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# Customized Loss Control for your Business and Safety

Berkley Southwest offers customized loss control services to assist in your loss prevention efforts for the lines of business insurance we provide. Our services range from an overall survey of your company's work environment to a job process study that targets a specific operation. There is no "canned" approach to the services we offer. Our intent is to respond to your individual business concerns with appropriate and timely assistance to you.

An effective Loss Prevention/Loss Control Program can save your company money and aggravation, can positively impact your loss experience, and most importantly, can help you manage your operations' direct and indirect losses. Our professional Loss Control Consultants are highly trained with the skills and knowledge to partner with you to protect your business.



## What We Offer

If your operations do not normally involve a significant degree of hazard, or if you already have a loss control program, additional information or guidance can help "fine-tune" your program. We can provide the information needed or consult with you by phone.

If your operations have unique loss producing exposures or hazardous operations; if your incident rate is above the industry average for your Standard Industrial Classification; if your accident frequency or severity rates are above those of your competitors; or if you want to reduce your claim activity for long and short term benefits, our Loss Control can provide:

### Loss Control Surveys

- An initial comprehensive loss control survey to help identify and evaluate potential safety and health loss producing exposures
- An evaluation of your Loss Prevention Programs or Safety Programs
- Specific hazard evaluations
- Periodic summaries of claims activities with an analysis of causes, as needed or requested

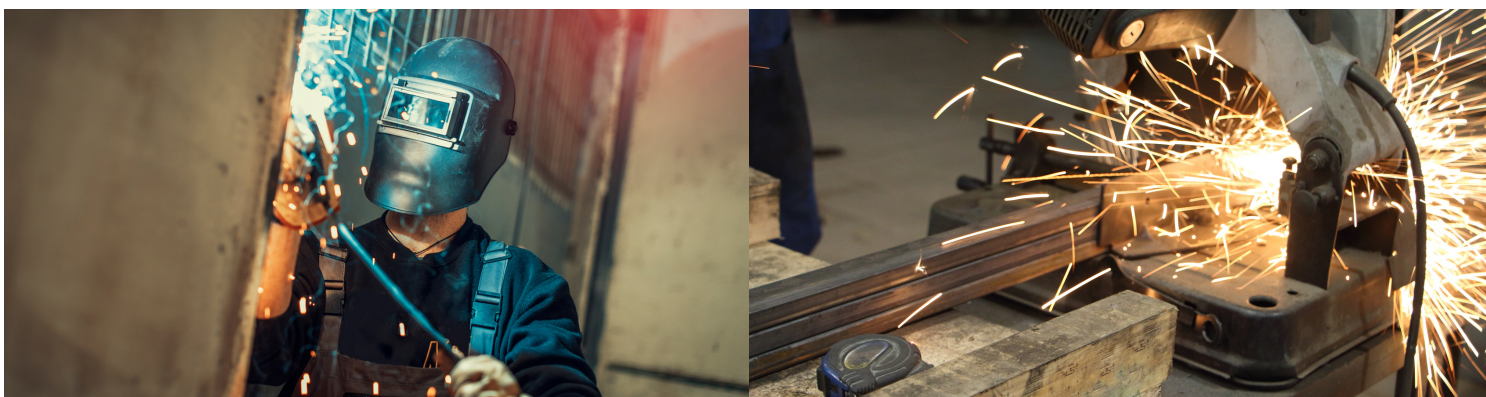
### Ongoing Loss Control Services

- Provide professional, specialized products and services tailored to your unique needs to help develop or enhance your current safety culture
- Follow-up service visits to monitor your progress in reducing or eliminating loss producing exposures
- Assist in the development of Safety Programs or Loss Prevention Programs; ie, Fleet, Industrial Hygiene, Employee Safety, Product Recall, Business Continuity Programs, etc.

# Reduce Risks, Lower Costs

Let us help with the following:

- Formalize your safety efforts, including documenting your efforts
- Develop a Hazard Communication Program, Fleet Safety Program, or other overall Safety Programs
- Develop Requirements for record keeping of injuries, illnesses and exposure to hazardous substances
- Assess job tasks to determine loss producing exposures and needed loss prevention controls
- Determine if your building has sufficient controls from a Life Safety (National Fire Codes) aspect in relation to the Exit, Exit Access, and Exit Discharge
- Evaluate Personal Protective Equipment needs or other Industrial Hygiene needs
- Determine which industry consensus safety standards or best practices may apply to your operations
- Analyze your facility for sufficient fire protection (automatic sprinkler system, automatic extinguishing system, fire extinguishers) for your operations
- Establish what mechanism exists to promptly investigate all accidents and “near misses” to limit the chance of another occurrence
- Consult with you on what could be the financial impact of an injury or illness on your business
- Determine what resources are available to help prevent losses



## Additional Loss Control Resources

To assist in developing and maintaining safety programs, we offer educational and reporting materials, including:

### Administrative

- Accident Analysis / Accident Investigation
- Developing Loss Control Programs
- Safety Committees
- Safety Self-inspection
- Return to Work Program
- Business Continuity Program

### Construction

- Construction Site Consultation
- Construction Equipment Hazards
- Excavations
- Scaffolding

### Fire Protection

- Automatic Sprinkler Systems
- Fire Suppression Systems
- Fire Extinguishers
- Exits / Means of Egress / Life Safety
- Storage of Flammable / Combustible Liquids
- Storage Facilities
- Manufacturing Plants

- Welding and Cutting

### Fleet Operations

- Assist in Establishing Driver's Files
- Develop a Fleet Safety Strategy
- Fleet Safety Programs, including driver training, fleet maintenance, etc.
- Vehicle Inspection Checklist

### Machinery & Equipment

- Machine Guarding
- Material Handling
- Lockout/Tagout (Control of Hazardous Energy)

### Occupational Health

- Hazard Communication
- Industrial Hygiene (general)
- Personal Protective Equipment

### Video on Demand

- Variety of Safety Training Videos – Streaming

# Contact Us

Berkley Southwest offers free Loss Control consultation services to our customers. If you would like additional information or assistance, please contact our Loss Control Department or your Independent Agent.

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