

Change in OSHA Reporting Requirements

OSHA has recently changed reporting requirements for fatalities and serious injuries. As of January 1, 2015, employers will be required to report all work-related fatalities within 8 hours. Employers will also be required to report all in-patient hospitalizations, amputations, and losses of an eye within 24 hours of the incident.

OSHA intends the changes to enable employers and workers to prevent future fatalities and serious injuries by identifying and eliminating the severe hazards.



To report a fatality or serious injury employers have three options:

1. Call nearest [area office](#)
2. Call the 24-hour OSHA hotline at 800.321.OSHA (6742)
3. [Report online](#)