

## Who's Who: Resources in Connecticut on Job Safety and Health

### Academic Programs and Courses

#### Central Connecticut State University, School of Technology

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#### UConn College of Agriculture, Health and Natural Resources, Department of Allied Health Sciences

**Type of Degree and Program:** Bachelor in Allied Health Sciences with an Occupational and Environmental Health and Safety Concentration; and an Online Occupational Safety and Health Post-Baccalaureate Certificate Program

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#### UConn Health, Department of Public Health Sciences

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#### UConn Health, Department of Public Health Sciences

**Type of Degree:** Ph.D. in Public Health with courses in Occupational and Environmental Health Sciences

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**Web:** <https://phd.publichealth.uconn.edu>

### OSHA

#### Connecticut Department of Labor's Division of Occupational Safety and Health/CTDOL:

CONN-OSHA enforces state occupational safety and health regulations as they apply to state and municipal employees, and offers free consultations to public agencies, school districts and private companies.

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**Email:** [Kenneth.tucker@ct.gov](mailto:Kenneth.tucker@ct.gov)

**Web:** [www.connosha.com](http://www.connosha.com)

**Publications:** ConnOSHA Quarterly <https://www.ctdol.state.ct.us/osha/Quarterly/coqtrly.htm>

**OSHA (Occupational Safety and Health Administration):** Federal OSHA inspects workplaces in the private sector for violations of standards, and also has information and pamphlets.

**National Website:** <https://www.osha.gov>

**OSHA Bridgeport Office** (Fairfield, New Haven, and Middlesex counties).

**Area Director:** Joseph LaRose (Acting Director)

**Address:** 915 Lafayette Blvd, Room 309, Bridgeport, Connecticut 06604

**Phone:** (203) 579-5581; National Hotline after hours: (800) 321-OSHA (6742)

**Fax:** (203) 579-5516

**e-mail:** [oshabridgeport@dol.gov](mailto:oshabridgeport@dol.gov)

**OSHA Hartford Office**

**Area Director:** Dale Varney

**Address:** 135 High Street, Suite 361, Hartford, CT 06103

**Phone:** (860) 240-3152; National Hotline after hours, etc.: (800) 321-OSHA (6742)

**Fax:** (860) 240-3155

**e-mail:** [oshahartford@dol.gov](mailto:oshahartford@dol.gov)

## Academic Occupational Health Clinics

**UConn Occupational and Environmental Medicine Clinic**

**Clinic Director:** George W. Moore, M.D., M.Sc., FACPM, FACOEM

**Address:** UCONN Health, 300 UConn Health Blvd, Farmington, CT 06032-2940

**Clinic address:** UCONN Main Building (Hospital Entrance), Room CG228

**Phone:** (860) 679-2893

**Fax:** (860) 679-4587

**e-mail:** [occmedehs@uchc.edu](mailto:occmedehs@uchc.edu)

**Web:** <http://health.uconn.edu/occupational-environmental/clinical-services/>

**Yale Occupational and Environmental Medicine Program**

**Director:** Carrie A Redlich, MD, MPH

**Address:** 367 Cedar Street, ESHA 2nd Floor, New Haven, CT 06510

**Clinic address:** 135 College St. Rm. 392, New Haven, CT 06510

**Phone:** (203) 785-4197 or 203-785-6434

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**Web:** <http://medicine.yale.edu/intmed/occmed/> or <https://www.yalemedicine.org/departments/occupational-environmental-medicine-program>

## Other Occupational Health Clinics

**Concentra**

**Medical Director:** David Feinstein, MD

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**Web:** <http://www.concentra.com/employers/occupational-health/>

**Other Offices:** 972 West Main Street, **New Britain** (860) 827-0745; 1080 Day Hill Road, **Windsor** (860) 298-8442; 900 Northrop Rd, **Wallingford**, (203) 949-1534; 8 South Commons Rd, **Waterbury** (203) 759-1229; 333 Kennedy Drive, **Torrington** (860) 482-4552; 900 Northrup Rd, **Wallingford** (203) 949-1534; 315 West Main St, **Norwich**, (860) 859-5100; 370 James Street, Suite 304, **New Haven** (203) 503-0482; 60 Watson Blvd, **Stratford** (203) 380-5945; 15 Commerce Road, 3rd Floor, **Stamford**, (203) 324-9100

