



Benefits of SOHSA Membership

Introduction

Established in 1922, the Sheffield Occupational Health and Safety Association's mission is to "protect peoples health and safety by promoting good practice and raising awareness of risks in the changing workplace". We aim to support local companies and individuals in their quest for improved health and safety performance and thirst for relevant knowledge.

Present group members include safety professionals in engineering sectors, construction, scientific laboratories and research, heavy industries (including steel and glass manufacture), hospitals and first-aid, local councils, theatre, education and training, retail, legal and office sectors.

Health and safety is a vital component of all business functions today, but it can often be difficult for managers and individuals to navigate. The Sheffield Occupational Health and Safety Association aims to help businesses achieve their goal of improved health and safety performance and the reduction of injury and ill-health at work.

Association Goals

- Promote occupational health and safety;
- Encourage the sharing of best practice advice;
- Provide links into the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) and Fire Service;
- Provide access to health and safety specialists.

Membership Benefits

- **Members' Meetings** (*bi-monthly*) - with expert guest speakers and focused topics, these meetings give members vital information updates on best practice, services available to them and changes in legislation and provide an ideal opportunity to network with like-minded safety professionals, share information and discuss challenges;
- **Legislation Updates** - members are provided with regular updates on both UK and European legislation;
- **Consultation** - close links with other safety groups, local industry, representative bodies including RoSPA and Safety Groups UK, the Health and Safety Executive (HSE) and members to discuss issues;
- **Networking** - the association's events, website and social networks provide an ideal opportunity to network with local businesses and like-minded safety professionals;
- **Guidance and Best Practice** - the association actively promotes the sharing of best practice advice and guidance;
- **CPD points** - where topics align with learning goals, association meetings and events can be claimed towards continual professional development (CPD);
- **Safety Campaigns** - access to campaigns and related information;
- **Association Website** - providing access to a wide range of downloads, resources and discussion forums.

Joining SOHSA

Any organisation or individual may apply for membership, including local authorities, trade unions, health-care and private companies.

- **Full Membership** **£40/year**
- **Associate Membership** **£20/year**

Associate Membership Limitations: *Organisation must already hold a full membership; associate member holds no voting rights, cannot stand on committee and will not receive hard-copy documentation.*

Further Information

To discuss SOHSA Membership, or for further information, please contact:

Tracey Stubbs, *SOHSA Honorary Secretary*
Tel: 07971 415913 | Email: secretary@sohsa.org.uk



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SOHSA Membership Application Form

Membership Details

Company			
Full Name			
Job Title			
Employees		No Sites	
Address			
		Post Code	
Telephone			
Mobile Telephone			
Email Address			
Where did you find out about SOHSA?			

Additional Memberhips

If applying for more than one member, please state additional member details below. Full membership annual subscription is charged at £40, Associate subscription is £20 each year. Please state membership type by ticking either "Full" or "Assc" column:

Full	Assc	Full Name	Job-Title	Email Address

Payment Details

Please select your payment method below:

<input type="checkbox"/>	Bank Account Credit Transfer (BACs details below)
<input type="checkbox"/>	Cheque - payable to "Sheffield Occupational Health and Safety Association"

Bank Account Credit Transfer Details:

Yorkshire Bank PLC, 661 Staniforth Road, Darnall, Sheffield, S9 4RE
Sort Code: 05-08-28 Account No: 38872887

Declaration

We/I desire to apply for membership of the Sheffield Occupational Health and Safety Association and agree to conform to the Constitution. The constitution is available online from the association website (www.sohsa.org.uk) or on request from the secretary.

Signed Date

(To be signed by a Director/Secretary of the Company - or the named individual if applying for individual membership)

Please return this application form to:

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