLICY ON SAFETY

Purpose: To promote and ensure safety in the work place and for patients and visitors within the Medical Center.

Policy: It shall be the policy of Medical Center Plant Services to conduct all operations in a manner which will prevent injuries to persons and damage to property.

Responsibility: Supervisors shall be responsible for maintaining a maximum level of safety in all phases of the operations they direct. Supervisors shall be responsible for the coordination of the Safety Awareness Program. Specific attention must be given to Utility Management, Life Safety Management, Emergency Preparedness to include Fire Plan Response, Infection Control and Interim Life Safety Measures.

SAFETY AWARENESS PROGRAM

1. Monthly Safety meetings will be held for the shops. Attendance by all staff is required.

2. Shop meetings must contain a safety agenda item.

3. Bi-weekly Manager meetings must contain a safety agenda item.


All staff are required to complete online safety training or attend the VUMC Safety Fair.

References: None