**Connecticut Occupational Medicine Partners, Trinity Health of New England.**

**Regional Director, President and CEO:** Jeffrey S. Schlosser, MBA

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**Web:** [compllc.org](http://compllc.org)

**Clinics: St Francis:** 1000 Asylum Ave, Ste 4320, **Hartford**, 860-714-4270; 1598 East Main St, **Torrington**, (860) 482-3467; 100 Deerfield Road, **Windsor**, 860-714-9444

**St. Mary's Hospital:** 1312 West Main St, Waterbury, CT 06708, (203) 709-3740

**Johnson Memorial Medical Center:** 155 Hazard Ave., Suite 6. Enfield, CT 06082, (860) 763-7668

**MedWorks:** 375 East Cedar St., Newington (860) 667-4418

**MedWorks (Bristol Hospital):** 975 Farmington Ave. Bristol, CT 06010, (860) 589-0114

**ECHN CorpCare;** 2800 Tamarack Ave., Suite 001, South Windsor, CT 06074, (860) 647-4796

**Griffin Hospital Occupational Medicine Center**

**Director:** Myra Odenwaelder, DPT

**Address:** 10 Progress Drive, Shelton, CT 06484

**Phone:** (203) 944-3718

**Fax:** (203) 929-3068

**e-mail:** [gkrueger@griffinhealth.org](mailto:gkrueger@griffinhealth.org)

**Web:** <http://www.griffinhealth.org/locations/shelton/griffin-hospital-occupational-medicine-center>

**Hartford HealthCare Medical Group—Occupational Medicine**

**Business Development Director:** Suzanne Cutter

**Admin e-mail:** [hhcmgocc.health@hhchealth.org](mailto:hhcmgocc.health@hhchealth.org)

**Web:** <https://hartfordhealthcaremedicalgroup.org/specialties/primary-care/occupational-medicine>

**East Region HHCMG Occ Medical Director:** William H. Hernandez III MD

**Fairfield Region HHCMG Occ and UC Medical Director:** Syed Z. Hussain MD, MBA, MRO

**Clinic Offices: West Hartford:** 445 South Main Street, West Hartford, 06110, Phone: 860.696.2200, option 5;

**Uncasville:** 80 Norwich-New London Tnpk, Uncasville, 06382, Phone: 860-848-1297, option 5; **Shelton:** 15 Armstrong Rd, Shelton, 06484, Phone: 203.929.1109; **Willimantic:** 1703 West Main St., Willimantic, 06226, Phone: 860.456.1252; **Stratford:** 3272 Main St, Stratford, CT 06614, Phone: 203.380.3920; **Fairfield:** 1262

Post Rd, Fairfield, 06824 Phone: 203.259.3440; **Trumbull:** 900 White Plains Rd, Trumbull, 06611, Phone:

203.696.3500; **Monroe:** 401 Monroe Tpk, Monroe 06468 Phone: 203.268.2501

**THOCC - Occupational Health Network**

**Web:** <https://thocc.org/services/occupational-health>

**OHN Medical Director:** Sandor Nagy Jr., MD

**Practice Manager:** Michelle Cadiz

**Plainville:** 440 New Britain Ave, Plainville, 06062 Phone: 860.747.9441

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**Middlesex Hospital Occupational Medicine**

**Director:** Matthew Lundquist, MD, MPH

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**Phone:** (860) 358-2750; **Fax:** (860) 358-2757

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**Other Office:** Essex Medical Building, 252 Westbrook Road, Essex (860) 358-3840

