



Sun Awareness Booth

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The Challenge

When spending prolonged periods of time outdoors, the increase in exposure to sun and ultraviolet (UV) rays puts you at a higher risk for developing skin cancer. This is prevalent for outdoor workers who are exposed to the sun between 11:00am and 3:00pm - when UV radiation is strongest. It is important to ensure outdoor workers have the information and resources they need to protect themselves.

Considerations

- Make sure that organizational management is aware of and on board with the policy template.
- While this is highly relevant to outdoor workers, the information booth is beneficial to anyone and can be implemented in any working environment.

Resources Required

- Designated, high traffic area for a table
- Printer
- [Sun Safety at Work Program materials](#)
- [HealthyWork.ca SunSafe resources](#)

PROCESS

1 DELEGATE TASKS

Identify 1-2 people who will work on creating a sun awareness booth that will be placed in a common, high traffic area.

2 SELECT LOCATION

Identify a high-volume area that is accessible to internal staff to set up a table with resources and information.

3 PROMOTE CHALLENGE

Download the [Sun Safety at Work Program materials](#), which includes fact sheets and promotional materials. Include information from the factsheet in internal newsletters or create a thread on your organization's intranet.

Fun Twist

If a modest budget is possible, consider filling a basket with small items, like travel sized sunscreen, for staff to take and use.