**Yale New Haven Health Occupational Medicine and Wellness Services**

**Medical Director:** Cullen Taplin, MD  
**Address:** 52 Hazelnut Hill Rd., Groton, CT 06340  
**Phone:** (860) 446-8265 x7074  
**Fax:** (860) 448-6961  
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### **Yale-New Haven Health Systems**

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#### **Other Offices:**

Pequot Health Center, 52 Hazelnut Hill Rd, **Groton**, (860) 446-8265, ext 7074

260 Long Ridge Rd, Suite 2140. **Stamford**, (203) 863-3483

2080 Whitney Ave., Suite 150, **Hamden** (203) 789-6242

**Greenwich Hospital**, 5 Perry Ridge Rd, (203) 863-3483

**Bridgeport Hospital**, (203) 988-2551

20 York St., **New Haven**, 203-688-4242

## **Organizations**

### **American Lung Association (ALA) in Connecticut**

A non-profit association geared towards preventing lung disease including occupational lung disease.

**Director:** Michelle Caul (National Senior Director, Infectious Disease and Immunization/Health Promotion)

**Connecticut Address:** 45 Ash St., East Hartford, CT 06108

**Phone:** (860) 838-4370

**e-mail:** [Michelle.Caul@lung.org](mailto:Michelle.Caul@lung.org)

**Web:** [Lung.org](http://Lung.org)

### **Coalition for a Safe and Healthy Connecticut**

This is a community-based coalition of environmental, public health, and labor organizations providing resources and advocacy for reducing the use of toxic chemicals through substitution of safer alternatives.

**Coordinator:** Anne B. Hulick, RN MS JD

**Address:** c/o Clean Water Action, PO Box 92, Cromwell, CT 06416

**Phone:** (860) 232-6232

**e-mail:** [ahulick@cleanwater.org](mailto:ahulick@cleanwater.org)

**Web:** <https://safehealthyct.wordpress.com>

### **ConnectiCOSH (The Connecticut Council for Occupational Safety and Health)**

CTCOSH is a union-based non-profit organization for education and political action on job safety and health.

They have conferences, fact sheets, and speakers.

**Director:** Mike Fitts; Pamela Puchalski (Asst. Director)

**Address:** 683 No. Mountain Rd, Newington, CT 06111

**Phone:** (860) 953-COSH (2674)

**Fax:** (860) 953-1038

**e-mail:** [mike@ctcosh.org](mailto:mike@ctcosh.org)

**Web:** <http://connecticosh.org>

**The Ergonomic Technology Center (ErgoCenter) at UConn Health**

The ErgoCenter is a center for prevention of repetitive strain injuries based at UCONN Health, which does training, research, and clinical care.

**Contact:** Thomas Varghese, M.S., CPE

**Address:** 263 Farmington Ave, Farmington, CT 06030-2940

**Phone:** (860) 679-4096

**Fax:** (860) 679-1349

**e-mail:** tvarghese@uchc.edu

**Web:** <https://health.uconn.edu/occupational-environmental/consultation-and-outreach/ergonomics-consultation/>

### **The Center for the Promotion of Health in the New England Workplace (CPH-NEW)**

CPH-NEW is a NIOSH-funded center for scientific research and education, based in participatory action research, integrating occupational health and safety with worksite health that is administered by UConn Health with UMass Lowell and UConn Storrs.

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**Web:** <http://health.uconn.edu/occupational-environmental/academics-and-research/cph-new/>

### **UConn Health- Center for Indoor Environments and Health (CIEH)**

The CIEH at the University of Connecticut Health Center works with public health agencies, companies, clinics and individuals to promote indoor environments which protect the health of building occupants and provide productive, creative spaces for learning and work.

**Director:** Paula Schenck, MPH

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**e-mail:** [schenck@uchc.edu](mailto:schenck@uchc.edu)

**Web:** <http://health.uconn.edu/occupational-environmental/consultation-and-outreach/cieh/>

## **Professional Associations**

### **American Industrial Hygiene Association (AIHA), Connecticut River Valley Section**

AIHA is a professional association for industrial hygienists.

**Contact:** Kristen Cramer

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**Web:** <http://www.crvaiha.wildapricot.org>

### **American Society of Safety Professionals (ASSP)**

American Society of Safety Professional members are dedicated to creating safe work environments by preventing workplace fatalities, injuries and illnesses. Sound safety practices are a legal requirement, socially responsible and good business, leading to increased productivity, a better reputation and higher employee satisfaction.

#### ***Connecticut Valley Chapter***

**President:** Liz Velky

**e-mail:** [president@ctvalley.assp.org](mailto:president@ctvalley.assp.org)

**Web:** <http://ctvalley.assp.org>

#### **Connecticut Safety Society**

A professional association for anyone that promotes occupational safety, health, and accident prevention in CT.

**Treasurer:** Thomas Schinkel  
**Phone:** (860) 462-1349  
**e-mail:** [schinkfam@gmail.com](mailto:schinkfam@gmail.com)  
**Web:** Facebook group – Connecticut Safety Society

### **Air & Waste Management Association (AWMA), Connecticut Chapter**

AWMA provides training, information, and networking opportunities to environmental professionals. The Connecticut Chapter provides periodic forums for discussion and sponsors an annual student scholarship.

**Chair:** David Krochko  
**Phone:** (888) 265-8969  
**e-mail:** [dkrochko@woodardcurran.com](mailto:dkrochko@woodardcurran.com)  
**Web:** <http://awmact.org>

### **Connecticut Trial Lawyers Association, Workers' Compensation Committee**

CTLA is a professional association of attorneys whose mission reads *Trial lawyers protecting individual rights through fair laws and access to justice*. The purpose of this section is to ensure that workers who have been injured or suffered illness arising out of and in the course of their employment are provided the benefits to which they are entitled under the Connecticut Workers' Compensation Act.

**Executive Director:** Joan D. Maloney  
**Workers' Compensation Section Chair:** Meghan Lyon  
**Address:** 150 Trumbull Street, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Hartford, CT 06103  
**Phone:** (860) 522-4345  
**Fax:** (860) 522-1027  
**e-mail:** [jmaloney@cttriallawyers.org](mailto:jmaloney@cttriallawyers.org)  
**Web:** <https://www.cttriallawyers.org>

### **Connecticut Bar Association, Workers' Compensation Section**

This is a professional association of attorneys who concentrate in workers' compensation.

**Chair:** Colette Griffin  
**Phone:** (860) 249-1361  
**E-mail:** [cgriffin@HL-Law.com](mailto:cgriffin@HL-Law.com)  
**Web:** <https://www.ctbar.org/members/sections-and-committees/sections/workers'-compensation>

### **New England College of Occupational and Environmental Medicine/NECOEM**

NECOEM is a not-for-profit organized community of physicians that strives to improve the health and safety of workers, workplaces, and environments and holds an annual conference.

**Executive Director:** Tom Coté, MBA, CAE  
**Address:** 22 Mill Street, Groveland, MA 01834  
**Phone:** (978) 373-5597  
**e-mail:** [executive.director@necoem.org](mailto:executive.director@necoem.org)  
**Web:** <http://www.necoem.org/>

### **Connecticut Association of Occupational Health Nurses (CTOHN)**

CTAOHN is an association of occupational health nurses, including most of the nurses working in industry.

**CT President:** Richard Sandrib, BSN, MS, APRN  
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**Phone:** (609) 252-3643 (office) or (860) 806-1721 (cell)  
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**Web:** <https://ctaohn.nursingnetwork.com>

## Connecticut State Agencies

### **Department of Public Health (DPH), Occupational Health Unit**

This unit investigates clusters of occupational diseases. Programs for radon, asbestos, drinking water, lead, asthma, CT Schools Environmental Resource Team, TB control and infectious disease are also at the DPH.

**Director:** Thomas St. Louis, MSPH

**Address:** DPH/ OHP, 410 Capitol Ave, MS #11EOH, PO Box 340308, Hartford, CT 06134-0308

**Phone:** (860) 509-7740

**Fax:** (860) 509-7785

**e-mail:** [Thomas.st.louis@ct.gov](mailto:Thomas.st.louis@ct.gov)

**Web:** <http://www.ct.gov/dph/occupationalhealth>

### **State Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection**

The Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection (DESPP) is comprised of the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control, the CT State Police, Emergency Management and Homeland Security, the Police Officers Standards and Training Council, Scientific Services, and Statewide Emergency Telecommunications.

**Public Information Officer:** Brian Foley

**Address:** 1111 Country Club Rd, Middletown, CT 06457

**Phone:** 860-463-9777

**Fax:** (860) 685-8902

**e-mail:** [brian.foley@ct.gov](mailto:brian.foley@ct.gov)

**Web:** <https://portal.ct.gov/despp>

### **State Emergency Response Commission, Department of Energy and Environmental Protection**

This commission oversees plans for response to chemical accidents and collects chemical information for the public under the Emergency Planning and Community Right to Know Act.

**Chairman:** Gerard P. Goudreau

**Address:** 79 Elm St, Hartford, CT 06106-5127

**Phone:** (860) 424-3373

**e-mail:** [deep.ctepcra@ct.gov](mailto:deep.ctepcra@ct.gov)

**Web:** <https://portal.ct.gov/SERC>

### **Connecticut Fire Academy, Commission on Fire Prevention & Control**

Safety training & standards compliance

**Training Director:** P.J. Norwood, Training Director

**Address:** 34 Perimeter Road, Windsor Locks, CT 06096-1069

**Phone:** 860-264-9272 or toll free (877) 5CT-FIRE (only in CT)

**Fax:** (860) 654-1889

**e-mail:** [paul.norwood@ct.gov](mailto:paul.norwood@ct.gov)

**Web:** <http://www.ct.gov/cfpc/site/default.asp>

### **Connecticut Department of Environmental Protection, Radiation Safety Unit**

**Director:** Jeff Semancik

**Phone:** (860) 424-3029; (860) 424-3333 24/7 Emergency

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## **Workers' Compensation Commission**

### **Chairman's Office and Compensation Review Board**

The Workers' Compensation Commission (WCC) administers the workers' compensation laws of the State of Connecticut with the ultimate goal of ensuring that workers injured on the job receive prompt payment of wage loss benefits and appropriate medical treatment. To this end, the Commission approves voluntary agreements, adjudicates disputes, issues findings and awards, hears and rules on appeals, and closes out pending cases through full and final stipulated agreements.

The WCC Safety & Health Services unit assists employers with implementation of the workers' compensation regulations regarding "Establishment and Administration of Safety and Health Committees at Work Sites."

**Chairman:** Stephen M. Morelli

**Address:** 21 Oak St., 4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Hartford, CT 06106-8011

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**Information:** (800) 223-WORK (9675)

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**e-mail:** [wcc.chairmansoffice@po.state.ct.us](mailto:wcc.chairmansoffice@po.state.ct.us)

**Web:** <http://wcc.state.ct.us/>

### **Workers' Compensation District Offices**

1. 999 Asylum Ave., **Hartford**, CT 06105; (860) 566-4154; Fax: (860) 566-6137
2. 55 Main St., **Norwich**, CT 06360; (860) 823-3900; Fax: (860) 823-1725
3. 700 State St., **New Haven**, CT 06511; (203) 789-7512; Fax: (203) 789-7168
4. 350 Fairfield Ave., 2nd Floor, **Bridgeport**, CT 06604; (203) 382-5600; Fax: (203) 335-8760
5. 55 West Main St., **Waterbury**, CT 06702; (203) 596-4207; Fax: (203) 805-6501
6. 24 Washington St., **New Britain**, CT 06051; (860) 827-7180; Fax: (860) 827-7913
7. 111 High Ridge Rd., **Stamford**, CT 06905; (203) 325-3881; Fax: (203) 967-7264
8. 649 South Main St., **Middletown**, CT 06457; (860) 344-7453; Fax: (860) 344-7487

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